Your recycling guide

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Bulky waste collections
You can request a bulky waste collection from us by getting in touch online or by phone. There is a minimum non-refundable charge which covers up to five items. Please visit trafford.gov.uk/bulkywaste for details and full terms and conditions. We use an appointment system and you will be given a collection day. Please keep your bulky items indoors until your collection date.

Help us to help you manage your waste
• Remember to put your bins out for collection by 6.30am
• Please put your house number on your bin
• Take your bins back on to your property on the same day after your collection
• Rinse and squash your cans and plastic bottles to save more room in your black recycling bin

Contact us
Get in touch to request recycling bins, caddies and free compostable bags.

This bin is for mixed recycling
NO PLASTIC BAGS IN THIS BIN

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This bin is for waste we cannot recycle
NO FOOD WASTE IN THIS BIN

Items which cannot be recycled should go in this bin and include:
- Plastic food trays
- Plastic bags
- Broken windows and drinking glass
- Plastic pots and tubs
- Pet waste
- Nappies
- Snacks
- Ready Salted Crisp packets
- Polystyrene

NO FOOD WASTE IN THIS BIN

This bin is for paper and card
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These bins are for food and garden waste
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Did you know?
The only plastics we can recycle are plastic bottles. Please put them in your black bin.
Did you know?

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This bin is for mixed recycling

- Glass bottles and jars
- Cans and tins
- Plastic bottles
- Foil and foil trays
- Empty aerosol cans
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All cooked and uncooked food (no oils, no liquids and no packaging)

Tea bags

Garden waste: leaves, twigs, hedge clippings and grass cuttings (no Japanese knotweed). Branches need to be smaller than 10cm diameter

Fruit and veg peelings

Meat and bones

Did you know?
You can recycle all your food waste in your green bin. Please visit www.trafford.gov.uk/foodandgarden for more information.

To make sure we keep making high quality compost, please only use compostable bags with this seedling logo for your food waste.

If you need more free compostable bags, please contact us.
This bin is for paper and card

- Envelopes
- Printer paper and shredded paper
- Magazines and catalogues
- Food and drinks cartons
- Cardboard
- Mixed paper

Did you know?
If your paper scrunches up, recycle it!
If it opens up, put it in your grey bin.

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