

# Earth Week 2011

Sodexo Initiatives | April 18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup>

## Campus Wide Dining Initiatives

### Composting

Kitchen staff of Gibson Dining Hall and OSC will participate in pre-consumerable compost strategies. This program hopes to create nearly 200 pounds of food waste into usable compost. All kitchen scraps to be delivered to Season's Garden Center in Opolis, KS.

After the completion of the program, an assessment will be made to extend our efforts into a permanent program in all dining centers on campus.

### Farmer's Market

Sodexo will sponsor the Pittsburg Farmer's Market in the University Oval. Local farms and producers will be on hand to sell their goods. Thursday, April 21<sup>st</sup>, 2011.

## Overman Student Center

### Bring Your Own Mug

Description: The "Bring Your Own Mug" program is back! Customers may once again bring their own mugs to Gorilla Crossing or University Club and receive \$0.25 refills.

Benefit: Decrease of disposable cup usage.

### Buy a Mug and SAVE

Description: With the purchase of an Earth Week mug, customers will receive 3 free refills in the Gorilla Crossing.

Benefit: Decrease of disposable cup usage.

### Grounds for Growth

Description: Used coffee grounds (otherwise disposed of) are offered at no charge at Jazzman's Coffee House in the University Club. Guest can collect the grounds for composting, planting and tilling. While supplies last we will be handing out herb seedlings grown in coffee grounds to start your own garden!!

Benefit: Reduce unnecessary waste and benefiting our soil with natural components.

## Gorilla Crossing

We will offer locally grown options at Simply To Go and Corner Market throughout Earth Week. All products purchased through Heritage Acres Farm - Ft. Scott, KS. Limited supplies.

## Gibson Dining Hall

We will offer locally grown options at our salad bar and/or throughout the facility all week. All products purchased through Heritage Acres Farm - Ft. Scott, KS. Limited supplies.