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Recycling Guide



Food and Garden Organics

Remove stickers from fruit skins.

[You can use newspaper sheets or paper towels to wrap your food waste]



✓ Put in

- ✓ Out of date or mouldy food, including bread, pasta, rice
- ✓ Coffee grounds, loose leaf tea and tea bags
- ✓ Dairy products such as cheese, butter
- ✓ Fruit and vegetable scraps
- ✓ Meat, seafood, bones, egg shells
- ✓ Leaves, plants, twigs, grass, weeds
- ✓ Hay or straw

✗ Do not put in

- ✗ Coffee pods
- ✗ Kitty litter, animal droppings
- ✗ Large branches, tree stumps
- ✗ Liquids
- ✗ Nappies, wet wipes
- ✗ Plastic materials, including biodegradable or compostable plastics
- ✗ Dirt, sand or soil
- ✗ Treated or coated wood

Mixed Recycling

Empty and lightly rinse items.

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Flatten cardboard before placing it in the bin.

Take lids off.



- ✓ Accepted plastic bottles and containers (only resin codes 1,2 and 5)
- ✓ Aluminium and steel tins, cans, foil
- ✓ Cardboard, cereal boxes, egg cartons
- ✓ Paper, newspapers, magazines, paper envelopes

- ✗ Clothing, shoes, textiles
- ✗ Waxed cardboard
- ✗ Electronic waste and batteries
- ✗ Glass, crockery
- ✗ Plastic bags, other soft plastics
- ✗ Polystyrene (styrofoam)

General Rubbish

Use this bin only for items that can't be reused or recycled.



- ✓ Broken glassware, crockery, mirrors (bagged)
- ✓ Nappies, wet wipes
- ✓ Kitty litter, animal droppings
- ✓ Old clothing, shoes, or textiles that can't be repaired or donated
- ✓ Food and garden waste if you don't have a FOGO bin or compost
- ✓ Loose jar lids and bottle caps, pumps, sprays, droppers

- ✗ Electronic waste and batteries
- ✗ Household chemicals
- ✗ Recyclable items
- ✗ Soil, building materials

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