

Recycling Pays - If We Do It Right!



Recycling keeps stuff out of the landfill

We write on recycled paper...drive on recycled road paving ... even kitty litter can be made from recycled material!

We can save 17 trees just by recycling 1 ton of paper!

Recycling just one soda can saves enough energy to run a TV for 2 hours!

Recycling can even save us all some money!

That's because our town PAYS someone to take our trash. But they pay US to give them our recycled materials. So it pays to recycle - but only if we do it right.

Do you recycle?

How many things do you throw in the trash every day?

Water bottles * Soda cans * Candy wrappers * Old Homework papers * Pizza boxes

And that's just YOU! Imagine how much trash everybody else throws away! Did you know that 75% of our stuff can be recycled?



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Refer to this checklist to make sure you're disposing of everything correctly.

ITEM	BLUE BIN	GREEN BIN	SPECIAL DISPOSAL
Newspapers	X		
Brown paper bags	X		
Junk mail	X		
Catalogues	X		
Office Paper	X		
Cardboard (no food waste)	X		
Pizza boxes (no food waste)	X		
Plastics with number in a triangle (no food waste)	X		
Glass bottles and jars	X		
Aluminum and tin cans (clean)	X		
Hard and paperback books	X		
Food scraps (in trash bag)		X	
Regular batteries		X	
Ceramics		X	
Styrofoam		X	
Plastic bags		X	
Coat hangers (plastic)		X	
Window glass		X	
Waxed paper		X	
Porcelain		X	
Laptop cases		X	
Cookware		X	
TVs, computers, appliances and metal			Take to recycling center on Coles Mill Road Or call for pickup on Friday of 1 st complete week in month
Wood			Take to Gloucester County landfill on Monroeville Road
Leaves, branches 4" diameter or less.			Take to recycling center on Coles Mill Road
Hazardous materials			Take to county on special Hazardous Waste days
Bulk trash			3 large items or 8 trash bags on trash day of 1 st complete week of the month
Rechargeable batteries			Return to retailer for disposal
Tires			Take to county in March of every year

For more information on Recycling visit the Environmental Committee display at Community Day September 22, 2018

Franklin Township Public Works: 856-694-3155

Visit franklintownshipnj.org for more information

Recycling Center: 2130 Coles Mill Road
 Hours: Monday - Thursday 9:00 am - 4:00 pm
 Saturday 8:00 am - 4:00 pm
 Friday and Sunday: CLOSED