


Recycling and Rubbish

Collection Calendar 2020/21



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Tuesday collection

 **Rubbish**
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December	8	22			1	15	30*
January	6*	19			12	26	
February	2	16			9	23	
March	2	16	30		9	23	
April	13	27			6	20	
May	11	25			4	18	
June	8	22			1	15	29
July	6	20			13	27	
August	3	17	31		10	24	
September	14	28			7	21	
October	12	26			5	19	
November	9	23			2	16	30

Please be aware we collect bins on all bank holidays except Christmas and New Year. * indicates revised Christmas collection dates. Please note this could be different to your normal collection day.

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Collection Guidance

Timing and location

We collect your recycling bin one week and rubbish bin the next. Food waste is collected weekly by a separate vehicle to the recycling and rubbish. Bins should be clearly visible, identifiable and accessible by our crews. Make sure your bins are placed at the kerbside the night before or by 5am on your collection day. Please bring bins back onto your property after your collection.

Assisted collections

If you are unable to put your bin out and have nobody to help you, please contact us, we may be able to arrange an assisted collection.

Missed bins

If we missed your bin due to operational issues, we will return before the next collection. Please leave your bin out. Known issues are updated on the website. If you have forgotten to put your bin out for collection, we cannot return.

Extra waste

We do not take excess rubbish placed on, next to or overflowing from rubbish bins. Larger households, those with children in nappies or a medical condition generating extra waste can apply for extra capacity, if specific criteria is met.

Excess waste can be taken to Wilverley Road, Christchurch; Millhams, Bournemouth; or Nuffield, Poole Household Recycling Centres (HRC).

Recycle

Check that you are only putting items that can be recycled in your recycling bin. We cannot collect bins containing items we do not accept for recycling. Please do not put recycling in plastic bags. Items should be clean, dry and empty.

More guidance on waste and recycling collections can be found on the website

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