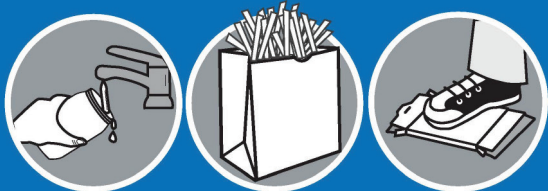


RECYCLING TIPS

You can help ensure that more materials are recycled by following these steps:

- 1 Empty and rinse containers.
- 2 Contain shredded paper inside a paper bag before adding to your recycling.
- 3 Flatten cardboard, remove plastic wrap from cardboard flats. Staples and tape okay. Cut to size if too large to fit in bin.



For more tips, visit www.RecycleBC.ca.

Want to recycle something not included here?



Search Recycle BC's Waste Wizard or download a full material list at RecycleBC.ca.

To recycle items that are not packaging or printed paper, contact the Recycling Council of BC (RCBC) at 1-800-667-4321 or visit RCBC.ca.

DOWNLOAD THE RECYCLE COACH APP ON YOUR SMARTPHONE.

Search items that can be recycled on the waste wizard and find your nearest depot.



ABOUT RECYCLE BC

Originally launched as Multi-Material BC in 2014, Recycle BC is a non-profit organization responsible for residential packaging and printed paper recycling throughout BC, servicing over 2 million households. Recycle BC ensures your household materials are picked up, sorted, and responsibly recycled. Our program is funded by nearly 1,200 businesses that include retailers, manufacturers and restaurants that supply packaging and printed paper to the BC residents, shifting costs away from homeowners.

For more information visit: RecycleBC.ca



RECYCLING COLLECTION QUESTIONS?

Find your nearest depot location at RecycleBC.ca/depots

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Place these items loose in your recycling cart



Take these items to the Lower Nicola Eco-Depot



- Gift cards
- Paper gift wrap
- Paper gift bags
- Paper bags for pet food, flour, sugar, etc.
- Paper carry-out beverage trays
- Cores from paper towel and toilet tissue

- Plastic packaging for toys, batteries, etc. Separate plastic from paper backing
- Spiral wound cans and lids for frozen juice concentrate, chips, etc.

- Plastic pails less than 25L for laundry detergent etc
- Plastic tubs for yogurt, margarine, etc.

If an item is not listed above, it does not belong in your cart

Examples of items that cannot go in your cart



*Items not accepted in your cart may be recyclable at the Eco-Depot

NO HAZARDOUS MATERIALS

Exclude batteries; medical syringes; bleach or aerosol containers with any contents remaining; compressed gas cylinders, for example used propane cylinders; containers for paint, motor oil, vehicle lubricants, or antifreeze; or containers for pesticides with the words DANGER, WARNING or POISON, and precautionary octagon or diamond symbols with skull and cross bones.

GLASS



Glass bottles & Jars - clear & coloured

PLASTIC BAGS & OVERWRAP



Plastic bags



Outer bags and product wraps

FOAM PACKAGING



Foam meat trays (remove absorbent pad)



Foam take-out containers and cups



Foam cushion packaging used to protect electronics etc.

OTHER FLEXIBLE PLASTIC PACKAGING



Crinkly wrappers and bags



Non-food protective packaging



Zipper lock and standup pouches



Woven plastic bags



Flexible packaging with plastic seal

- Bags for groceries, produce, dry bulk foods, frozen vegetables, water softener, salt, garden products, newspapers, etc.
- Overwrap for diapers, feminine hygiene products, paper towels, soft drink flats.
- Plastic shipping envelopes, bubble packaging.
- Crinkly wrap for tea, floral arrangements etc.
- Pasta and cereal bags, chip and snack bags, stand-up pouches