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| <b>cartons</b>   | <b>mixed glass bottles &amp; jars</b>  | <b>food tins &amp; drink cans</b>  | <b>mixed paper &amp; card</b>   | <b>plastic packaging</b>  |
| <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drink cartons (e.g. juice, milk)</li> <li>• Food cartons (e.g. soup)</li> </ul> <p>Please empty and rinse items first</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bottles of any colour</li> <li>• Jars with lids removed</li> <li>• Non-food glass bottles with lids removed (e.g. perfume, aftershave)</li> </ul> <p>Please empty and rinse items first</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drink cans</li> <li>• Food tins</li> <li>• Empty aerosols (remove plastic caps)</li> <li>• Jar lids</li> <li>• Clean foil and foil trays (ut not if you live in Enfield)</li> </ul> <p>Please empty and rinse items first</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Newspapers, magazines and catalogues</li> <li>• Leaflets and flyers</li> <li>• Envelopes (including with a window)</li> <li>• Cardboard</li> <li>• Greetings cards without glitter</li> <li>• Other household paper e.g. computer paper and letters</li> </ul> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Drinks bottles</li> <li>• Cosmetics bottles (e.g. shampoo, shower gel)</li> <li>• Standard cleaning product bottles (e.g. washing up liquid)</li> <li>• Pots, tubs, trays and punnets</li> </ul> <p>Please empty and rinse items first</p> |

# No thanks ✕

These items can't be put in your mixed recycling bin. Please see below for recycling alternatives or, if there are none, put them in your general waste bin.

## Cartons

- Laminated plastic food/drink pouches (e.g. baby food pouches, cat food pouches, coffee pouches) - Some laminated pouches can be recycled through [TerraCycle.com](http://TerraCycle.com).

## Glass

- Glass cookware (e.g. Pyrex)
- Drinking glasses
- Vase and ceramics
- Mirrors
- Plate glass
  - Can be recycled at your local [Reuse and Recycling Centre](#)
- Window glass
  - Take to your local [Reuse and Recycling Centre](#) (please put in the general waste container)
- Light bulbs/fluorescent tubes
  - Can be recycled at your local [Reuse and Recycling Centre](#)

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## Tins, cans and foil

- **General kitchen ware e.g. cutlery, pots and pans**
- **Crisp and sweet packets/wrappers**
  - Some manufacturers such as [Walkers](#) offer a free recycling scheme, TerraCycle has a number of drop-off points where [crisp packets](#) and [biscuit wrappers](#) can be recycled
- **Laminated plastic food/drink pouches (e.g. [baby food pouches](#), [cat food pouches](#), [coffee pouches](#))**
  - Some laminated pouches can be recycled through TerraCycle
- **Metal containers for chemicals (i.e. white spirits, paints, etc.) or engine oils**
  - Empty paint containers can be recycled at your local [Reuse and Recycling Centre](#)
- **Any other metal items e.g. kettles, irons, pipes, white goods**
  - Electrical items can be recycled at your local [Reuse and Recycling Centre](#)
  - Metal pipes can be recycled at your local [Reuse and Recycling Centre](#)
  - Wirecoat hangers can be recycled at your local [Reuse and Recycling Centre](#)

## Mixed paper and card

- Paper/card that is heavily stained/dirty with paint, foodstuffs or grease
- Glitter covered greetings cards or wrapping paper
- Non-paper gift wrap (e.g. foil-based wrapping or bags) which springs back when you scrunch it
- Sticky papers (e.g. post-it notes, sticky labels and paper tape)
- Wallpaper
- Hygiene/Sanitary products (i.e. nappies, wipes, sanitary towels etc.)
- Tissues and used paper towels
- Wet wipes
- Cotton wool, make up pads
- Remove any plastic wrapping and free gifts from newspapers, magazines and flyers and put in the general rubbish
- Shredded paper
  - Put shredded paper in an envelope before putting in your recycling

## Plastics

- Plastic wrapping/film
- Black plastic food trays
- Brown plastic plant pots
- Plastic toys
- Medicine blister packs
- Polystyrene
- Plastic food bags (e.g. bread bags)
- Plastic magazine wrapping
- Bottles containing strong chemicals (e.g. anti-freeze)
- Single-use plastic cutlery, plates and cups
- Plastic straws
- Triggers/pumps from plastic bottles
- Coat hangers
- Laminated plastic food/drink pouches (e.g. [baby food pouches](#), [cat food pouches](#), [coffee pouches](#))
  - Some laminated pouches can be recycled through TerraCycle
- **Toothpaste tubes**
  - [TerraCycle](#) has a number of drop-off points where toothpaste tubes, toothbrushes and packaging can be recycled
- **Crisp and sweet packets/wrappers**
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