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# Recycling and Rubbish Collection Timetable 2024-2025

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Your collection day is **Monday**  
Please remember to put your bins out by 6am

Merton recycles



South London Waste Partnership



Veolia



London Borough of Merton



**Food (brown food bin)**

Every week

**Recycling: Plastics, Glass, Cans and Cartons (green recycling box)**

Every 2 weeks

**Recycling: Paper and Card (blue lidded recycling bin)**

Every 2 weeks

**Rubbish (black rubbish bin)**

Every 2 weeks

**December 2024**

2nd: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

9th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

16th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

23rd: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

31st: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons) (note 1)

**January 2025**

7th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin (notes 1 and 2)

13th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

20th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

27th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

## **February 2025**

3rd: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

10th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

17th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

24th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

## **March 2025**

3rd: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

10th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

17th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

24th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

31st: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

## **April 2025**

7th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

14th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

21st: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

28th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

## **May 2025**

5th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

12th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

19th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

26th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

## **June 2025**

2nd: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

9th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

16th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

23rd: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

30th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

## **July 2025**

7th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

14th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

21st: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

28th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

## **August 2025**

4th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

11th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

18th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

25th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

## **September 2025**

1st: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

8th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

15th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

22nd: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

29th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

## **October 2025**

6th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

13th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

20th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

27th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

## **November 2025**

3rd: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

10th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

17th: food bin; green recycling box (plastics, glass, cans and cartons)

24th: food bin; blue lidded recycling bin (paper and card); black rubbish bin

Note 1: Collections will change over the Christmas and New Year period and may take place up to three days later than usual. This calendar shows your revised collection days where appropriate.

Note 2: Real Christmas trees collections start on 6th January. Put your tree out from Monday 6th January and it will be collected as soon as possible.

## **It really helps if you...**

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**Flatten cardboard** boxes before putting them in the blue lidded paper and card bin

**Empty and rinse** all containers before putting them in the green plastic, glass, cans and cartons box

**Remove film lids** from plastic pots, tubs and trays (put the film lids in your black rubbish bin)

Only place items that cannot be recycled in your **black rubbish bin** - no food waste please

On collection day, place your bins at the **front edge of your property**, close to the pavement but not on it

**Household batteries** are collected every week.

Leave them on top of your recycling in an untied bag. Visit: [slwp.org.uk/recyclables/household-batteries](http://slwp.org.uk/recyclables/household-batteries) for more information.

For a complete list of what can and can't be recycled, please visit: [merton.gov.uk/recycling](http://merton.gov.uk/recycling)