Handy hints

Reduce -
You can stop junk mail by registering with the Mailing Preference Service.
Visit mpsonline.org.uk or telephone 0845 7034 599

Reuse -
Why not donate items you no longer need? Carlisle City Council’s free ‘white goods’ collection service collects household furniture and waste electrical items such as washing machines, cookers, TVs and fridges for re-use. Call 01228 817200 for details.

Reycle -
More than half of the contents of the average householder’s bin can be recycled. Visit recycleforcumbria.org to learn more and make sure you use your recycling containers.

What happens to your recycling

- Carlisle’s glass recycling is sent to a reprocessing plant in Scotland where it is turned into brand new bottles and jars.
- 100% of Carlisle’s newspapers are made from recycled paper.
- Your cardboard recycling is taken to Kingmoor recycling depot where it is mulched down and made into new packaging.
- The grass clippings, plants, flowers and leaves that are collected in your garden waste bin is sent to a local firm to be made into environmentally friendly compost.
- None of the recycling you put into your recycling containers goes to landfill.

For Recycle Points or kerbside collection services please contact:
Carlisle City Council
Waste Services, Bousteads Grassing
Carlisle, CA2 5LG
01228 817200
recycling@carlisle.gov.uk
carlisle.gov.uk

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

For HWRC queries please contact:
Cumbria County Council waste helpline on
0845 055 1118
recycling@cumbriacc.gov.uk
cumbria.gov.uk/recycling

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
Where to go and what to take

Recycling in Carlisle is on the up. The information given inside this handy Householders' Pack will help make it even easier too!

There are over 70 Recycle Points in Carlisle district 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 are shown on the map but a comprehensive list with exact locations and details of what you can take is given inside this pack.