Place your bin close to the kerb or roadside and half a metre away from other bins, poles, fences, letterboxes etc.

Do not overfill, bin lid must be closed. Extra items placed on top or next to the bin will not be collected.

Your nearest transfer station for greenwaste, additional recycling or refuse is Alexandra (Boundary Rd). Some charges apply.

Bins should be out by 7am to guarantee pick up.

Maximum weight.

Additional Council bins are available on request (charges apply). Commercial collections for recycling or rubbish can be arranged. Call Council for more information.

You can check your collection day and read tips and FAQs about this service online at www.codc.govt.nz/kerbside-collections

**KEY TO COLLECTIONS**

**MIXED RECYCLING**
Your recycling is sorted by people not just a machine, so wash all items before they go in the **YELLOW** bin.

**GLASS RECYCLING**
Clean glass bottles and jars in the **BLUE** bin only. No lids, cardboard, food, plastic or cans.

**HOUSEHOLD RUBBISH**
Don’t put anything in the **RED** bin that could be recycled, is hazardous or may damage the collection truck e.g. scrap metal.

**PUBLIC HOLIDAY** (No collection)
What goes in your RUBBISH bin?

✔️ All general household waste that cannot be recycled
✔️ Plastic wraps & foil wraps
✔️ Disposal cups, plates & cutlery
✔️ Polystyrene takeaway containers & meat trays
✔️ Nappies & sanitary products
✔️ Broken glass, wrapped
✔️ Some plastic items

No Thanks
❌ No recyclable material items such as paper & cardboard
❌ No garden waste
❌ No building materials
❌ No chemicals & hazardous items
❌ No medical waste
❌ No hot ashes
❌ No gas bottles
❌ No paints - oil - liquids
❌ No scrap metal
❌ No rocks - bricks - soil

What goes in your GLASS bin?

✔️ Only GLASS bottles and jars

No Thanks
❌ No lids - put in yellow bin
❌ No plastic or silver lined bags
❌ No pyrex, ceramics, mirrors and window glass
❌ No light bulbs
❌ No cardboard
❌ No food e.g. lemons
❌ No Paper e.g. cigarettes
❌ No cans or tins
❌ No plastic

What goes in your RECYCLING bin?

✔️ Plastic bottles & containers (number 1 - 7) OK
✔️ Wash - squash - lids off - lids in bin OK
✔️ Tins & cans - wash - squash
✔️ Lids in bin OK
✔️ Empty aerosols
✔️ Clean paper e.g. newspapers, magazines
✔️ Envelopes & junk mail
✔️ Clean cardboard e.g. egg cartons
✔️ Packaging - flatten cardboard
✔️ Clean aluminium foil

No Thanks
❌ No food & garden waste
❌ No polystyrene takeaway containers
❌ No meat trays (no number 6 or compostable meat trays)
❌ No tetrapaks
❌ No electrical or electronic items
❌ No textiles or clothing or shoes
❌ No unwashed plastic bottles or containers
❌ No food contaminated cardboard e.g. pizza boxes
❌ No medical waste
❌ No batteries

To learn more about opportunities to minimise your waste, or to find out more about kerbside collection services, contact Council.

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