Recycling Right Guide — Know What to Throw & Where

Residential Tips for Collection Day:

- Make sure the wheels on the bins point towards the curb/house
- Keep lids closed (No overflowing bins)
- Stay at least 30ft away from collection trucks

Don't put out recycling bin if:

- It's not at least 1/2 full
- Winds are above 40 mph
- It's below 20 degrees outside

Keep bins 3ft apart from each other

Keep bins 5ft away from vehicles

For bin repairs or replacement or for more information, call 3-1-1

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	Blue Recycling Bins (Not bagged)	Grey Garbage Bin (Bagged)	Citizen Collection Stations (CCS)	Landfill	Landfill Public Drop Off (PDA)	Charity/Thrift Stores
Aerosol Cans (Cleaners/Air Fresheners/Spray Paint) - Usable			X			
Aerosol Cans (Cleaners/Air Fresheners/Spray Paint) - Empty		X				
Aluminum (NO FOOD/NO LIQUID)	X		X		X	
Anti-Freeze			X		X	
Appliances			X		X	
Auto Batteries - Residential Only			X		X	
Batteries			X	X		
Books - Paperback & Hardback (Not Reusable)	X		X		X	
Books - Paperback & Hardback (Reusable)						X
Bubble Wrap	X		X		X	
Cardboard (Flattened)	X		X		X	
Carpets & Carpet Pads				X		
Charcoal Lighter			X			
Cleaning Fluids			X			
Clothing/Shoes (Not Reusable)		X	X	X		
Clothing/Shoes (Reusable)						X
Construction Material				X		
Cooking Oil (Used)			X			
Degreasers			X			
Deli Trays (NO FOOD/NO LIQUID)	X		X		X	
Diapers		X	X	X		
Drain Cleaners			X			
Electronics			X		X	
Fluorescent Light Bulbs			X			
Food & Food Contaminated Products		X	X	X		
Frozen food boxes	X		X		X	
Furniture (Not Reusable)			X	X		
Furniture (Reusable)						X
Furniture Polish			X			
Glass		X	X	X		
Magazines, catalogs, & phone books	X		X		X	
Oil & Filters (Used) - Residential Only			X		X	
Paint			X			
Paper bags	X		X		X	
Paper Towels/Napkins/Facial Tissue		X	X	X		
Pesticides & Other Household Chemicals			X			
Plastic Cleaning Bottles (Emptied)	X		X		X	
Plastic Laundry Baskets, Lawn Furniture	X		X		X	
Pool Chemicals			X			
Pool Tarps/Covers		X	X	X		
Pots & Pans (No Wood/Plastic/Rubber Attachments.)	X		X		X	
Rust Removers			X			
Scrap Metal (Clean)	X		X		X	
Shampoo & Conditioner Bottles (Emptied)	X		X		X	
Shredded Paper (Tied in Clear Plastic Bags)	X		X		X	
Shrink wrap	X		X		X	
Solvents			X			
Styrofoam Cups/Plates/Packing Foam & Peanuts (Bagged)		X	X	X		
Syringes (Place in metal or plastic with screw on lid)		X	X			
Tin (NO FOOD/NO LIQUID)	X		X		X	
Tires (Limit 8 Tires Per Year)*			X		X	
Wood		X	X		X	
Yard Waste (BAGGED)		X				
Yard Waste (NOT BAGGED)**			X		X	

Legend:

In the blue recycling bins

Reusable (Donate to favorite Charity or Thrift

Citizen Collection Stations (CCS) Locations:

Northeast:

4501 Hondo Pass

Central:

2492 Harrison

Mission Valley:

1034 Pendale

Westside:

121 Atlantic
(at Doniphan)

Landfill:

2300 Darrington Rd.
Clint, TX 79928

*Tires – No Limit at Landfill (Fees applied)

**Yard Waste - Un-bagged brush only (Fees applied)

Recycling Tip:

Place recycling bin directly next to your trash bin for a 50/50 shot of recycling right!

Got Glass?

Recycle your glass at your nearest Target Store