

# Recycling and Waste Disposal Guide

Environmental Science · Answer Key · 29 Questions

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## 1. What color is the recycling bin?

- A) Green
- B) Blue
- C) Yellow**
- D) Red

## 2. Which bin should be used for paper and cardboard?

- A) Green Organics Bin
- B) Blue Waste to Landfill Bin
- C) Yellow Recycling Bin**
- D) Red Compost Bin

## 3. Can you recycle light globes in the yellow bin?

- A) Yes
- B) No**
- C) Only if broken
- D) Only if they are LED

## 4. Which bin is for food scraps, tea bags, and coffee grounds?

- A) Yellow Recycling Bin
- B) Blue Waste to Landfill Bin
- C) Green Organics Bin**
- D) Red Bin

## 5. Are plastic bags accepted in the green organics bin?

- A) Yes
- B) No**
- C) Only compostable ones
- D) Only if they are clear

## 6. What can be composted in the green bin besides food scraps?

- A) Glass bottles
- B) Clothing
- C) Paper towel and tissues**
- D) E-waste

**7. Which bin is for items going to landfill?**

- A) Yellow Recycling Bin
- B) Green Organics Bin

**C) Blue Waste to Landfill Bin**

- D) Red Bin

**8. Are soft plastics accepted in the blue waste to landfill bin?**

**A) Yes**

- B) No
- C) Only if they are clean
- D) Only if they are shredded

**9. What type of containers can be recycled in the yellow bin?**

- A) Soft plastic containers

**B) Rigid plastic containers**

- C) Glass containers
- D) Metal containers

**10. Can dairy products be composted?**

- A) No
- B) Yes, but only if raw

**C) Yes, in the green organics bin**

- D) Only if they are in a plastic container

**11. Which bin should be used for tins and cans?**

- A) Green Organics Bin
- B) Blue Waste to Landfill Bin

**C) Yellow Recycling Bin**

- D) Red Bin

**12. Are aerosols accepted in the yellow recycling bin?**

- A) Only if they are full
- B) No

**C) Yes, if they are empty**

- D) Only if they are for cleaning products

**13. What should not be placed in the green organics bin?**

- A) Leaves and flowers
- B) Prunings and twigs

**C) Building rubble or dirt**

- D) Egg and oyster shells

**14. Can lawn clippings and weeds be composted?**

- A) No
- B) Yes, in the blue bin
- C) Yes, in the green bin**
- D) Only if they are dried out

**15. Which bin is for broken crockery and glassware?**

- A) Yellow Recycling Bin
- B) Green Organics Bin
- C) Blue Waste to Landfill Bin**
- D) Red Bin

**16. Are e-waste or batteries accepted in the yellow bin?**

- A) Yes
- B) No**
- C) Only if they are small
- D) Only if they are rechargeable

**17. What is an example of a rigid plastic container that can be recycled?**

- A) Plastic bags
- B) Plastic film
- C) Yogurt pots**
- D) Styrofoam cups

**18. Can compostable bags and cutlery be placed in the green organics bin?**

- A) No
- B) Yes**
- C) Only the bags
- D) Only the cutlery

**19. Which bin is for old clothing and rags?**

- A) Yellow Recycling Bin
- B) Green Organics Bin
- C) Blue Waste to Landfill Bin**
- D) Red Bin

**20. Can garden tools be placed in the green organics bin?**

- A) Yes
- B) No**
- C) Only if they are small
- D) Only if they are made of wood

**21. Are juice and milk cartons recyclable?**

- A) No
- B) Yes, in the blue bin
- C) Yes, in the yellow bin**
- D) Only if they are empty

**22. What should NOT be put in the blue waste to landfill bin?**

- A) Soft plastics
- B) Polystyrene foam
- C) Cooking or motor oil**
- D) Single use nappies

**23. Can polystyrene foam be placed in the yellow recycling bin?**

- A) Yes
- B) No**
- C) Only if it is clean
- D) Only if it is small pieces

**24. Which bin is for aluminium foil and trays?**

- A) Green Organics Bin
- B) Blue Waste to Landfill Bin
- C) Yellow Recycling Bin**
- D) Red Bin

**25. Are chemicals or poisons accepted in the blue waste to landfill bin?**

- A) Yes
- B) No**
- C) Only if they are in small quantities
- D) Only if they are non-toxic

**26. What is an example of something that should NOT go in the yellow bin?**

- A) Glass bottles
- B) Tins and cans
- C) Clothing or fabric**
- D) Rigid plastic containers

**27. Can tea bags be composted?**

- A) No
- B) Yes, in the blue bin
- C) Yes, in the green bin**
- D) Only if they are paper

**28. Which bin is for single-use nappies?**

- A) Yellow Recycling Bin
- B) Green Organics Bin

**C) Blue Waste to Landfill Bin**

- D) Red Bin

**29. Can liquid paint be placed in the blue waste to landfill bin?**

- A) Yes

**B) No**

- C) Only if it is a small amount
- D) Only if it is water-based