

Quick Questions



Why recycle?

It protects the environment by saving natural resources and reducing carbon emissions. **At less than half the cost of sending waste to landfill, it saves money too.**

What happens to my recycling?

We take it to a Materials Recovery Facility (MRF) where it's sorted into different materials. **These are reprocessed and turned into new things.** Food and garden waste is composted so it can be used as a fertiliser by farmers.

Where else can I take my recycling and other waste?

A wide range of items can be taken to the Reuse and Recycling Centre in Wood Green.



Western Road, Wood Green N22 6UG

For a list of other North London centres you can use for free, visit: www.wiseuptowaste.org.uk

Can I throw my recycling straight in the bin?

No, please empty any contents and wash it first. If your recycling is contaminated with food or other materials, we can't recycle it.

What can I do with my bulky waste?

If you have a bulk storage facility on your estate, you can place your bulky items there for collection **free of charge.** If your estate does not have a bulk store, you can **contact Veolia to arrange a paid-for collection.**



LOVE FOOD hate waste

We throw away 6.5 million tonnes of food and drink

from our homes every year in the UK, the majority of which could have been eaten!



Save up to £60 per month on your food shopping

For information and tips on how to reduce Food Waste and save up to £60 per month on your food shopping bill visit: www.lovefoodhatewaste.com



You must not put plastic bags in the Food Waste recycling container as they cause problems during the composting process. Please only use the compostable bags supplied to you, which show the seedling logo.

lovefoodhatewaste.com



Your recycling and waste service

For estates and blocks of flats



Veolia Contact Centre
 Opening hours: Monday to Friday, 8:30am to 5:30pm
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Dry Recycling



✓ YES PLEASE

Glass bottles and jars	Food tins, drink cans and aerosols	Paper and cardboard
All plastic bottles	Food and drink cartons (Tetrapaks)	Plastic containers and food trays

✗ NO THANKS

If in doubt, leave it out

- ✗ Textiles
- ✗ Wood
- ✗ Electrical items
- ✗ Food Waste
- ✗ Polystyrene
- ✗ Black sacks
- ✗ Plastic wrapping, film and crisp packets
- ✗ Nappies



Please don't use black sacks for recycling.

Food Waste



✓ YES PLEASE

Meat, fish and bones	Eggs and dairy products	Bread, pasta and rice
Fruit and vegetables	Tea bags and coffee grounds	Plate scrapings

Disposing of your Food Waste:

Step 1
Line your kitchen caddy with a compostable bag.

Step 2
Place your Food Waste in the caddy.

Step 3
Once full, tie the compostable bag and then place it in the outdoor Food Waste bin.

Please only use compostable bags and not plastic bags to line your food waste caddy.

What happens when I run out of compostable bags?



When you run out of compostable bags, your estate may have an on-site supply where you can pick up more from, or if not you can collect them free of charge from any of the borough's libraries. Just bring along proof of your address.

- Alexandra Park Library, Alexandra Park Road, N22 7UJ
- Coombes Croft Library, High Road, N17 8AG
- Highgate Library, 1 Shepherd's Hill, N6 5QJ
- Hornsey Library, Haringey Park, N8 9JA
- Marcus Garvey Library, Tottenham Green Centre, 1 Philip Lane, N15 4JA
- Muswell Hill Library, Queen's Avenue, N10 3PE
- St Ann's Library, Cissbury Road, N15 5PU
- Stroud Green and Haringay Library, Quernmore Road, N4 4QR
- Wood Green Central Library, High Road, N22 6XD



What if my estate doesn't have a Food Waste collection service?

If you would like to recycle your Food Waste but your estate does not have a service, please **contact your Managing Agent** and ask them to contact Veolia using the details on the back page of this leaflet.