## How to sort your waste





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## Together on waste

In Frederikssund Municipality, everyone has to sort several types of waste at home

Waste is not just waste. It contains valuable properties that can be used again if sorted correctly. Good sorting begins with you when you empty your milk carton, scrape your yoghurt containers clean or use the last remaining shampoo in the bottle before placing the empty packaging into the waste containers.

Frederikssund Municipality provides information about waste sorting so that everyone is able to do it correctly. We also make sure that all households have a practical opportunity to sort their waste and have it picked up by the waste collectors, who deliver your waste to the right places so that it can be given a new lease of life.

That's why we are together on waste!

This booklet explains how to sort your waste.







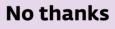
#### Plastic and Food & Beverage cartons

Scrape or pour the remaining contents out of bottles, cans and cartons



## Yes please

- Plastic lids
- Plastic bags
- Bubble wrap
- Plastic foils and films
- Plastic bottles and cans \*
- Plastic trays and jars
- Cartons from e.g. milk



- Crisp and coffee bags
   residual waste
- Packaging from medicine

   **pharmacy**
- Packaging from poison
   → environmental waste box
- Melamine
  - $\rightarrow$  residual waste





**Yes please** 

• Glass bottles

• Glass packaging

• Glass drinkware

• Glass spirit bottles

• Vitamin jars

• Spice jars

• Broken glass

• Jam jars



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- Porcelain
   recycling co
  - $\rightarrow$  recycling centre
- Ceramics

   *recycling centre*
- Chemical bottles

   → environmental waste box
- Window glass

   → recycling centre
- Mirrors
  - $\rightarrow$  recycling centre
- Ovenproof dishes
   → recycling centre
- Crystal glass

   *recycling centre*





**Yes please** 

• Newspapers

• Advertisements

• Printed matter

• Magazines

• Brochures

• Receipts

• Office paper

• Window envelopes

Paper



- Plastic covers and plastic wraps  $\rightarrow$  plastic
- Wet or dirty paper  $\rightarrow$  residual waste
- Cardboard packaging  $\rightarrow$  cardboard
- Gift wrap and ribbon  $\rightarrow$  residual waste
- Books •
  - $\rightarrow$  recycling centre
- Baking parchment, etc.  $\rightarrow$  residual waste
- Flour bags  $\rightarrow$  residual waste



## 🗐 Metal

Pots, scissors or metal tools with a little plastic or wood are welcome as

metal

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## Yes please

- Tins
- Beer and soft drink cans
- Capsules and lids
- Tealight holders
- Pots, pans and cutlery
- Nails and screws
- Mixer taps
- Tin foil and foil trays

- Gas cylinders

   → recycling centre
- Metal with electronics

   → environmental waste box
- Metal with paint
   → environmental waste box









**Yes please** 

• Cardboard boxes

• Corrugated cardboard

• Cardboard packaging

• Carton packaging

• Cardboard tubes

• Shoe boxes

• Cartons

• Egg trays

## Cardboard

Styrofoam and plastic must be removed from cardboard boxes before being discarded



- Pizza boxes
  - → residual waste
- Wet or dirty cardboard
   → residual waste
- Books
  - $\rightarrow$  recycling centre
- Styrofoam
   recycling centre
- Paper cups
- -> residual waste



## Hazardous waste

Yes please

- Paint residues
- Chemicals

- Light sources
- Poison and oil residues
- Spray cans
- Nail polish
- Small electronics
- Batteries

Place in the environmental waste box – larger items must be taken to the recycling centre

#### No thanks

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- Gas cylinders → recycling centre
- Needles → pharmacy
- Shards of glass → glass
- Old knives → metal
- Fired fireworks -> residual waste
- Medicine → pharmacy





Always use the green bags for food waste

### Yes please

- Fruit and vegetables
- Coffee filters and tea bags
- Eggshells
- Meat and cold cuts leftovers
- Fish and shellfish
- Bread, biscuits and cakes
- Rice and pasta
- Dairy products



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- Animal bedding
  - $\rightarrow$  residual waste
- Plants and soil
  - $\rightarrow$  garden waste
- Napkins
  - ightarrow residual waste
- Baking parchment, etc.
  - $\rightarrow$  residual waste





Residual waste is what is left after you have sorted your waste out for recycling

### Yes please

- Pizza boxes
- Crisp bags and coffee bags
- Gift wrap
- Napkins
- Nappies and sanitary towels
- Cotton buds
- Hoover bags
- Cat litter and animal litter

#### No thanks

- Batteries
  - $\rightarrow$  environmental waste box

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- Electronics
  - $\rightarrow$  recycling centre
- Chemicals
  - → environmental waste box
- Light bulbs
  - $\rightarrow$  environmental waste box
- Stones and soil
  - $\rightarrow$  recycling centre

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## Unsure about how to sort your waste?

If you are unsure about how to sort your waste, you can download the Perfect Waste app. Open it on your mobile and just scan the barcode on your waste – it will tell you how to sort it.

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