

Let's waste less (



All homes in Worcestershire have the same recycling service. This table lists all the materials that can be recycled through your kerbside collection and at EnviroSort, the recycling plant.

Make sure your recycling is clean – a quick rinse under the tap to remove any residue will do. Make sure your recycling is loose – please don't put it in a plastic bag.

Household metal packaging

- ✓ Food tins
- Pet food tins
- Drinks cans
- Aerosols
 Sweet and biscuit tins

 Metal lids from jars and bottles

TIP: Labels can be left on

Food and drinks cans only No other types of metals e.g. saucepans, cutlery, tools etc Please don't flatten cans Push sharp lids into cans Separate plastic lids off aerosols and put them in your recycling bin loose No foil - this can be taken to your nearest Household Recycling Centre No foil pouches or sweet wrappers - these need to go in your black/grey bin. No coffee pods or crisp

Packets - these can be taken to your nearest recycling point www.wychavon.gov.uk/recyclingguide

No gas bottles

Household plastic packaging

- Soft drinks bottles Milk/ juice cartons
- ✓ Detergent/fabric ✓ Shower gel conditioner bottles
- bottles Cleaning spray
- bottles
- ✓ Bleach bottles
- Shampoo and conditioner bottles

Margarine tubs

✓ Ice cream tubs

Yoghurt pots

✓ Cream

- ✓ Jelly
- Custard pots
- ✓ Fruit punnets
- ✓ Meat trays
- Ready meal trays
- Cake trays
- ✓ Egg boxes

TIP: Think bottle, tub, pot, tray

No black plastic

Please wash out where possible Don't flatten plastic packaging Bottle tops can be included - just screw the lid back onto the bottle after you've cleaned it No pump tops no film, foil etc No plastic bags No crisp wrappers or sweet wrappers No plant pots No hard plastics e.g. children's toys, garden containers, bins, water butts etc

Mixed glass bottles and jars

- ✓ Glass food and ✓ Find drinks bottles
 - Fragrance bottles
- Glass food and drinks jars

- ✓ Make up jars
- Moisturiser jars

TIPS: No need to remove labels Lids can be left on All colours of glass are accepted Glass bottles and jars only No drinking glasses, pyrex, window glass etc No nail varnish bottles Make sure all items are clean

Mixed paper

- Newspaper and / Catalogues/ magazines
- ✓ Phonebooks
- ✓ Letters
- brochures Junk mail/ leaflets
- ✓ Envelopes
 ✓ Greetings cards

Keep paper flat Remove any plastic wrappers **No glittery cards or wrapping paper** No metallic/film coated wrapping paper No dirty/stained paper No sticky paper e.g labels

Cardboard

- Cardboard packing
- ✓ Cereal boxes
- Ready meal card sleeves
- Egg boxes
 Toothpaste boxes
- ✓ Kitchen roll tubes

 ✓ Toilet roll tubes
 ✓ Dishwater tablet boxes
 ✓ Pet food boxes

Flatten cardboard boxes and tubes **No contaminated Packaging** e.g. food waste in takeaway pizza boxes Remove inner packaging film, bags and polystyrene need to go into your black/grey bin

Cartons

- Milk/juice/ smoothies
- Fabric conditioner
 Custard

✓ UHT milk

✓ Soup/passata

TIP: plastic spouts can be left on Please flatten cartons Remove lids-these can be put into your recycling bin separately

For more information on recycling and reducing your waste go to: www.letswasteless.com





