



Don't Waste Your Food Waste!



**You can recycle your
food waste every week**

www.haringey.gov.uk

 **recycle** for London



Haringey Council



Why recycle food waste?

Disposing of food waste through landfill or incineration produces methane and carbon dioxide, which are major contributors to climate change. It is also becoming more and more expensive to dispose of food waste in this way.

Recycling your food waste helps to protect the environment, and also produces compost that can be used on Haringey's parks.

How do I recycle my food waste?

Recycling food waste is easy.

The council provides two containers for you to use:



- The small black caddy is for use in the kitchen.
- Scrape your food scraps into this box rather than your normal bin.



- The larger box is for outside use, and has a lockable lid to keep it shut.
- Empty your caddy into this box so that it can be collected for recycling.



- All of your recycling is collected at the same time, so put the outdoor container next to your green recycling box by your front gate.

You can use approved compostable liners in your food waste box – please see page 4 and 5 for more information.

Any questions?

If you need any further information about recycling your food waste, or if you then please use one of the following:

Web: www.haringey.gov.uk/recycling | Tel: 020 8885 7700 | Email: har



What food waste can I recycle?

Almost all types of food waste can be collected for recycling:



**Meat and fish
(no bones please)**



Tea bags



**Fruit and vegetable
peelings**



**Cooked and
uncooked food**



Egg shells



Mouldy food

You need to order new or replacement food waste containers free of charge,

ingey.enterprise@enterprise.plc.uk



Compostable Liners

Compostable liners are special bags made from cornstarch and other natural materials. They will break down at the local composting facility where your food waste is recycled, so you can use them on the food waste recycling service.

Compostable liners can be purchased at a number of local shops and supermarkets. For more information visit www.haringey.gov.uk/liners

How do I use compostable liners?

Using compostable liners makes recycling food waste cleaner and easier.



Put a compostable liner in your black caddy, and use it to collect your kitchen scraps.



When the liner is full, tie it up and remove it from the caddy.



Place the lined bag in your outdoor food waste bin, close and lid.

Please note that you do not have to use compostable liners to recycle your food waste into the containers if you wish. However, please do not use any normal plastic bags as you will not be able to empty your food waste boxes.



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ox, then
lock the lid.

Put the food waste
box out with the rest
of your recycling ready
for collection.



**You can use
any liners
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**Please do
not use any
other types of
liners as they
may not be
collected.**

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How is the food waste collected?

All of your recycling, including your food waste, is collected by a single vehicle, which has two separate compartments:

This side is for paper, cardboard, plastic bottles, tins/cans and glass bottles/jars



This side is for the food waste and garden waste

What happens to the food waste?

The food and garden waste is delivered to a local composting facility.



Over a period of several weeks it breaks down into a compost which can then be brought back to the borough to use on our parks.





Love Food Hate Waste

You can recycle your food waste every week, but it is much better to avoid throwing food away at all.

A third of all food bought in the UK gets thrown away, wasting money as well as wasting food.

The average family could save up to £610 a year by reducing food wastage.

Producing, packaging, transporting and storing food takes a lot of energy and water, so if the food gets thrown away then all of this energy and water will have been wasted as well.

The amount of food we throw away is a major contributor to the production of greenhouse gases in the UK.

You can easily reduce the amount of food you throw away by:

- Making portions the right size
- Storing food correctly to keep it fresh
- Using leftovers in other dishes, or taking them to work for lunch
- Avoiding 'buy one get one free' offers if you will not be able to use the food before it goes off
- Interpreting 'best before' and 'use by' dates correctly

For more information about reducing food waste, including storage tips and recipe ideas, visit www.lovefoodhatewaste.com or call the Love Food Hate Waste Campaign Helpline on **0808 100 2040**.



Shqip

Mos i gjuani mbeturinat ushqimore, i ricikloni ato çdo javë. Futini mbeturinat ushqimore në koshin e vogël të zi në kuzhinën tuaj, dhe kur të mbushet zbrazeni ne koshin më të madh të gjelbër që është jashtë. Ju mund të përdorni qeska të kalbshme në koshin e zi nëse ato kanë logon që tregohet në këtë fletushkë.

Polski

Nie wyrzucaj odpadów żywnościowych, oddawaj je co tydzień do recyklingu. Wkładaj resztki jedzenia do małego, czarnego pojemnika w kuchni, a gdy jest pełny, opróżniaj go do większego, zielonego, znajdującego się na zewnątrz. Można używać kompostowalnych worków do czarnego pojemnika, pod warunkiem, że oznaczone są takim samym logo, jak to na ulotce.

Français

Ne jetez pas vos déchets alimentaires, recyclez-les chaque semaine. Placez les déchets alimentaires dans la petite boîte noire dans votre cuisine, et videz-la dans la grande boîte verte lorsqu'elle est pleine. Vous pouvez utiliser les sacs biodégradables dans votre boîte noire si elle porte le logo illustré dans ce feuillet.

Soomaali

Ha tuurin qashinka cuntada ah, dibu wershadayn ku samee wiig kasta, qashinka cuntada ah ku rid sanduuqa yar ee madaw ee madbakhaaga yaal, oo markuu buuxsamo kaga wareeji tenegga wayn ee cagaaran ee dibedda yaal. Waxaad isticmaali kartaa waxaad sanduuqaaga madaw ku isticmaali kartaa kiishashka dhalan rogma haddii ay ku taallo calaamadda warqaddan ku qorani.

Kurdi Kurmanci

Bermayên xwarinên xwe navêjin, her hefte wan vezîvirînin (recycle). Bermayên xwarinê têxin qutîka piçûk a reş li metbexê û dema ku tije bibe, wê li qutîka mezintir a kesk li derve vala bikin. Heke logoya ku fi vê belavokê de tê raberkirin li ser hebe, hun dikanin kîsikên kompostbar bikar bînin.

Türkçe

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