

IT'S EASY TO REDUCE, REUSE AND RECYCLE IN EALING

There are many other items that you may not want anymore – could you reuse or recycle them instead of throwing them away?



Clothes and shoes

If you have clothing, shoes or accessories you no longer want, these can be reused or recycled.

Good quality items can be donated to charity shops for resale or you can sell/give them away via online sites.

You can book a free collection from home with TR Aid (www.traid.org.uk) Other charities also provide this service.



Small electrical items

Anything with a plug, battery or cable can be recycled.

- take small electricals to Greenford Reuse and Recycling Centre
- put them in an e-waste recycling bank
- some retailers take back items, check online or ask in store if you buy something



Batteries

Hidden and loose batteries can cause fires if you throw them in your recycling or waste bin – so it's really important to recycle them properly. Most shops that sell batteries have a recycling point.

Visit www.recycleyourelectricals.org.uk to find your nearest collection point.



Large items

If you have any items of furniture or other large items that will not fit in your wheeled bin you can:

- offer working and good quality items on Freegle, or other local buying/selling/swapping groups
- take items to Greenford Reuse and Recycling Centre
- book a bulky waste collection from your home, charges apply. www.ealing.gov.uk/bulkywaste



YOUR COMMUNAL RUBBISH AND RECYCLING COLLECTION SERVICES



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RECYCLING

All your recyclable items can be mixed together in this bin. If the recycling bin contains the wrong items it will not be collected.

Empty and rinse all containers before putting them into the bin.

Remove film lids from plastic pots, tubs and trays and put them in the rubbish bin.

Do not use black sacks. Whilst we prefer items to be loose, you can keep your recycling in a clear bag and put the whole bag into the recycling bin.

Flatten your cardboard to make more space in your recycling bin. Any plastic packaging or polystyrene inserts will need to be put in your rubbish bin.



RUBBISH

Please only put household rubbish that cannot be recycled in this bin; the less you put in here the better.

The less that goes in here the better. To help reduce smells put your rubbish in bags.

Recycling your food waste will free up space in your rubbish bin, for more information visit www.ealing.gov.uk/foodwaste

Alternatively for tips on how to reduce your food waste visit www.lovefoodhatewaste.com



Yes please:

-  Cardboard and thin card
-  Paper, envelopes and junk mail
-  Newspapers and magazines
-  Plastic bottles, pots, tubs and trays
-  Metal tins and cans, aerosol cans and clean foil
-  Glass bottles and jars
-  Food and drink cartons

No thank you:

-  Garden and food waste
-  Carrier bags, black sacks and cling film
-  Crisp packets and sweet wrappers
-  Crockery, pyrex and glassware (vases and drinking glasses)
-  Polystyrene packaging
-  Nappies
-  Batteries and electrical items
-  Textiles

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-  Carrier bags and cling film
-  Crisp packets and sweet wrappers
-  Crockery, pyrex and glassware (vases and drinking glasses)
-  Polystyrene packaging
-  Nappies and sanitary products
-  Wipes and tissues
-  Pet litter / waste

No thank you:

-  Items that can be recycled in the recycling bin
-  Garden and food waste
-  Batteries and electrical items
-  Textiles
-  DIY/builders' waste

If your recycling or rubbish collection is missed, please report it to the council no later than 1pm the following day. To report a missed collection, go to www.ealing.gov.uk/report