

Single Stream Recycling Guide

NEWSPAPER:

INCLUDES

- all dry/clean newspapers
- inserts can be included
- all dry/clean magazines
- includes weekly mailers and catalogs

DO NOT INCLUDE

- anything soiled by food/chemicals
- telephone books

FLATTENED CARDBOARD:

INCLUDES

- all dry/clean cardboard
- all flattened boxes
- moving, shipping, or packaging boxes
- partial, non-contaminated pizza boxes

DO NOT INCLUDE

- anything soiled by food (ie: pizza boxes, anything with grease or food remnants)
- used paper plates, paper towels, or paper napkins

WHITE/COLORED PAPER

INCLUDES

- all office paper
- any letters, envelopes, mailers, flyers, brochures
- post-its, receipts, file folders, paper bags, and packing paper
- staples, paperclips, plastic windows, and tape are okay

DO NOT INCLUDE

- anything soiled with food
- books
- paper towels, paper napkins, paper plates

METAL/ALUMINUM

INCLUDES

- dry, clean cans or metal containers
- labels and lids okay
- empty soda/juice cans, soup cans, food tins, and aerosol containers

DO NOT INCLUDE

- scrap metal
- batteries or lightbulbs (can be recycled in BCC Techno Trash)
- paint cans or anything soiled with food

FOOD BOXES (Paperboard/Boxboard)

INCLUDES

- dry, clean non-corrugated cardboard
- cereal, cracker, pasta, shoe, gift, or other food boxes
- beverage packaging (flattened)
- paper tubes (from toilet paper or paper towels)

DO NOT INCLUDE

- anything contaminated with food (ie: grease on pizza box)

ALL GLASS

INCLUDES

- clean glass jars and bottles
- includes sauce jars, jelly jars, mason jars, and beverage bottles

DO NOT INCLUDE

- light bulbs (can be recycled in BCC Techno Trash bins)
- drinking glasses or dishware
- mirrors, tiles, or ceramics

EMPTY CARTONS

INCLUDES

- clean, flattened milk and juice containers
- includes individual juice boxes, soy milk cartons, creamer, and egg nog

DO NOT INCLUDE

- remove caps and straws
- containers must be empty of food and liquid

ALL EMPTY PLASTIC #1-7

INCLUDES

- look for a numbered recycling arrow, usually on bottom of container
- must be clean
- labels okay
- examples include empty water, juice, and soda bottles, milk and juice jugs, detergent bottles, yogurt, hummus, cream cheese, and take-out containers

DO NOT INCLUDE

- plastic bags (including trash bags or smaller bags used as can liners)
- Styrofoam (regardless of number labeling)
- anything with food or liquid residue
- hazardous chemicals
- plastic flower pots