

# HOW TO SORT YOUR HOUSEHOLD WASTE



## FOOD WASTE

Peelings and leftovers from vegetables and fruits. Leftovers from meat, fish and shellfish. Dead flowers, eggshells, candy, coffee grinds and teabags.

Use the paper bag intended for food waste.



## PAPER PACKAGING

Milk and cream cartons, cereal boxes, egg cartons, laundry detergent packages, gift wrapping paper and paper bags.

Separate plastic lids from the carton but the plastic ring can be left.



## PLASTIC PACKAGING

Ketchup bottles, ice cream containers, shampoo and conditioner bottles, plastic crisps and sweets bags, plastic lids, toothpaste tubes, plastic bags and styrofoam packaging.

Empty the packaging and flatten it, that way it takes up less space!



## NEWSPAPERS

Newspapers, magazines, catalogues, leaflets, brochures, writing paper and paperback books.

Spiral bindings and staples will be separated in the recycling process and can be left.



## COLOURED GLASS PACKAGING

Coloured glass bottles and jars/containers. The container should be empty. Sort lids and caps according to their material. Let the ring stay.

Only coloured glass packaging, do not place any other glass product in here.



## CLEAR GLASS PACKAGING

Clear glass bottles and jars/containers. The container should be empty. Sort lids and caps according to their material. Let the ring stay.

Only clear glass packaging, do not place any other glass product in here.



## METAL PACKAGING

Metal lids and caps. Aluminium foil, tin cans/metal food containers and metal tubes. The packaging should be empty. Spray cans must be completely empty.

Only metal packaging, do not place any other metal item in here.



## RESIDUAL WASTE

Diapers, sanitary towels and tampons. Cat litter, vacuum cleaner bags, dish cloths and envelopes. Old shoes, small quantities of potting soil and post-it notes.

Not sure about the sorting? Ask our sorting guide!



## ELECTRONICS

Small electronic waste such as light bulbs, batteries and chargers is either left at the recycling center, in your waste disposal room or electronics box (FNI).

Electronic waste such as speakers, microwaves and appliances must be left at the recycling center.

## TAKE THIS TO THE RECYCLING CENTER



## HAZARDOUS WASTE

Paint, nail polish, detergent and pressure treated wood. Leave hazardous waste to the recycling center.

Medicines and injection needles must be taken to the drug store.



## BULKY WASTE

Cushions, pallets, padded furnitures, flower pots. Appliances, plaster and mattresses. Leave bulky waste to the recycling center.

Is it whole and working? Take it to Ge och Ta at the recycling center!

**Recycling stations**  
From January 2024 SÅM is responsible for the recycling stations in our municipals. To find your closest recycling station please visit [samiljo.se](http://samiljo.se)

**Recycling centers**  
For information about the recycling centers and their opening hours, please visit [samiljo.se](http://samiljo.se).

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