
SORTING WASTE AT UNIGE

SORT SMART

RECYCLE SMART

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CLEAN PAPER

All printed materials (reports, photocopies, letters, newspapers, magazines, envelopes with or without address windows, notes, etc.).



IN THE HOUSEHOLD WASTE BINS:

Soiled or wet paper (cups, food wrappers), laminated paper, labels, sticker sheets, tissues, paper napkins, paper towels, removable strips from peel and seal envelopes, etc.



CLEAN CARDBOARD

All types of clean cardboard. Large boxes should be folded flat and placed in or next to the paper-cardboard containers.



IN THE HOUSEHOLD WASTE BINS:

Composite packaging (e.g., drink cartons made of cardboard, aluminum, and plastic), adhesive tape, plastic straps, binders, soiled pizza and food boxes, paper cups etc.



PET BEVERAGE BOTTLES

If the answer to these three questions is «YES»:

1. Is it a bottle?
2. Is it a PET bottle?
3. Did this bottle contain a beverage?

Only empty beverage bottles.



IN THE HOUSEHOLD WASTE BINS:

All plastic cups, all food wrappers, yogurt cups, milk bottles, dishwashing liquid containers, oil containers, vinegar bottles, cosmetics containers, plastic bottles, other PET containers (this is a different type of PET).



ALUMINIUM AND TIN CANS

Only drinks cans, tubes or trays which contained food, aluminium foil, yoghurt and dessert aluminium lids, tin cans.



IN THE HOUSEHOLD WASTE BINS:

Butter and cigarette packaging, food packaging (soup, sauce, purée), coffee, tea, rusk packaging.

HOUSEHOLD WASTE

All non-recyclable waste.