The yellow bag / yellow bin is only for:

used and completely empty packaging which is not made of paper, cardboard, carton or glass. Please separate different packaging components. The items do not need to be rinsed.

For example:

- Aluminium, tin and plastic lids
- Pharmaceutical blister packs
- Butter wrapper
- Buttermilkand yoghurt pots
- Carrier bags and fruit and vegetable bags made of plastic
- Ice cream packaging
- Fill material from shipping packages made of plastic, such as bubble wrap or foamed material
- Plastic food containers and foil
- Ready meal trays
- Milkand beverage cartons
- Muesli bar wrappers
- Pasta bags
- Cleaning agent bottles
- Squeezable pouches or refill bags, such as for washing powder, liquid soap or fruit purée
- Mustard tubes
- Shampoo bottles
- Soup and sauce bags
- Pet food tins and other pet food containers
- Toothpaste tubes

etc.

The yellow bag / yellow bin is not for:

Packaging made of paper, cardboard, carton or glass, and all waste that is not packaging.

For example:

- Old clothes
- Batteries (including rechargeable ones)
- Container glass
- Tinware
- CDs and floppy disks
- Ink cartridges
- Disposable razors
- Electrical appliances
- Leftover food
- Folding boxes
- Lighters
- Rolls of film, DVDs and video cassettes
- Light bulbs and energy-saving bulbs
- Rubber
- Wood wool
- Sanitary products
- Cat litter
- Ceramic products
- Children's toys
- Transparent plastic sleeves
- Pens
- Packaging not completely emptied
- Paper tissues
- Paper and cardboard
- Plasters, bandaging materials
- Porcelain china
- Residual and organic waste
- Shoes
- Tights
- Polystyrene from insulation panels
- Wallpaper
- Nappies
- Toothbrushes
- Cigarette butts

etc.

There may be regional exceptions (e.g. recycling bin). More details are available from your local authority. Scan the QR code or click HERE for your responsible contact person.

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The glass containers are for:

completely empty glass packaging only. The glass must be sorted by colour (white, brown and green) and disposed of in the designated containers. All other colours, such as blue glass, are disposed of with the green glass. Lids do not have to be taken off.

For example:

- all glass bottles for which no returnable deposit is paid, such as bottles for wine, sparkling wine, spirits, vinegar, oil, milk, fruit and vegetable juices and fruit drinks
- Small glass bottles, such as perfume bottles
- Jam, gherkin and mustard jars
- Other packaging glass for fruit, sauces, soups, vegetables

etc.

The glass containers are not for:

waste, including glass waste, that is not packaging.

For example:

- Oven dishes
- Car lamps
- Car windows
- Batteries
- Organic and residual waste
- Lead glass
- Flower pots
- Vases
- Ceramic hobs
- Flat glass
- Beverage cartons
- Glass ceramics
- Glass hobs
- Light bulbs

- Heat-resistant glass
- Insulating glass
- Coffee pots
- Glass fireplace screens and oven door glass
- Ceramics
- Fluorescent tubes
- Microwave dishes
- Monitor glass
- China tableware
- Products and packaging parts made of plastic
- Mirror glass

- Syringes
- Stoneware bottles
- Plates, cups
- Drinking glasses

etc.

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The paper bin is for:

all packaging made of paper, cardboard or carton without food residue.
Packaging should be cut into small pieces or folded.

For example:
Packaging made of paper, cardboard or carton:

- Paper bags for baked goods, meat and fruit
- Egg boxes
- Folding boxes of any shape
- Filling material from shipping packages made of paper, cardboard and carton
- Flour and sugar bags
- Pasta boxes
- Paper carrier bags
- Cardboard wrapping of yoghurt pots etc.
- Pizza boxes
- Chocolate boxes

Non-packaging made of paper, cardboard or carton:

- Letters
- Envelopes
- Books
- Wrapping paper
- Catalogues
- Postcards
- Exercise books
- Advertising brochures
- Newspapers
- Magazines

etc.

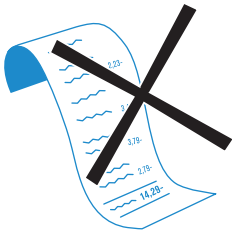
The paper bin is not for:

waste and packaging not made of paper, cardboard or carton.

For example:

- Batteries
- Organic waste
- Butter wrappers
- Tins and cans

- Photos
- Glass
- Wooden boxes
- Wood wool
- Sales receipts and bank statements (thermal paper)



- Plastic
- Kitchen waste
- Kitchen roll and paper tissue

- Bubble padding
- Metals
- Milk or beverage cartons
- Soiled or full packages
- Soup and sauce bags
- Speciality paper such as baking paper, thermal paper, photo paper
- Polystyrene
- Wallpaper
- Wine and champagne corks

etc.

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