

# COLLECTION DAYS ARE CHANGING FROM 23 JULY

SCAN TO  
FIND OUT  
MORE



## Your new recycling calendar 2024-25

Please follow the dates below and recycle your old calendar in your pink sack

### THURSDAY ROUTE 7

#### JULY 2024

New service starts 25

#### AUGUST 2024

1 8 15 22 29

#### SEPTEMBER 2024

5 12 19 26

#### OCTOBER 2024

3 10 17 24 31

#### NOVEMBER 2024

7 14 21 28

#### DECEMBER 2024

5 12 19 28  
SAT

#### JANUARY 2025

3 9 16 23 30  
FRI

#### FEBRUARY 2025

6 13 20 27

#### MARCH 2025

6 13 20 27

#### APRIL 2025


3 10 17 24


#### MAY 2025

1 8 15 22 29

#### JUNE 2025

5 12 19 26

 Pink Sacks, Blue Box, Food Waste and  
\*Garden Waste (*subscription required*)

 Refuse, Food Waste and  
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 Pink Sacks, Blue Box and Food Waste  
**NO GARDEN WASTE**

 Refuse, Food Waste - **NO GARDEN  
WASTE AS SUSPENDED TO ASSIST  
WITH CHRISTMAS CATCH UP**



LEAVE OUT FOR  
COLLECTION  
BY 7AM



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# GREY WHEELED BIN

## FOR HOUSEHOLD WASTE

(That cannot be recycled or composted)



Polystyrene



Nappies, pads,  
used tissues & wipes



Hard plastics



Wallpaper



Pet waste and  
bedding

**NO THANKS:** Vapes,  
batteries, asbestos, builders'  
waste, soil/turf, commercial  
waste, electrical items, food  
waste, glass bottles and jars



We don't collect  
extra bags of waste  
and all waste must  
be contained in the  
bin with the lid shut.  
Keep your waste  
to a minimum by  
recycling everything  
you can.

Did you  
know

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know

# FOOD WASTE BIN

## FOR FOOD WASTE ONLY (WEEKLY COLLECTION)



Meat, fish & bones  
(raw & cooked)



Coffee  
grounds



Egg shells



Tea bags



Fruit & veg  
peelings



Mouldy food



Pet food

**NO  
PACKAGING OF  
ANY KIND**

**NO THANKS:** Liquids, oil, packaging, pet bedding

The average  
family in the UK  
wastes £720 worth  
of food every year  
– that's around £60  
per month.

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# PINK RECYCLING SACKS



**FOR RECYCLING ONLY** (Clean, dry and securely tied)

**LIDS  
INSIDE**



Food tins  
& cans



Foil & foil  
trays



Empty aerosols  
(LEAVE LIDS ON)



Paper, card  
& junk mail



Greeting cards  
& wrapping  
paper

**NO  
GLITTER**



Food and  
drinks cartons



Plastic tubs,  
trays & pots



Plastic  
bottles  
(LEAVE LIDS ON)

Where possible  
present cardboard  
inside your pink sack  
to keep it dry. Small  
amounts of empty  
cardboard boxes  
will be collected if  
they are all flattened  
and presented beside  
your pink sacks.

**NO THANKS:** Nappies, vapes, batteries, food, glass, wet wipes, hard plastic, polystyrene, food bags and wrapping, wallpaper, takeaway cups, clothes, tissues, kitchen roll, PPE (disposable gloves, face masks)



# RECYCLING BOX FOR GLASS

**FOR GLASS BOTTLES AND JARS**



Glass bottles



Glass Jars (no  
food residue)



**PLEASE  
DO NOT  
OVERFILL**



**Did you  
know**

**NO THANKS:** Drinking glasses, picture or window glass, mirrors, lightbulbs and fluorescent tubes, pyrex or ceramics, glass candles



Glass can be melted  
down to make new  
glass products over  
and over again – it is  
100% and endlessly  
recyclable

# GREEN WHEELED BIN (Subscription required)



## FOR GARDEN WASTE ONLY



Tree branches  
(small)



Grass



Leaves



Flowers  
& weeds

**NO THANKS:** Food, pet bedding, plastic bags, turf, soil, invasive weeds, packaging of any kind

Interested in joining our popular garden waste service? Visit [maldon.gov.uk/garden](http://maldon.gov.uk/garden) for further information and to apply.

Your garden waste is made into compost. This is known as 'closing the recycling loop', as it creates a new product.

## Batteries and vapes

Batteries are used in our everyday life providing a convenient power source for many of our devices. Please dispose of your batteries and vapes responsibly. Never put them in your general refuse or recycling as during normal waste processing they may become damaged which could cause them to ignite.

For more information on how to safely dispose of your batteries and vapes visit [www.recycleyourelectricals.org.uk](http://www.recycleyourelectricals.org.uk)



## Other services

### Not sure what to do with bulky waste & electrical items?

Find out more about our bulky waste collection service at [www.maldon.gov.uk/waste](http://www.maldon.gov.uk/waste)



### Did you know that we offer a kerbside textile collection service?

Textiles are collected fortnightly in blue sacks on the same day as your recycling. For more information and to order more blue sacks visit [www.essextextiles.co.uk](http://www.essextextiles.co.uk)

To find out how to recycle more, such as pringle tubes, batteries, plastic bags, coffee cups and more, visit [www.recycle-more.co.uk](http://www.recycle-more.co.uk)

For more information on your recycling & refuse collections go to [www.maldon.gov.uk/waste](http://www.maldon.gov.uk/waste)



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