

CLEAR BAGS FOR PLASTICS: THE FACTS!



There are 100's of different kinds of plastics out there, which can often make it difficult to understand what can and cannot be put out for recycling. This simple guide aims to help clarify what can be put in your green box or clear bag.

Please note the clear bags provided are for plastics recycling only. Only the items listed under "Yes Please" below can be put in the clear bags.

YES PLEASE

Yoghurt Pots
Margarine tubs
Shampoo bottles
Plastic lids (e.g. from a pop bottle)
Spray cleaner bottles
Bleach bottles
Water and pop bottles
Microwave meal trays
Raw and cooked meat trays
Milk bottles



NO THANKS

Cling film
Plastic bags
Plastic film – e.g. a bread bag, from a bag of apples
Crisp packets
Chocolate wrappers
Plastic toys
Plant Pots
Large plastic items such as garden chairs
Polystyrene – e.g. from a parcel that's been delivered, or a container from a kebab shop.
Juice, UHT milk or soup cartons.
Bubble wrap
Polythene wrapping (clear film-like plastic e.g. often wrapped round new furniture when its delivered).

If you have an item of plastic that we have not mentioned, please send us a photo via Twitter, Facebook or email us directly on mail@wastesavers.co.uk and we will make sure to reply. We can also make sure to add it to the list!