



# What can be recycled in Orange Bags?

The following table lists the items that can be placed in your Orange Recycling Bags.

  food & drink cans	<p><b>YES please</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Food tins and cans*</li> <li>✓ Drink cans &amp; tins*</li> <li>✓ Aluminium &amp; steel cans*</li> <li>✓ Metal lids</li> </ul> <p><b>*Please rinse &amp; squash*</b></p>	<p><b>NO thank you</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Aerosols and paint tins</li> <li>✗ Glass - (see below)</li> <li>✗ Hypodermic needles or other sharp objects</li> <li>✗ All other metals</li> </ul>
  mixed paper & card	<p><b>YES please</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Newspapers and magazines</li> <li>✓ Brochures and leaflets</li> <li>✓ White telephone directories</li> <li>✓ Junk mail and envelopes</li> <li>✓ Other white household paper</li> <li>✓ Thin card (cereal boxes)</li> </ul>	<p><b>NO thank you</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Thick card</li> <li>✗ Corrugated cardboard</li> <li>✗ Cardboard &amp; packing boxes</li> <li>✗ Waxed cardboard milk &amp; juice cartons</li> </ul>
  plastics	<p><b>YES please</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✓ Plastic squash bottles**</li> <li>✓ Fizzy drink and water bottles**</li> <li>✓ Plastic detergent &amp; shampoo bottles**</li> <li>✓ Plastic milk bottles**</li> </ul> <p><b>**Please rinse &amp; remove lids</b></p>	<p><b>NO thank you</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>✗ Margarine tubs</li> <li>✗ Yoghurt pots and lids</li> <li>✗ Cling film</li> <li>✗ Plastic meat trays</li> <li>✗ Polystyrene</li> </ul>

## Further information

If your question was not answered in the above information, please ring **020 8430 2000** or email [recycling@newham.gov.uk](mailto:recycling@newham.gov.uk).