



# Waste & Recycling Calendar 2016-17

Week 2

December 2016						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
28	29	30	1	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	10	11
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
26	27	28	29	30	31	

January 2017						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
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February 2017						
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March 2017						
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April 2017						
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May 2017						
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June 2017						
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July 2017						
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August 2017						
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September 2017						
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October 2017						
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30	31					

November 2017						
Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
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20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30			



Waste week  
(Purple bin)



Recycling week  
(Mixed recycling and brown bins, and blue paper box)



Amended recycling collections due to Bank Holiday



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Information on what should go into each container can be found over the page.  
More detailed information can be found on our website [www.north-herts.gov.uk](http://www.north-herts.gov.uk)

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# What can't I recycle at home?

**Some items can't be recycled at home or need to be treated by more specialised recycling equipment.**

Please do not put these items in your recycling bin: Hard plastics such as toys, hangers and garden furniture, electrical items, carrier bags, crisp packets and sweet wrappers, plastic film and wrapping (any plastic that can be scrunched up) and used disposable nappies.

**Putting items that can't be recycled at home into your recycling container:**

- Can spoil the recyclable items. Just think what a dirty nappy could do to clean recyclables!
- Can cause problems with machinery at the recycling centre
- Might mean they can't be recycled. Some items need specialist equipment which is only available if they are collected at a Household Waste Recycling Centre (HWRC/dump/tip) or neighbourhood recycling bank
- Means it can't be reused –charity shops are a good option for suitable items in good condition

## Your recycling and waste service

### Week 1 - waste



Purple bin



rubbish

Anything that can't be repaired, reused or recycled

### Week 2 - recycling



Grey bin

**THIS BIN SHOULD NOT CONTAIN PLASTIC BAGS**



plastic bottles, pots, tubs and trays



cartons



mixed glass bottles & jars



tins, cans & aerosols



cardboard



mixed textiles, clothes & shoes



Brown bin



cooked food



uncooked food



garden waste



compostable liners



Blue box



mixed paper

← Bagged (no black sacks) at the side of the recycling bin or on top of the blue box

Protecting the environment by reducing landfill and controlling the growing cost of waste. Please recycle this with your paper when you have finished with it.