

Solid Waste Disposal; Cardboard Recycling; Mixed Recyclables



Carteret County Public Schools

Garbage Dumpsters and Compactors



- These Dumpsters or Compactors are only for garbage.
- Garbage is anything not listed on the “Curbside Recycling” handout as acceptable items.
- Do NOT put anything in garbage dumpsters or compactors that are listed on the “Curbside Recycling” handout.
- If, as in the preceding photo, boxes (Whole, not broken down, flat), are placed in the garbage dumpsters then less garbage can be place in the box, creating a possible need for additional dumps.

Cardboard Recycling Dumpsters



- Only Cardboard Boxes, broken down (flat), can be dumped in these containers.
- Do NOT open the lid to throw whole boxes in the container.
- The more whole boxes dumped in these containers the less boxes it will hold possibly leading to extra dumps at an additional cost to the school system.





Mixed Recycle Carts or Dumpsters



- Mixed Recycle Carts or Dumpsters (Down East Schools Only, AES, HIES, & SES) allow as stated “Mixed Recyclables”, see “General Instructions” handout.
- Do NOT put whole boxes in recycle carts or dumpsters.
- Do NOT put regular garbage in recycle carts or dumpsters.
- Do NOT put Styrofoam containers or packaging , i.e., “foam peanuts” in recycle carts or dumpsters.
- Do NOT put foam packing in recycle carts or dumpsters.

Do NOT!







Carts need to be periodically washed out with hot water and soap. Environmental Health can and will take off points for school grade and/or cafeteria grade for this!

- Note: for the carts you can mix the recyclables. You do not have to use one cart for plastic, one for aluminum, one for paper.
- High Schools that take the carts to your sports fields or gymnasiums for use during ball games must notify the public that no food items can be placed in the carts. If your staff that work during these events see anyone dumping garbage in the carts have them ask the person or persons to use the garbage cans/barrels for that and only put recyclable materials in the carts.



Waste Industries

Welcomes You To
Curbside Recycling
"It's So Easy"

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

Please make every effort to **ONLY** place the items listed in your recycling bin or cart. This helps produce a quality recycling product. It also helps prevent the recycle process or from rejecting these high quality items due to mixing with unacceptable or unwanted items. We want all these quality items recycled and not rejected so please only place the listed material in your recycling bin or cart.

Please do not place items in plastic garbage bags, grocery bags or paper bags. We do not want your recycling confused with garbage and the bags reduce the quality of the recycling. Recycle the plastic and paper bags at your Grocery Store or use reusable grocery bags to reduce waste.

HOW TO USE YOUR BIN OR CART FOR RECYCLING

Deposit your glass and plastic bottles and jugs with the cans in the bottom of your bin or cart each day. Put your mixed paper items in your bin or cart each day. Stack your newspapers separate from your magazines and place these two stacks on top of the other items in your bin or cart on the day of your pick up. Place your bin or roll your cart to the street side before 7 AM on your day of pick up.

| MATERIAL ACCEPTED | WHAT TO RECYCLE | HOW TO RECYCLE | WHAT NOT TO RECYCLE |
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| GLASS BOTTLES AND JARS | All clear, brown and green glass beverage and food bottles and jars | Remove lids and rinse bottle or jar clean. Paper labels can stay on. Place these in the bottom of the recycle bin or cart. | No drinking glasses, mirrors, light bulbs, window glass, dishes, cooking ware, pyrex glass, cookware, flower vases, etc |
| PLASTIC BOTTLES AND JUGS | # 1 or # 2 beverage bottles or jugs and any other clean rigid plastic bottles that have a neck smaller than the body and is closed with screw top, snap cap or other closure. | Remove lids and neck rings. Labels are OK. Rinse clean and place these in the bottom of the recycle bin or cart. | No plastic wrap, plastic grocery bags, motor oil or pesticide bottles, egg cartons or other plastics that are not a container. |
| ALUMINUM & STEEL CANS | All food cans and beverage cans | Rinse clean and place these in the bottom of the recycling bin or cart | No other metal, paint cans, aerosol cans, automotive product cans, aluminum foil, pie plates or other non-food cans. |
| NEWSPAPERS | All newspapers and advertising inserts | Bundle (do not bag or tie) Place on top of the glass, plastic and cans in the recycle bin or cart. | No Catalogs, telephone books, reading books or manuals. |
| MAGAZINES | Any magazine with slick, shiny pages, usually not over 1/4 of an inch thick | Bundle (do not bag or tie) and keep separate from newspapers. Place on top of the glass, plastic and cans either before or after the newspaper. | No Catalogs, telephone books, reading books or manuals. |
| MIXED PAPER | Office paper, computer paper, stationary, envelopes without plastic windows, junk mail, cereal boxes, detergent boxes and shoe boxes | Bundle (do not bag or tie). OK to place in with clean glass, plastics and cans. | No paper with glue, wax or oil. No catalogs, telephone books, reading books or manuals. No Cardboard. |

If you have any questions, please call;

Waste Industries
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Jacksonville (910) 455-0201

Extra Charges and Fees

- Fees for Extra Dumps:
- 6 CY Compactor \$135.00
- 8 CY compactor \$165.00
- 6 CY Dumpster \$47.00
- 8 CY Dumpster \$53.00

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