

Happy New Year and welcome back to school! Your worms have missed you dearly over the winter break. They are looking forward to a good fluff, feeding and moistening (if needed) and of course to see all your faces!

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As the winter season reaches its coolest temperatures in January and February it is important to check the temperature of the worm bin. They are very sensitive to the cold and will begin to suffer if their worm bin is less than 10 degrees Celsius! Check your worm bin often and keep it away from any sources of cold air (ie. by windows, doors and air conditioners).



Want to Know Your Worms Better?

Here are three interactive, hands-on presentation we offer to those in the Adopt-A-Worm program:

Worm Observations:

Students will learn about the biology of a worm and how they react to different stimuli.

Creatures of the Worm Bin:

Students will get the chance to look for other creatures living amongst the worms in the worm bin. They will learn which creatures are friends or enemies to the worms.

Harvesting:

This activity takes place when the bins are ready to be harvested. The Worm Lady will come to your school and teach all students how to harvest a worm bin. Every student will get the chance to harvest and once done, the castings may be used in a school garden or packaged to take home.



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