

# Know What to Throw

Reduce contamination by ensuring items are  
**EMPTY, CLEAN, DRY and LOOSE.**

## Cardboard, Newspaper and Magazines



### Paper



### Cartons



### Glass



### Aluminum/Metal



### Hard Plastic



## NEVER Place These Items in the Recycling Dumpster



**Bagged  
Recyclables**



**Electronics and  
Batteries**

### Take Another Look at Plastics

Can you poke your finger through it, or does it lose its shape? Is it smaller than a credit card? Then it can't be recycled. Help us to prevent ineligible items from getting tangled in our sorting machines.



**Plastic film:** Items like cling wrap, plastic bread bags or salad bags aren't recyclable.



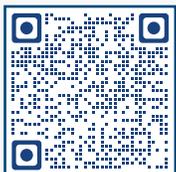
**Plastic bags:** Please don't place plastic bags in your recycle cart. Check with your local grocery store for plastic bag recycling receptacles.



**No loose lids:** Make sure all lids are on your recyclables. They can jam the sorting machine if they are loose.



**Shipping packaging:** Items like bubble wrap and plastic padded mailers aren't recyclable in your blue dumpster.



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