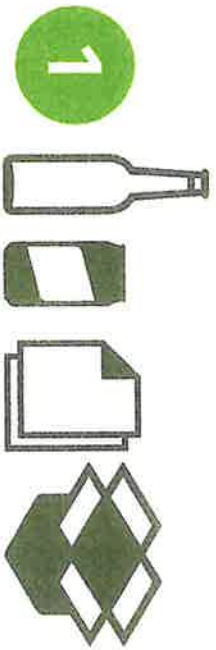


Let's get back to the basics of recycling.

Remember these three rules each time you recycle:



Recycle all empty plastic bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.



Keep food and liquids out of the recycling.



Empty recyclables directly into your cart - NO bagged recyclables.



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Recycling Right Means Quality Over Quantity

It's the little things that count

You've probably heard the saying, "it's the little things that count." Well, in the case of recycling, this is especially true. We are asking for your help in supporting the details of recycling right!

Did you know... When non-recyclable materials, like plastic film or k-cups, end up in your recycling bin, or your materials have food or liquid in them, they can ruin an entire load of recycling? That means that all your good work is going to waste.

In order to work together to make sure that all our materials get recycled, we would like to invite you to take the **Recycle Often. Recycle Right.**SM promise to get back to the basics of recycling. So next time you go to put something in your bin, follow these three simple rules:



Recycle all empty plastic bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.



Keep food and liquid out of your recycling.



Empty recyclables directly into your car.
NO bagged recyclables
Return plastic bags to a local grocer.

These three steps may seem like small acts in themselves, but they have a big impact. Together we can help protect the environment and do the right thing for our families, friends and communities. For more information on recycling right, to take the promise, or download helpful tools like our [Mythbusters](#) and [Poster](#), visit RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com.





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Most Common Contaminants

Keep these common contaminants OUT of your recycling bin.



NO Recyclables in Plastic Bags

Empty loose recyclables in bin but leave the plastic bag out.



NO Food & liquids

Compost instead! Otherwise, it belongs in the trash.



NO Electronics & Small Appliances

Donate if in good condition, or schedule a bulky item pickup, if available. Check earth911.com for a local drop off site



NO Textiles, Bedding, Rugs & Carpet

Donate these items if they are in good condition. Large quantities may require special disposal.



NO Hoses, Holiday Lights, Hangers & Extension Cords

They wrap around equipment and can shut down an entire facility! They all go in the trash.



NO Plastic Bags, Film/Sheeting & Flexible Film Packaging

Take plastic bags back to a local grocer to keep bags clean and dry, and prevent them from shutting down recycling facilities. Visit plasticfilmrecycling.org to find a drop off location near you.



NO Paper Napkins, Plates, Cups & Tissues

Compost if possible, and remember to recycle the cardboard tube.



NO Polystyrene Foam

Foam and plastic to-go containers are not recyclable curbside. Find drop off programs for items like foam packing peanuts at earth911.com.



NO Tires, Auto Parts & Scrap Metal

(Not in recycling or trash) Can damage equipment & are safety hazards. Contact local scrap recyclers or retail tire stores for recycling options, or check earth911.com for a drop off center near you.



NO Concrete, Wood & Construction Debris

Can damage equipment & are safety hazards. You may be able to schedule a bulky item pickup - otherwise throw it in the trash or order a roll off bin by contacting Waste Management Customer Service.



NO Yard Waste & Wood

Compost or put in your yard waste cart, if available. Otherwise, it belongs in the trash.



NO Non-Recyclable Plastic

Not everything that is plastic is recyclable! Recycle only food & beverage bottles, jugs and tubs.

For more information on recycling, visit RecycleOftenRecycleRight.com

Stick to the Basics of Recycling

- Always recycle bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.
- Keep liquids, food, plastic wrap/bags and other non-acceptable items out of the recycling.
- Always place recyclables loose in container.



Do not bag recyclables.





Business Recycling Done Right



Liquids, food and other non-acceptable items can cause big contamination problems in the recycling stream and inhibit the ability of materials to have a second life.

Maximize your recycling efforts by sticking to the basics.

Always recycle bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.



Always place recyclables loose in container.
Do not bag items.



Keep food, liquids, plastic wrap/bags, landscape, medical waste, construction debris and other non-acceptable items out the recycling.



Always flatten cardboard boxes.



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