Your Waste Collection Scheme
Now you can recycle even more of your waste!

What goes in the bins?

**Paper & Cardboard:**
newspaper; magazines; shredded paper; junk mail; yellow pages; catalogues; envelopes; cereal boxes; cardboard packaging; juice & milk cartons.

**Plastic:**
plastic bottles; yoghurt pots; margarine tubs; carrier bags; plastic ice-cream tubs; plastic food trays.

**Cans & tins:**
aluminium & steel drinks cans; food tins; metal lids from jars; empty aerosol cans; aluminium foil.

**Glass:**
glass bottles and jars (any colour)

We are unable to accept the following in the green bin:

- Food waste
- garden waste
- pet waste
- clothing
- shoes
- toys
- polystyrene
- cling film
- crisp packets
- chocolate wrappers
- batteries
- electrical items
- mirrors
- sheet glass
- pyrex
- sanitary products
- construction or DIY materials
- furniture
- oils
- pesticides
- paint

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Please note: brown bins will be collected March – October

Garden waste:
grass cuttings; plants; leaves; flowers; prunings; twigs; small branches.

We are unable to accept the following items in the brown bin:
vegetable or fruit peelings  bricks or rubble
kitchen or food waste  plastic sacks
pet waste  plastic plant pots.

General household rubbish that cannot be recycled

Important reminders:

Please ‘wash & squash’. All items in your green bin should be clean and squashing them will allow you to fit more in your bin.

Please ensure that your bins contain the correct materials.

Incorrect items and recycling covered in food waste will cause contamination and will mean that we are not able to empty your bin. Contamination costs time and money, please help us to reduce it.

We can not recycle clothes and shoes in your green bin, but they can be recycled using the separate bag collection. Please contact us or see our website for further details.

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