

GUIDE TO WASTE AND RECYCLING AT HOME

DO YOU HAVE EVERYTHING YOU NEED?

If you are missing anything, visit www.eastriding.gov.uk/bins

With your help
we achieved a
recycling rate of
63.3% in 2019/20



GREEN BIN

Non recyclable waste

BLUE BIN

Paper, cardboard, cans, glass bottles and jars and plastic pots, bottles, tubs and trays.



BROWN BIN AND CADDY

Food and garden waste

Download the new, free East Riding App.

Visit www.eastriding.gov.uk/app or search 'East Riding' in your device's app store.

- Receive notifications reminding you to put your bins out for collection.
- Receive alerts of any issues affecting bin collections in your area such as delays due to bad weather or road closures.
- Check what bin an item should go in - search our database of over 10,000 items.
- Find your nearest recycling site and what items can be taken there.



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OF YORKSHIRE COUNCIL

MAKE SURE
ITEMS ARE
EMPTY AND
RINSED

YOUR
BLUE BIN
IS ONLY FOR:



CARTONS



PLASTIC
BOTTLES, POTS,
TUBS AND TRAYS



PAPER AND
CARDBOARD



GLASS BOTTLES
AND JARS



TINS, CANS
AND FOIL



ONLY PUT THESE ITEMS IN YOUR BLUE BIN.
IF IN DOUBT, LEAVE IT OUT.

Leave it loose! All recyclable items should be placed loose in your blue bin, and not placed in bags. This means they can be sorted quicker and more efficiently at the recycling plant, and you'll have more space in your bin too.



Items that **CANNOT** be put
in your blue bin:

- ✗ No textiles and clothing
- ✗ No carpets
- ✗ No food waste
- ✗ No black bags
- ✗ No nappies and wipes
- ✗ No tissues/toilet paper
- ✗ No electrical items and batteries
- ✗ No other plastics apart from pots, bottles, tubs and trays

None of these items can be recycled by our contractor, so we can't empty bins containing them.

For a full list visit www.eastriding.gov.uk/bins or download our new free East Riding App.



YOUR BROWN BIN IS ONLY FOR:

GARDEN WASTE



ALL FOOD WASTE



NEED FREE CADDY LINERS?

Replacement corn starch caddy liners can be collected at any Household Waste Recycling Site, library, mobile library, customer service centre or leisure centre (excluding East Riding Leisure South Holderness).

Please only use East Riding supplied liners as these are approved for use in our composting process. Do not use carrier bags or bin liners.



Items that **CANNOT** be put in your brown bin:



- ✗ No plastic bags or bin liners
- ✗ No food in packaging
- ✗ No soil or rubble
- ✗ No plant pots or other plastics



YOUR GREEN BIN IS FOR ANYTHING NOT RECYCLED IN YOUR BLUE BIN OR BROWN BIN

Place all waste inside the bin for collection. Any waste left at the side of bins will not be taken. Please take large items or excess waste to your nearest Household Waste Recycling Site.

RECYCLE THESE ITEMS, AND MORE, AT YOUR LOCAL HOUSEHOLD WASTE RECYCLING SITE

- ✓ Clothing/textiles
- ✓ Hard plastics
- ✓ Wood
- ✓ Electrical items and batteries



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