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Plastic Recycling K-2 Grade

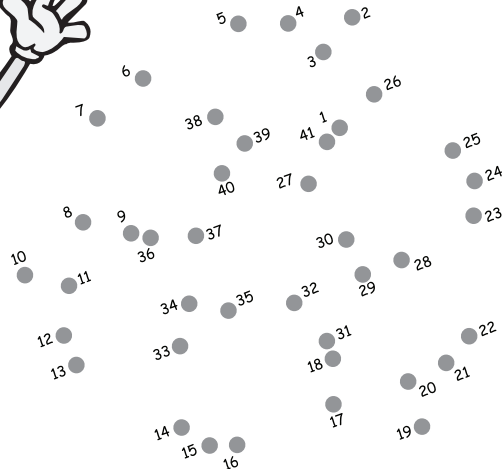
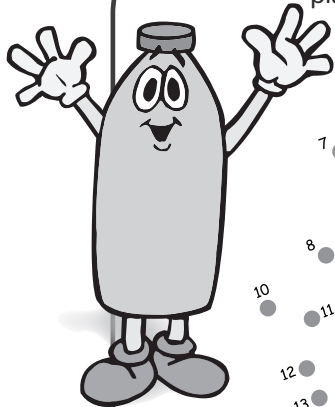
Hi there, I'm Milk Jug Guy and did you know I'm made from something called plastic.

Plastic is one of the most commonly used materials today because it is light and strong, and doesn't break easily. This makes it the perfect material for bottles. Plastic bottles are used to package liquids, such as, milk, juice, detergent or shampoo.

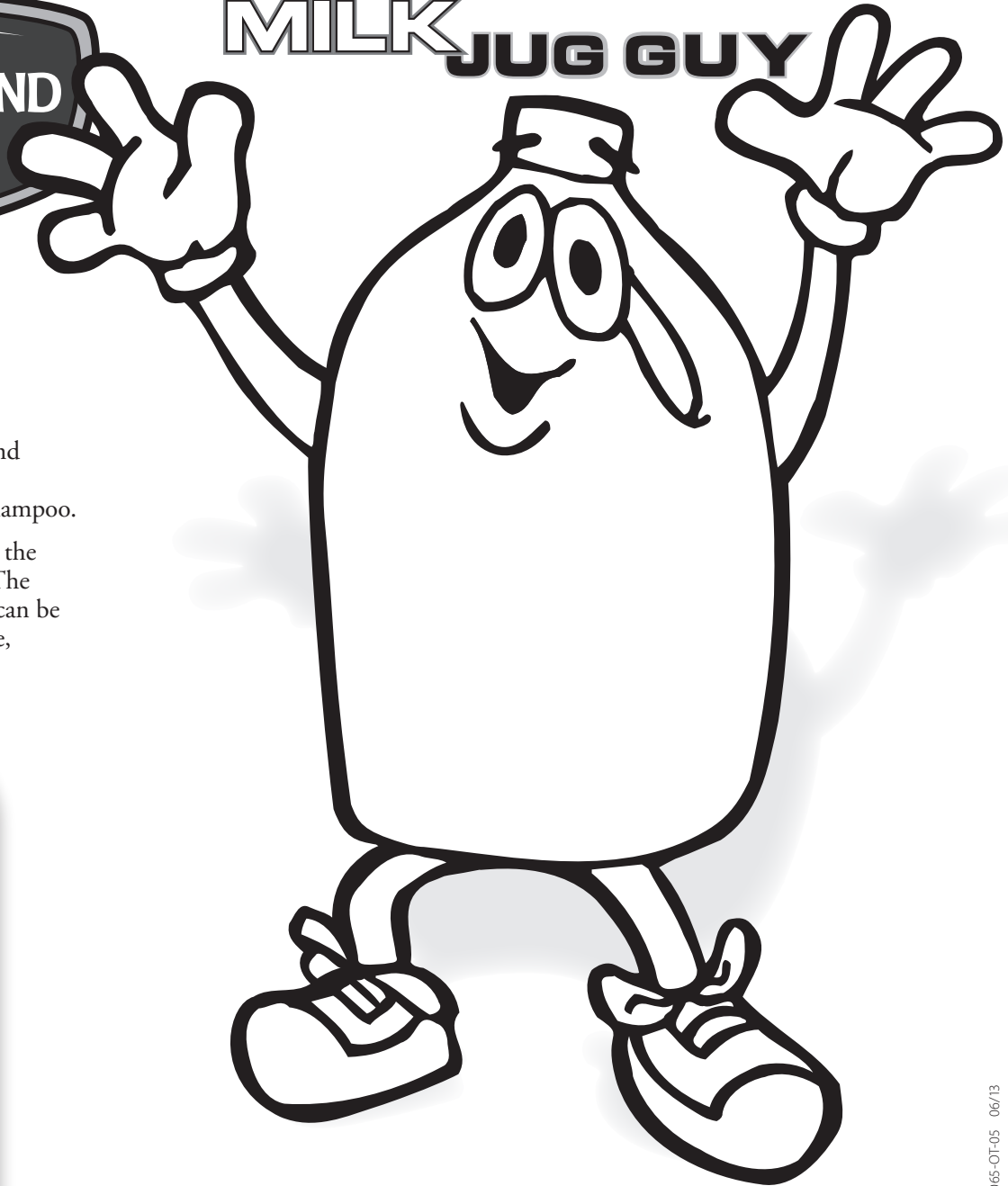
The best thing about plastic like me, is that I can be recycled. If you look on the bottom of me you will see a triangle with a number 2 inside of the symbol. The number 2 is the type of plastic that I am and when you recycle a milk jug it can be made into all sorts of new things like fleece clothing, carpet, garden furniture, compost bins, and even new milk jugs!

•Connect the DOTS!•

Connect the Dots to find this symbol found on plastics that may be recyclable.



MILK JUG GUY



To learn more about where you can recycle me, visit:
www.idem.IN.gov/files/swmd/map.html