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WHAT GOES IN WHAT BIN

CURRENT RECYCLING SYSTEM IN WEST LANCASHIRE COUNCIL AREA

Container	Yes Please	No Thanks
Green bin (now charged at £30 by WLBC). Composting at home may be preferable 	Garden waste Christmas trees can be recycled in the green bin or http://www.teamtree.co.uk/about.php will recycle for a £10 donation to Alder Hey	Plastic bags Food waste Plant pots
Blue bin Blue box 	Glass bottles and jars Cans, tins and aerosols <u>Any</u> plastic carrying symbols 1 or 2, including many plastic bottles, cereal liners, fresh fruit punnets, trigger sprays from cleaning products and <u>some</u> yoghurt pots  PETE  HDPE Aluminium foil Aluminium food trays	Paper or cardboard Milk/fruit juice cartons No light bulbs or ovenware glass No plastics carrying symbols 3, 4, 5, 6 or 7 for example <u>some</u> yoghurt pots; margarine tubs; polystyrene; liquid soap bottle pumps
Blue bag 	Paper and shredded paper Envelopes Newspapers and magazines Cardboard including empty loo rolls Telephone directories and catalogues Christmas cards Christmas wrapping paper	Plastics Polystyrene Metallic wrapping paper
Clear Bag	Textiles and clothes	Quilts Pillows Soiled or wet items
Grey Bin 	Only items NOT listed in the column above i.e. non-recyclables Batteries from all those Christmas toys can be recycled at LCC Household Waste Centres or many schools have battery recycling schemes	Recyclable items – Use the containers above to maximise your recycling