# 2-BIN SORTING GUIDE



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- Chip packets
- Cigarette butts
- Clothing
- Crockery / cutlery
- Food scraps
- Grass & garden clippings
- Hygiene products
- Kitty litter crystals
- Nappies

- Plastic bags
- Plastic film
- Plastic packets
- Plastic wrappers
- Shopping bags
- Styrofoam
- Tissues / paper towel
- Weeds
- Wrappers

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- Aerosol cans
- Aluminium cans
- Bottles and jars
- Cardboard
- Envelopes
- Glass bottles
- Junk mail
- Magazines
- Newspapers
- Paper

- Plastic bottles
- Plastic containers
- Plastic tubs
- Softdrink cans
- Steel cans
- Take-away containers
- Tetrapaks & long life containers
- Tin cans
- Toilet roll inners
- Wrapping paper

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### OTHER ITEMS

- Furniture & old household items Donate, sell or book a kerbside clean-up collection
- Bulky cardboard Take to a cardboard recycler, cut up into smaller pieces or book a clean-up
- Community sharps Cannot be disposed of in bins. Take to sharp disposal bin locations.
- Electronic waste Attend our free electronic drop-off days (held twice a year)
- Chemicals, car batteries, paints Attend our free chemical clean-out day (held once a year)

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#### Match the colour coding to know what bin to put it in

- Aerosol cans (Empty)
- Aluminum cans
- Aluminum foil and trays
- Bandaids / Dressings
- **Batteries**
- **Bones**
- **Books**
- Bread bags & tags
- Bricks & building materials
- Car batteries
- Cardboard/Paper cartons
- Cards (Greetings)
- Cassette tapes/CDs/DVDs
- Cellophane
- Ceramics
- Cereal & Biscuit Boxes
- Chip packets
- Christmas Trees (Plastic)
- Cigarette butts / Cigarettes / Cigars
- Cling Wrap
- Clothing (Suitable for reuse)
- Clothing (Unsuitable for reuse)
- Coffee Cups
- Computer paper
- Cooking oil / Fats
- ★9 Corks
- Crockery
- Cutlery (Metal / Disposable / Plastic)
- Disposable Nappies
- Drink cans / Bottles
- Egg cartons
- Electronic waste (TVs, radios, etc.)
- Envelopes (including window faced)
- Fish

- Flowers Fake
- Flowers Real
- Fluorescent Light Globes
- Food Cans (Steel & Aluminium)
- Food Leftovers/Scraps
- Fruit & Vegetable Scraps
- Garden Clippings
- Garden Hose
- Gas bottles / LPG cylinders
- Glass bottles & Jars
- Glass plates / decorative items
- Glasses (Drinking & Eyesight)
- Grass cuttings
- Hygiene products
- Ice cream containers
- Junk mail
- Leaves
- Light bulbs
- Pump bottles (eg. Soap Dispenser)
- Long life cartons (eg. Long life milk)
- Magazines
- Margarine tubs
- Meat trays (polystyrene foam type)
- Milk bottles/cartons
- Mirrors
- Mobile phones & Accessories
- Napkins (paper)
- Newspaper
- Office Paper
- Oil (Cooking)
- Oil (Motor)
- Oil containers (Empty & clean)
- Paper
- Paper bags

- Paper plates
- \* Paper towel
- \* Pens / Pencils / Crayons
- Pet food tins
- Phone books
- Pizza boxes
- Plant cuttings
- Plastic bags
- Plastic wrap
- Plastic bottles, tubs & jars
- \* Polystyrene cups
- Polystyrene packaging
- Poppers / Tetrapaks
- ★<sup>5</sup> Printer & Toner cartridges
- \* Pyrex / ovenproof glass
- \* Reusable supermarket bags
- Shampoo & Conditioner bottles
- Shredded paper
- Straws
- \*4 Syringes & Lancets
- Take-away containers
- \* Tea bags & Tea leaves
- Timber (Untreated / Unpainted <10cm in diameter)
- Tissue boxes
- **Tissues**
- Toilet roll / Paper towel tubes
- Toys (Broken)
- \*3 Toys (Still in good condition)
- \* Twigs / Sticks (<10cm in diameter)
- Waxed paper / Cardboard
- Weeds
- Wine / Beer bottles
- Wrapping paper
- Yogurt & Dip containers





- \* Recycling bin
- \* Garbage bin
- \* Other (see list)

#### Other

- On-call kerbside clean up collections

- Community sharps disposal bins Drop off at Australia Post outlets Supermarket plastic bag drop-off Return Unwanted Medicines Program
- Visit penrithcity.nsw.gov.au for info