



WHICH BIN can I put it in?

recycling



Sorting your recycling is now easier than ever with Recycle Mate! Scan the QR code to check what items can be put in your household recycling bin and find community recycling drop-off locations near you.

Glass

Clear, green & amber glass bottles & jars including:

- juice and soft drink bottles
- oil, sauce and vinegar bottles
- glass jars
- alcohol bottles
- medicine bottles



Aluminium & Steel

Clean foil to be collected as a scrunched ball >5cm diameter. Remove all lids - steel lids <5cm diameter collect in steel can until full then squash can closed to place in bin.

- soft drink cans
- clean aluminium or tin foil
- empty aerosol deodorant and paint cans
- metal lids over 5cm wide
- beer and alcohol cans
- food tins
- biscuit tins



Moulded Plastics

Look for one of these symbols:



Remove all lids - lids >5cm diameter place in bin loose. Lids <5cm place in the red lid general waste bin.

- drink and milk bottles
- sauce bottles
- household containers
- shampoo/toiletry containers
- biscuit trays
- margarine tubs, ice-cream containers, lunch boxes
- cleaning liquid bottles
- plastic cups



Cardboard & Paper

Remove any plastic wrap or polystyrene packaging and squash boxes

- newspapers
- junk mail and magazines
- loose office paper
- envelopes - plain or windowface
- greeting cards & wrapping paper
- telephone directories and books
- food and egg cartons
- clean pizza boxes
- toilet paper rolls
- boxes - corrugated or unwaxed



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general waste



Check what can go in your household wheelie bins with Recycle Mate! Scan the QR code to search the name of an item you would like to know what to do with and Recycle Mate will provide the best disposal option.

General Household Items

- household medical waste and sanitary products (needles and syringes must be in a sealed sharps container)
- broken ceramics/crockery/ drinking glasses
- broken window/glass, light bulbs and mirrors (wrapped for safety)
- carbon paper, laminated paper
- soiled/worn out clothing, fabrics and shoes
- coat hangers
- single use nappies
- single use coffee cups
- garden hoses, fishing line, rope
- food waste
- garden clippings
- kitty litter
- Christmas tinsel, ribbon, balloons, sticky tape
- dirty plastic plates, cups, cutlery, straws
- polystyrene/styrofoam and bakery/meat trays
- hard moulded plastic container without a recycling symbol
- smoke detectors
- used tissues and paper towels
- waxed cardboard
- x-rays, photographs
- small electrical appliances (kettle, hair dryer, blender, vacuum etc)
- broken pots, pans, ovenware, pyrex
- soft plastics including cling wrap, plastic bags, bubble wrap, cellophane, clean food pouches, plastic wrappers, sachets, snap lock bags



Take these items to your nearest WASTE FACILITY

Remember to SORT and SAVE! Load general waste first, green waste next and recyclables last

- paint (architectural, deck, varnish, stains) <20L
- car parts, batteries, tyres
- used engine and cooking oil (20L or less)
- concrete, bricks, tiles, timber
- scrap metal
- large white goods (microwave, air con, fridge)
- household batteries (AA, AAA, C, D, 9V, button)
- garden green waste
- pre-loved household items
- LPG gas bottles
- flares and EPIRBs
- fire extinguishers (water, CO₂, powder)
- drumMUSTER approved clean Ag and Vet chemical containers
- e-waste (computers, printers, TVs, keyboards, cables etc)
- mobile phones
- polystyrene (large packaging)

Specialist disposal companies are available to take chemicals and hazardous waste, consult your local directory.

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