### WHAT A WASTE.

Paper, glass, plastic bottles, tins and food waste **DON’T** go in the black bin and cost a lot to get rid of when they’re not recycled – so do your bit.

**Brown Week**

**Blue Week**

**Green bins** will be collected every week in summer and every two weeks in winter.

### Christmas and New Year Collection Days and Dates

There are no changes to your collection days or dates over Christmas and New Year.

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LET’S RECYCLE MORE.

What can go in your BLUE bin:

- Cardboard
- Newspapers, magazines, comics and waste paper
- Food and drink cartons

**Paper and card based material ONLY.**

- Plastic film
- Plastic bags
- Polystyrene

What can go in your BROWN bin:

- Plastic bottles
- Foil, foil trays and takeaway trays
- Drinks cans
- Food tins
- Milk bottles
- Aerosols
- Glass bottles and jars

**Plastic bottles ONLY – we cannot recycle other sorts of plastic.**

- Plastic film
- Bottle tops
- Plastic toys
- Yoghurt pots
- Plastic food trays
- Plastic bags

What can go in your GREEN bin:

- Cut flowers
- Tea bags
- Grass cuttings and hedge clippings
- Meat and fish bones
- Twigs and branches
- Fruit and veg peelings
- Bread products
- Leaves and weeds
- Dairy products and eggshells
- Cooked and raw meat

**We can’t empty heavy bins – don’t put soil and rubble in your bin.**

- Bin liners
- Plastic bags
- Garden furniture
- Japanese knotweed
- Soil and building rubble

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