

What you can recycle

Recycle all of your paper, card, cans, plastic, cartons and glass together in your wheelie bin or recycling bags or boxes.

Household plastic packaging

Yes please...

Plastic containers of any size or colour, including:

- Yoghurt pots
- Food trays
- Ice cream tubs
- Margarine containers
- Fruit punnets
- Plastic bags
- Magazine wrapping

No thanks...

- Liquid waste
- Food waste (this goes in your food caddy)
- Foil-lined packets (sweet wrappers and crisp packets)
- Black sacks, bio-degradable and degradable bags
- Polystyrene packing or beads
- Tupperware containers
- Plastic furniture



Drink cartons

Yes please...

 Wax-lined, poly-lined and foil-lined cartons (such as milk cartons, Tetra Pak)

No thanks...

- Liquid waste
- Food waste (this goes in your food caddy)

Mixed paper and cardboard



Yes please...

- Newspapers, magazines and catalogues
 Soiled paper/tissue
- Telephone directories / yellow pages
- Envelopes (including windowed)
- Junk mail
- Office paper (including coloured paper)
- Wrapping paper
- Shredded paper
- Cardboard and cereal boxes (flattened)
- Corrugated card
- Egg boxes

No thanks...

- Wallpaper
- Waxed paper
- Foil backed card
- Card with padding or bubble pack

Metal tins and cans

Yes please...

- Drink and food cans (please rinse)
- Aerosol cans (fully emptied)
- Aluminium foil (clean and dry)
- Metal screw tops and bottle tops

No thanks...

- Paint tins
- Any other metals







What you can recycle



Mixed glass bottles and containers

Yes please...

- Drinks bottles mixed colours
- Food jars

No thanks...

- Pane or toughened glass
- Mirrors/broken glass
- Light bulbs/fluorescent tubes

Plastic bottles

Yes please...

Plastic bottles of all kinds, including:

- Mineral water, cordial and cooking oil bottles
- Milk bottles
- Coloured and clear fizzy drinks bottles
- Bleach and cleaning fluid bottles
- Shampoo and shower gel bottles
- Detergent and fabric conditioner bottles

No thanks...

- Liquid waste
- Food waste (this goes in your food caddy)
- Polystyrene packing or beads
- Food storage containers
- Plastic furniture

You can also recycle the following in your separate food and garden waste recycling collections

Green garden waste

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Yes please...

- Grass cuttings
- Weeds
- Dead flowers
- Garden prunings
- Leaves
- Bark

No thanks...

- Soil
- Plant pots
- Stones
- Large tree cuttings
- Food Scraps
- Any other general rubbish

Food waste in your caddy



Yes please...

- Fruit and vegetables
- Meat and fish
- Tea bags and coffee grounds
- Bread and pastries
- Dairy products
- Rice, pasta, beans
- Eggs and eggshells
- Cooked and leftover food

No thanks...

- Plastic bags
- Cooking oil
- Food packaging
- Carcasses (whole chickens or turkeys)
- Animal waste
- Nappies
- Garden waste
- Any other non-food waste

Please don't put your food recycling in plastic bags

You can use biodegradable caddy liners, or put food straight into the caddy.

Order more containers and find out more at camden.gov.uk/recycling or call 020 7974 4444.