

Friday 1

Recycling and rubbish collection dates 2023

- Please put your containers out by **6am**
- **Rubbish** will only be collected inside an **authorised bin or bags**
- Do not put **plastic bags** in the recycling containers. Items should be put in loose

Your collection day is **Friday** except on or after Christmas and New Year where stated. Collections return to normal the week beginning 15 January in 2024.

| | Recycling and Food | Rubbish and Food |
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| December 2022 | 2, 16, 31 (Saturday) | 9, 23 |
| January 2023 | 13, 27 | 6, 20 |
| February 2023 | 10, 24 | 3, 17 |
| March 2023 | 10, 24 | 3, 17, 31 |
| April 2023 | 7, 21 | 14, 28 |
| May 2023 | 5, 19 | 12, 26 |
| June 2023 | 2, 16, 30 | 9, 23 |
| July 2023 | 14, 28 | 7, 21 |
| August 2023 | 11, 25 | 4, 18 |
| September 2023 | 8, 22 | 1, 15, 29 |
| October 2023 | 6, 20 | 13, 27 |
| November 2023 | 3, 17 | 10, 24 |
| December 2023 | 1, 15 | 8, 22 |
| January 2024 | 2 (Tuesday), 13 (Saturday), 26 | 8 (Monday), 19 |

Print your next calendar at: dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/recycle

Recycling guide

What can go in your recycling containers?

- **Aerosols** (empty and not pierced)
- **Plastics** (please rinse and squash):
 - Plastic bottles, pots, tubs and trays
- **Tins and cans** (please rinse and squash)
- **All paper and cardboard**
 - Newspapers and magazines
 - Light card
 - Envelopes (including windows)
 - Cardboard boxes (flattened)



Please keep glass in a separate box

- Glass bottles and jars (keep metal screw-tops on)

Food waste

- You can recycle all cooked and uncooked food, including bones
- Please only line your caddy with compostable liners or newspaper
- Place the food bin handle in the 'locked' position to keep animals out



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Do it online: dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/recycle

It's quick, easy and secure to:

- Check your collection days
- Report a missed collection or other problem
- Apply for a garden waste collection

Alternatively, you can call us on (01305) 221040.

Please note we no longer post calendars to all households. By downloading this calendar at home you are helping us save money and reduce waste.

If we all put the right stuff in the right bin, we could save up to **£1 million** per year for essential public services