



Acceptable Recyclable Materials

Cans



Aluminum, Steel & Tin Cans

Rinsed and Emptied

Examples: Beverage Cans, Soup Cans, Vegetable Cans

Glass



Glass Bottles & Jars

Rinsed and Emptied

Examples: Beverage Bottles, Sauce & Condiment Jars

Plastic Containers



Containers from the Kitchen, Laundry & Bathroom

Rinsed and Emptied

Examples: Milk Jugs, Beverage Bottles, Detergent, Shampoo Bottles

Paper



Paper & Cardboard

Empty & Flatten Cardboard Boxes

Examples: Magazines, Catalogs, Office Paper, Newspaper, Paperboard (e.g. Cereal Boxes, Tissue Boxes), Mail, Phone Books



Non Acceptable Materials

**If it's on this list,
DO NOT
put it in your recycling bin.**

Recyclables in plastic bags

Food waste in containers

Clothing, Linens, Other Textiles. These can be recycled at various locations in Bedford. See link on Refuse and Recycling Website.

Tanglers - Hoses, Wires, Chains, Electronics, etc.

Plastic Film such as plastic bags, beverage case wraps, dry cleaning bags, newspaper bags, pet food bags, package wrapping (e.g. napkins, diapers, etc.), air pillows, bread bags, etc. These can be recycled at most retail outlets with plastic shopping bags.

Bio-hazardous Waste

Cables

Ceramics Dishes

Chip Bags

Clothes & Other Textiles

Coffee Mugs

Construction Debris

Diapers

Drinking Glasses

Electronics

Foam Egg Cartons

Foam Food Trays

Food or Liquid Waste

Greasy Food Containers

Hardcover Books

Hazardous Waste

Holiday Decorations

Hoses

Light Bulbs

(Fluorescent and Incandescent)

Mirrors

Pet Food Bags

Plastic Bags

Plastic Food Wrappers

Plastic Straws

Plastic without Numbers

Plates & Bowls

Rechargeable Batteries

Scrap Metal

Shoes

Snack Wrappers

Styrofoam

Tissue

Toys

Tools

To-Go Lids

Yard Waste