



WHERE TO RECYCLE & MINIMISE WASTE IN DORKING, SURREY

WASTE ITEM	WHERE TO RECYCLE	WHAT ELSE CAN BE DONE
Plastic Bottles	-	
Milk bottles	Council collection green bin	Buy milk in glass milk bottles. They get reused
Drink bottles	Council collection green bin	Avoid single-use plastic water bottles
Toiletries bottles	Council collection green bin	
Shampoo bottles	Council collection green bin	
Cleaning/detergent bottles	Council collection green bin	Reuse the bottle. Use refills
Plastic Packaging	-	
Food pots	Council collection green bin	
Margarine tubs	Council collection green bin	
Plastics trays	Council collection green bin	Try to avoid produces with trays
Yoghurt pots	Council collection green bin	
Food & drink cartons (tetrapak)	Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls	Avoid Tetrapak's if you can
Bread bags, soft plastic bags	Sainsburys, Waitrose	
Pet/baby food pouches	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Biscuit & chocolate wrappers	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Bubble wrap, cling film, thin film	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Cereal liners	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Cheese, fish, meat wrapper (cleaned)	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Crisp bags, sweet wrapper/bags	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Delivery bags	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Frozen food bags, multi-pack bags	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Plastic carrier bags, plastic film liners	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Salad, rice bags	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Toilet roll wrappers	Sainsburys	Or use Terracycle
Glass Bottles	-	
Bottles	Council collection green bin	Try to use products that re-use bottles
Jars	Council collection green bin	
Cardboard	-	Also can take to bins behind Dorking Halls
Egg boxes	Council collection green bin	
Fruit/veg punnets	Council collection green bin	
Sleeves	Council collection green bin	
Cereal boxes	Council collection green bin	
Corrugated cardboard	Council collection green bin	
Toilet roll tubes	Council collection green bin	
Paper	-	
Brown envelopes	Council collection green bin	
Junk mail	Council collection green bin	
Magazines, Newspapers	Council collection green bin	
Shredded paper	Council collection green bin	
Telephone directories	Council collection green bin	
Yellow pages	Council collection green bin	
Envelopes (with windows)	Council collection green bin	
Books	Dorking Community Recycle Centre	Take to a charity shop (if in good condition)
Paper cups, coffee cups	Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls	Use a re-use cup
Metal	-	
Drinks cans (incl tab)	Council collection green bin	
Food trays (cleaned)	Council collection green bin	
Foil trays (cleaned)	Council collection green bin	
Aluminium foil (cleaned)	Council collection green bin	
Metal lids on jars	Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre	
Scrap metal	Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre	
Gas bottles	Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre	
Aerosol cans	Upper West Street Car Park, Reigate	
Textiles	(place in bag next to council collection bin)	
Clothing	Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls	Take to charity shop (if in good condition)
Household linen	Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls	
Shoes & handbags	Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls	Take to charity shop (if in good condition)
Food Waste	(This goes for anaerobic digestion)	Try to minimise food waste (save big money)
Bread, cake, pastries	Council collection organic waste caddy	
Dairy products (cheese, eggs)	Council collection organic waste caddy	
Raw or cooked fish & meat	Council collection organic waste caddy	



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Raw or cooked fruit & veg Rice, pasta, beans Tea-bags, ground coffee Plate scrapings Kitchen oil	Council collection organic waste caddy Council collection organic waste caddy Council collection organic waste caddy Council collection organic waste caddy Dorking Community Recycle Centre	Put coffee grinds on garden
Beauty/Grooming	-	
Eyeshadow / eyeliner Lipstick, lip balam Make-up tubes, mascara tubes	Superdrug or Boots Superdrug or Boots Superdrug or Boots	
IT Equipment		
Printer ink cartridges Mobile phones Laptops/computers	Dorking Community Recycle Centre fonebank for Oxfam CPR Computer Recycling	Remember to wipe memory Remember to wipe memory
Garden Waste	-	
Flowers, plants Grass cuttings Leaves, prunings, twigs Weeds Plant pots Christmas trees	Council collection brown bin (pay fee) Council collection brown bin (pay fee) Council collection brown bin (pay fee) Council collection brown bin (pay fee) Gomshall railway station recycle bins Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls	Have a garden composter Have a garden composter Have a garden composter Have a garden composter
Other		
Spectacles/glasses Cleaning fluids Glue sticks Pyrex dishes Pharmaceuticals (containers and drugs)	Dorking Community Recycle Centre Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre Gomshall railway station recycle bins Sutton Recycle Centre any Local pharmacy	Or try your opticians
Waste Electricals	(place in bag next to council collection bin) Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls Reigate Road Recycle bins, behind Dorking Halls Robert Dyas Dorking Community Recycle Centre Dorking Community Recycle Centre Dorking Community Recycle Centre Robert Dyas	
Cars	-	
Car batteries Engine Oil Cars and car components Tyres	Dorking Community Recycle Centre Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre Car scrap yard, nr Dorking West Station Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre	
Construction Materials	-	
Bricks, rubble, concrete Scrap wood Doors, beams, fireplaces Soil Paint Window glass	Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre Crawley Household Waste Centre Crawley Household Waste Centre Leatherhead Community Recycle Centre Crawley Household Waste Recycle Centre	
Furniture	-	
Sofa, bed frames, chairs, tables Mattresses	Furnistore, Redhill or Debra shop Merrow Furnistore, Redhill or Debra shop Merrow	They will collect. Must have fire safety label Must not be stained
Everything Else >>>>	Black bag bin (will be incinerated)	There should be very little left for this.

Where possible: Eliminate packaging, Reduce packaging, Re-use packaging, Recycle materials, Repair (try a Repair Café)