

What can I recycle in my collections?

This guide lists some of the common items that can be recycled as part of your door-to-door recycling collection service. Please recycle as much as you can, and place items in the correct container and leave out on your collection day.

Most items can be recycled and by reducing the amount you throw away, you'll help keep disposal and landfill costs to a minimum. Items that can't be recycled in one of the collections below should normally be placed in your non-recyclable refuse collection.

 Paper and card		 Plastic, glass, tins & cans		 Food	
Yes ✓	No ✘	Yes ✓	No ✘	Yes ✓	No ✘
Envelopes with & without windows	Tetra Paks (e.g. juice cartons)	Tetra Paks (e.g. juice cartons)	Pyrex dishes	Tea bags & leaves	Pet waste
Kitchen paper & toilet roll tubes	Milk cartons	Jars & bottles	Printer cartridges	Coffee grounds	Plastic film & food wrapping
Jiffy bags (remove plastic from inside first)	Drink cartons	Foil & foil food containers	Bubble wrap	Pet food	Pet litter
Junk mail & leaflets	Cellophane wrapping	Bleach and disinfectant bottles	Cellophane wrapping	Egg shells	Cigarette ends & ashtray contents
Coffee cups (cardboard)	Polystyrene	Coffee cup lids	Pet food pouches	Dairy products	Cooking oil
Till receipts	Styrofoam	Cleaning product bottles, sprays & tubs	Ceramics	Meat, fish & bones	Cotton wool pads & make-up wipes
Catalogues	Cork	Cooking oil bottles	CD & DVD cases	Leftovers	Nappies
Greeting cards	Foam	Shampoo & roll-on deodorant bottles	China & crockery	Raw / uncooked food	Twigs
Shredded paper (bagged)	Wood shavings	Fruit punnets	Drinks glasses	Fruit, vegetables & peelings	Fruit & vegetable packaging
Wrapping paper	Wrapping (foil)	Lids (metal & plastic)	Hazardous chemical containers	Cut flowers (small amount)	Grass cuttings
Egg cartons (cardboard)	Egg cartons (plastic)	Biscuit tubs & tins	Egg cartons (cardboard)	Used kitchen paper	Leaves
Bags (paper)	Bags (plastic)	Ready meal food trays	Bags (e.g. carrier bags)	Used tissues (paper)	Soil
Books (paperback)	Books (hardback)	Aerosol cans	Storage boxes	Bread, rice & pasta	Medicines
Cereal boxes & food packaging (cardboard)	Food containers (plastic)	Egg cartons (plastic)	Crisp packets	Sauces & gravy	Sawdust
Sandwich packaging (cardboard)	Sandwich packaging (plastic)	Yoghurt pots	Flower pots	Fat & gristle	Hedge trimmings
Pizza boxes	Sawdust	Margarine tubs	Cling film	Nuts & shells	Hazardous chemicals