

# CHECKLIST – MATERIALS ACCEPTED

COMPOST



RECYCLING



GARBAGE



ECO-CENTRE



- ✓ Is it edible? (or part of something edible?)
- ✓ Is it made of paper or cardboard? (clean or dirty, non-waxed)
- ✓ Is it garden residue?

**IT GOES IN THE BROWN BIN!**

## FOOD RESIDUE

- ✓ Food (cooked, raw, rotten)
- ✓ Egg shells
- ✓ Dairy products
- ✓ Meat, fish, bones, seafood, and shells
- ✓ Liquid food products (sauces)
- ✓ Coffee filters, tea bags
- ✓ Pet food

## GREEN WASTE

- ✓ Dead leaves and cut grasses
- ✓ Small branches (< 4 cm in diameter and < 30 cm long)
- ✓ Sawdust and wood chips
- ✓ House plants and flowers, potting residue

## SOILED PAPER AND CARDBOARD

### FOOD PACKAGING

- ✓ Pizza boxes
- ✓ Paper plates
- ✓ Paper bags, etc. (without metal pins, without plastic, non-waxed)
- ✓ Napkins
- ✓ Paper towels and tissues


## OTHER ITEMS

- ✓ Hair, pet hair, feathers
- ✓ Small animal litter (cat, rabbit, hamster)

- ✓ Is it a container?
- ✓ Is it packaging?
- ✓ Is it printed paper?

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## PLASTIC

- ✓ All containers # 1-2-3-4-5-7 with logo 
- ✓ Caps and lids
- ✓ Bags and packaging films collected in a knotted bag
- ✓ Containers for cleaning, cosmetics, and food products

## PAPER AND CARDBOARD

- ✓ Magazines, newspapers, flyers
- ✓ Envelopes, papers, cardboard boxes
- ✓ Juice and milk cartons
- ✓ Books and telephone books
- ✓ Cardboard rolls
- ✓ Egg cartons

## GLASS

- ✓ Bottles
- ✓ Jars

## METAL

- ✓ Cans
- ✓ Caps and lids
- ✓ Aluminum plates and/or foil
- ✓ Aluminum cans and bottles
- ✓ Coat hangers (bundled)
- ✓ Pipes
- ✓ Pots


## SANITARY FIBRES AND PRODUCTS

- ✓ Diapers
- ✓ Sanitary napkins
- ✓ Tampons
- ✓ Vacuum bags
- ✓ Dryer lint

## PAPER AND CARDBOARD

- ✓ Binders
- ✓ Waxed paper and cartons
- ✓ Wallpaper

## OTHER

- ✓ Light bulbs (except compact fluorescents)
- ✓ Unnumbered plastics 
- ✓ Porcelain, non-reusable Pyrex

- ✓ Construction, renovation, and demolition materials (wood, gypsum, shingles, mineral wool, window glass, etc.)
- ✓ Tinsel and Christmas lights
- ✓ Branches
- ✓ Green waste (grass, dead leaves, garden residue)
- ✓ Tires
- ✓ Metal
- ✓ Refrigeration appliances (freezers, fridges, air conditioners, wine coolers, heat pumps, etc.)
- ✓ Computer equipment and electronic devices
- ✓ Car batteries
- ✓ Propane tanks
- ✓ Mercury lamps (compact fluorescents, neon lights, etc.)
- ✓ Furniture, mattresses, and carpets
- ✓ Polystyrene packaging
- ✓ Clean polystyrene food containers (rigid and styrofoam)
- ✓ Plastic # 6
- ✓ Household hazardous waste (HHW) (tires, paint, oil, glue, solvents, chlorine, gasoline, and all products labelled with a red diamond-shaped warning symbol)

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