

WORKING WITH THE WORMS

- 1. Get food from cafeteria.**
- 2. Take food to worm building.**
- 3. Check surface of worm bed:**
 - a. Pick out pieces of trash, if any.**
 - b. Replace light bulbs, if burnt out.**
 - c. Spray surface with water if it looks dry.**
- 4. Feed the worms:**
 - a. Wear gloves, mask and ear protection.**
 - b. Grind cardboard first and add food. Alternate between cardboard and food. Use more cardboard than food so that the mixture will come out of the machine.**
 - c. Give the mixture a few minutes to grind up well.**
 - d. Turn on the conveyor and let the food go into the bed.**
 - e. Once a pile builds up, move the whole machine to the other side of the bed so the food will get evenly distributed.**
 - f. If you have more food and cardboard continue until all food is ground up.**
- 5. Clean up**
 - a. Clean the red machine inside and out. Make sure that there is not too much moisture in the grinding tub.**
 - b. Clean the side of the worm container if necessary.**
 - c. Cover worm bed most of the way if it's cold.**
 - d. Clean the food bin.**
 - e. Clean the sink.**
 - f. Clean the floor.**
- 6. Return the food bin to the cafeteria.**
- 7. Tell the supervisor if supplies are running low or if there are problems with the machinery or the worms.**