How to recycle in Copeland

Recycling in Copeland Some handy hints.

**Make it easy** and part of your routine. Keep your recycling container close to your standard rubbish bin.

**Keep it clean.** It's a lot nicer when items are clean. Try to give them a rinse with the dishwater before draining it away.

**Squash it up.** Squashed items take up less space in your box and are easier to collect.

**At the kerbside**
- Please place your box and garden waste bin at the kerbside by 7.00am on collection days. If you require another service calendar contact Copeland Borough Council.
- Try to make sure they are visible to the collection crews.
- Take boxes and bins back in as soon as possible following collection.

**At Recycle Points and HWRCs**
- Make sure you use the right collection banks.
- Don’t leave any rubbish or even recyclables next to the collection banks.

For Recycle Points or kerbside collection services please contact:
- Copeland Borough Council
  Whitehaven Commercial Park
  Moresby Parks
  Whitehaven, CA28 8YD
  0845 054 8600
  info@copelandbc.gov.uk
  copelandbc.gov.uk

For general information and advice please contact:
- The Recycle for Cumbria recycling helpline
  0845 055 1118
  info@recycleforcumbria.org
  recycleforcumbria.org

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If you require this information in any other format (e.g. audio cassette or large type) or in any other language, please contact 01228 606060

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Where to go and what to take

Recycling in Copeland is on the up. And with Two Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRCs) and lots of Recycle Points each collecting a variety of materials, it’s easy to see why.

- There are 55 Recycle Points in Copeland located in places like your local pub or supermarket car park. The materials that can be recycled here will vary but most will accept common recyclables such as cans, glass and paper. Only the larger Recycle Points have been represented within this guide. For a complete list of Copeland’s Recycle Points and exactly what can be recycled at each visit recycleforcumbria.org.

![Map of Copeland with HWRCs and Recycle Points]

Visiting a HWRC?
Do you need a permit?
Be sure to arrange a free permit if you have a lot of household waste and need to use a van, flatbed or twin axle trailer (up to 3m long). Call 0845 055 1118 or go to cumbria.gov.uk/wastepermit.

![Recycling at home]

What can go in my recycling box?
- Paper
- Newspapers, magazines and junk mail
- Old directories and catalogues
- Glass bottles and jars
- Food tins and drinks cans

What can go in my garden waste bin?
- Grass clippings
- Plants, flowers and leaves
- Hedge prunings and weeds
- Twigs and small branches
- Real Christmas trees

Recycling at home
7 out of 10 households in Cumbria can now get their recycling collected at the kerbside.
Depending on where you live in Copeland you will be able to recycle various items on your doorstep every two weeks.
Contact Copeland Borough Council for more information about what services are available to you. See over for contact details.