

WASTE MANAGEMENT GUIDE

A guide to responsible recycling on campus


COMPOST

YES 



- Food Waste
- Leftover Cooking Oils, Fat, Butter, etc.
- Coffee Grounds & Filters
- Used Paper Plates & Straws
- Paper Towels, Napkins, & Tissues
- Compostable Food Containers
- Compostable Utensils



NO 

- Plastics (incl. biodegradable)
- Cigarette Butts
- Clean Paper

LANDFILL

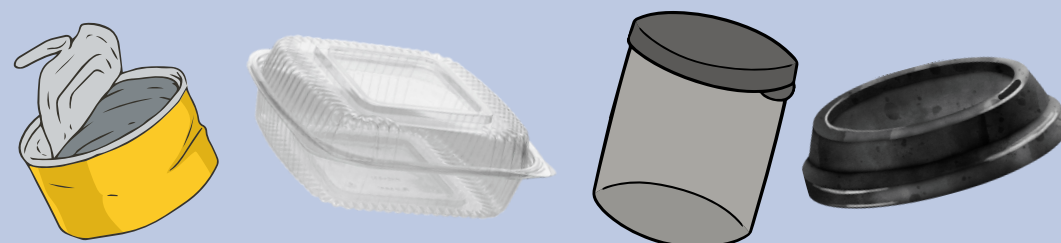
- Coffee & Drink Cups (wax-lined)
- Individual Creamer Capsules
- Plastic Bags
- Styrofoam Containers & Packaging
- Non-Recyclable Cutlery & Containers
- Gum
- Wax Paper
- Chip Bags
- Candy Wrappers



CONTAINERS

YES 

- Coffee Cup Lids
- Glass Bottles & Jars
- Metal Cans
- Soft Drink Cans
- Aluminum Containers
- Plastic Take-Out Containers
- Single-Serve Yogurt Cups
- Plastic Bottles, Jars & Jugs
- Tubs & Tub Lids
- Milk & Juice Cartons
- Drink Boxes



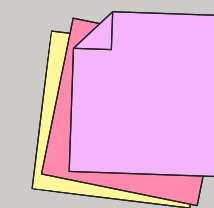
NO 

- Chip Bags
- Coffee Cups & Sleeves
- Cutlery & Chopsticks
- Styrofoam Containers
- Plastic Bags
- Candy Wrappers
- Clean Paper

PAPER FIBRE

YES 



- Coffee Cup Sleeves
- Newspaper & Flyers
- Magazines & Catalogues
- Envelopes
- Corrugated Cardboard
- Hard & Soft Cover Books*
*remove cover
- Sticky Notes
- White/Coloured/Glossy Paper
- Boxboard
- Shredded Paper



- Soiled Paper Items
- Coffee Cups (wax-lined)
- Fast Food Drink Cups
- Tissues & Paper Towels
- Waxed Paper
- Milk Cartons
- Candy Wrappers

E-WASTE

ELECTROBAC E-WASTE BINS

- Chargers & Cables 
- Peripherals - Memory Cards, etc.
- Small Electronics - Cameras, Cellphones, etc.
- Ink Cartridges 



DOES NOT ACCEPT

- Batteries
- Light Bulbs
- DVDs, VHS tapes, or cassettes

Electrobac Bin locations:

Nideyinàn (4th Floor)
Athletics Centre (1st Floor)
Teraanga Commons (1st Floor)

CARLETON E-WASTE RECYCLING

- Computer Monitors 
- Keyboards
- Printers 
- Batteries 
- Cell Phones
- Ink Cartridges

Drop-off locations:

117 Maintenance Building (Stores)
1251 Herzberg Building (Hardware Services)
118 Steacie Building (Science Stores)

If you have any questions about the above information or any items not listed, please contact sustainability@carleton.ca

You can also consult our **Waste Wizard** tool in the Waste & Recycling section of our website or at bit.ly/CUWasteWizard



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