



Curbside Recycling Guide

WHAT CAN I RECYCLE AT THE CURB?

ACCEPTED

✓ YES

PUT THESE ITEMS INTO YOUR CURBSIDE RECYCLING CART (no sorting required)

HARD PLASTICS & CONTAINERS



TIN & ALUMINUM



PAPER



CARDBOARD



Empty & rinse containers
Toss loose into your cart - DO NOT BAG
Flatten cardboard boxes

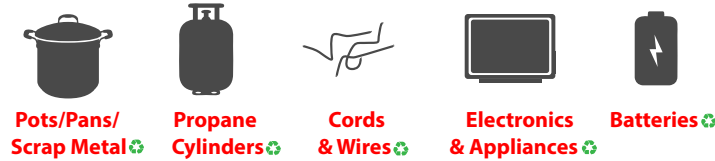
X NO

DO NOT PUT THESE ITEMS INTO YOUR CURBSIDE RECYCLING CART
Items with ♻️ - Recycling Depot
Everything Else - Black Garbage Cart

PLASTICS



METAL



PAPER



FABRIC



ORGANICS



CONSTRUCTION



GLASS



STYROFOAM



Questions?

250-782-2020 | dawsoncreek.ca/recycle
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Look up what goes where!

Use the Waste Wizard on your Dawson Creek City App
or online at dawsoncreek.ca/recycle



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PAPER		
ACCEPTED	HOW TO RECYCLE	NOT ACCEPTED
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Newspapers ✓ Flyers & inserts ✓ Boxboard (e.g. pop boxes, cereal boxes) ✓ Junk mail ✓ Paper bags ✓ Molded kraft (e.g. take-out cup trays) ✓ Paper egg cartons ✓ Paper rolls ✓ Writing paper & envelopes ✓ Catalogues 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remove plastic liners/covers • Remove any food residue • Flatten boxes • Place loose into your Curbside Recycling Bin 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Wrapping paper ✗ Ribbons or bows ✗ Musical greeting cards with batteries ✗ Padded envelopes (plastic lined) ✗ Hardcover books ✗ Paper towels, napkins, tissues ✗ Photo paper & laminated paper ✗ Paper plates ✗ Shredded Paper ✗ Soft Cover Books

CONTAINERS		
ACCEPTED	HOW TO RECYCLE	NOT ACCEPTED
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Food, beverage and household plastic containers ✓ Plastic containers, bottles, jars, jugs, trays & caps ✓ Plastic tubs & lids (margarine, spreads, dairy products) ✓ Clamshells ✓ Rigid packaging ✓ Drink cups & lids ✓ Plastic garden pots & trays (must be empty & washed - no dirt) ✓ Beverage containers ✓ Gable top cartons (milk & juice cartons) ✓ TetraPak food containers & cartons ✓ Caps & lids ✓ Spiral wound paper cans & lids (frozen juice, potato chips, coffee) ✓ Tin cans ✓ Aluminum cans ✓ Aluminum foil & foil containers (clean) ✓ Empty aerosol cans (food & personal hygiene items only) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remove food residue • Remove caps or lids; place loose into your Curbside Recycling Bin • Empty and rinse containers • Place loose into your Curbside Recycling Bin <p><i>Note:</i> Flatten containers where possible</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Plastic bags & overwrap* ✗ Styrofoam packaging & trays* ✗ Glass* ✗ Aerosol cans with hazardous material ✗ Crinkly bags (e.g. chip bags, dog food bags) ✗ Containers for motor oil & lubricants ✗ Garden hoses & rubber items ✗ Kids toys & sports equipment ✗ Diapers & wipes ✗ Padded envelopes (Amazon envelopes) ✗ Propane tanks* ✗ Grass, leaves and yard waste ✗ Electronics & small appliances* ✗ Plastic strapping & banding ✗ Clothing, bed sheets & pillows ✗ Rubber gloves & zipties ✗ Plastic blister packs ✗ Pieces of scrap metal* ✗ Containers that contained hazardous, corrosive or flammable waste ✗ Candy & granola bar wrappers ✗ Industrial plastics* ✗ Batteries* ✗ Eyeglasses* ✗ Dog waste, kitty litter & bedding ✗ Plastics that are not containers, (e.g toys, plastic cutlery, plastic hangers) ✗ CDs/DVDs/VHS tapes* ✗ Metal clothes hangers* ✗ Pots & pans* ✗ Toothbrushes ✗ Pails <p>* Take to your local Recycling Depot</p>

CARDBOARD		
ACCEPTED	HOW TO RECYCLE	NOT ACCEPTED
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Corrugated cardboard boxes (for shipping, grocery, liquor store, moving boxes) ✓ Carrier trays (for bulk bottled water, cans, food, etc) ✓ Pizza boxes (clean) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Remove any plastic, foam & metal • Flatten boxes • Place loose into your Curbside Recycling Bin 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✗ Wax-coated cardboard ✗ Foil-lined cardboard ✗ Food or liquid soaked cardboard