

Your bin collection day is:

T U E S D A Y

Green week

Recycling
Food waste
Garden waste



Grey week

Rubbish
Food waste



Visit our website or contact us to:

- **Sign up** for garden waste collections (chargeable service)
- **Report** a missed collection (within two working days)
- **Request** a food waste caddy
- **Replace** a damaged or broken bin
- **Ask a question** about recycling



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WEST OXFORDSHIRE
DISTRICT COUNCIL

Waste & recycling calendar

2025/26

Green week

Tuesday 16 September

Tuesday 30 September

Tuesday 14 October

Tuesday 28 October

Tuesday 11 November

Tuesday 25 November

Tuesday 9 December

Tuesday 23 December

Wednesday 7 January
(No garden waste)

Tuesday 20 January

Tuesday 3 February

Tuesday 17 February

Tuesday 3 March

Tuesday 17 March

Tuesday 31 March

Grey week

Tuesday 23 September

Tuesday 7 October

Tuesday 21 October

Tuesday 4 November

Tuesday 18 November

Tuesday 2 December

Tuesday 16 December

Wednesday 31 December

Tuesday 13 January

Tuesday 27 January

Tuesday 10 February

Tuesday 24 February

Tuesday 10 March

Tuesday 24 March



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 **West Oxfordshire recycles**

80% of your household waste can be recycled

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| Dry recycling |  | Newspapers, magazines, plain paper, envelopes, grey card, cardboard, tins, cans, empty aerosols, clean foil, cartons, plastic bottles, plastic pots, tubs and trays (see list below). Household batteries should be put in an envelope and left on top of the bin |  | Items must be loose in the bin (no bags) |
| Textiles |  | Clothes, shoes, blankets, towels, curtains. Textiles must be put in a tied carrier bag and left beside your recycling bin |  | No rugs, pillows, duvets or carpets (householder provides bag) |
| Glass |  | Glass bottles and jars |  | Put metal lids in your recycling bin |
| Small electricals + electronics |  | Such as kettles, toasters, mobile phones, cameras, lamps, children's toys, laptops, power tools, electric razors, fairy lights. Keep separate from your glass in the box |  | No TV screens or monitors |
| Food waste |  | Raw and cooked food, meat, fish, bones, shells, tea bags, coffee grounds, dairy, hard fats, small amounts of oil, stale pet food, plate scrapings (packaging must be removed) |  | Line your caddy with plastic bags, compostable liners, newspaper or put in loose |
| Garden waste |  | Leaves, lawn cuttings, hedge prunings, windfall fruit, non-invasive weeds, hay/straw bedding from vegetarian pets (i.e. rabbits, guinea pigs) |  | Charged for service |
| Rubbish |  | Cellophane, nappies, crisp packets, pet food pouches, plastic bags, hard plastic (such as plant pots), bubble wrap |  | All non-recyclable items in this bin |

Not all plastics can be recycled. Please check what can be accepted using this guide.

Putting the wrong items in your recycling bin can contaminate lorry loads of recycling.

Yes please

Put these in your blue-lidded recycling bin:

- ✓ **Plastic bottles:** any colour drinks bottles, milk bottles, shampoo, shower gel, empty bleach bottles and ketchup bottles.
- ✓ **Plastic pots:** yoghurt pots, medicine pots.
- ✓ **Plastic tubs and punnets:** ice cream and margarine tubs, fruit/vegetable punnets.
- ✓ **Plastic food trays:** meat, ready meals, biscuit trays (remove film and put in your general rubbish bin).

No thank you

These must go in your grey rubbish bin:

- ✗ **Plastic bags:** Carrier bags, fruit/vegetable packaging.
- ✗ **Bubble wrap and plastic film:** cling film, cellophane.
- ✗ **Crisp packets, sweet and chocolate wrappers**
- ✗ **Baby, cat and dog food pouches**

More ways to stay in touch

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