

What goes in your recycle bin?



# GLASS

Bottles and Jars

## HANDY HINT

Bottle and jars don't need to be clean to be recycled. Just make sure most of the food contents are removed before placing in your recycle bin.



Glass containers can be re-used many times and recycled indefinitely. The energy saved by recycling a single bottle could light a 15-watt low energy light bulb for 24 hours!\*

All these glass products **belong in** your recycle bin



Bottles and jars



Sauce and medicine bottles



All glass jars, lids and labels can be left on

Drink bottles



\*<https://recyclingweek.planetark.org/recycling-info>

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# PLASTICS

Hard plastic bottles and containers



Plastics are such a big part of our households. You can recycle plastic bottles and containers found in the kitchen, bathroom and laundry.

All these plastic products **belong in** your recycle bin



Drink bottles



Ice cream containers



Laundry liquid containers



Yoghurt containers



Milk bottles



Sauce squeeze bottles



Takeaway containers



Bathroom containers

## HANDY HINT

Bottles and containers should not be flattened for recycling.



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# PAPER AND CARDBOARD



Paper and Cardboard are such a big part of our households. You can recycle cardboard and paper found in the kitchen, bathroom and laundry.

All these paper and cardboard products **belong in** your recycle bin



Newspapers, junkmail and magazines



Food boxes



Flattened packing boxes



Pizza boxes



Tissue boxes



Egg cartons



Envelopes (even with windows)

## QUIZ

If one household recycles **1kg of paper and cardboard per week**, how many kilograms would they recycle **every year**?



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# STEEL

Drink cans, spray cans  
and food cans

## DID YOU KNOW?

You can leave  
the labels on  
your steel cans!



Steel is a very valuable resource. Making steel cans from recycled material uses 75% less energy than producing them from raw materials.\*

All these steel products **belong** in your recycle bin



Food cans

Aerosol spray cans

## AEROSOL CANS NEED TO BE EMPTY!

Make sure that  
there is no  
spray left  
in the can.



## NO NEED TO RINSE OUT FOOD CANS!

Just ensure they are as  
empty as possible.



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