# What Goes Where?

Never throw any type of household battery away in your recycling or refuse bin as these can cause a fire and explosion risk!



Recycling items can go loose in your green bin but must be in clear or white sacks if you use gull-proof sacks.

## **Mixed recycling**

# Metals



- Empty aerosols
- Tins and cans

#### Mixed material

- Crisp tubes
- Empty juice cartons



#### Glass

✓ Glass bottle and jars

#### **Plastics**

- Empty plastic bottles
- ✓ Plastic packaging (clean food trays etc.)
- ✓ Yoghurt pots and margarine tubs
- ✓ Pump only toothpaste tubes and lids
- Bread bags
- Film (e.g tops of raw and cooked meat packets or fruit trays)
- ✓ Black plastic food tubs (e.g microwave meals)
- Carrier bags

### Paper/magazine/card

- ✓ Books
- Cardboard flat/corrugated (please break down and flatten large boxes and remove all excess packaging)
- Directories and catalogues
- Envelopes



- Egg cartons
- ✓ Junk mail and leaflets
- Newspapers, magazines and shredded paper
- Paper-based wrapping paper (remove sticky tape)





Please ensure all general waste is placed inside your black bin or gull-proof sack, we won't collect any waste left outside of them.

#### **General** waste

- Animal waste and litter
- ✓ Baby/pet food pouches
- ✓ Bubble wrap
- ✓ Clingfilm
- ✓ Cold ash
- Contaminated food packaging (e.g pizza boxes)
- Crisp packets and sweet wrappers



- Dirt and vacuum bags
- Foil and glittery paper/card
- Padded envelopes/jiffy bags
- Nappies and incontinence pads
  - ✓ Pill blister packs
  - Polystyrene and sticky tape
  - Sanitary waste



kitchen/toilet roll

# Food waste



Eggshells

Fruit and veg peelings

Small bones

Tea bags and coffee grounds

# Textiles

- ✓ Bed sheets and curtains
- Clean clothing
- ✓ Scarves, hats and gloves



Place textiles in a shopping bag (not black) and leave to the side of your recycling bin or gull proof sack.



Your food waste

is sent to be turned

into farmland soil

fertiliser or helps

The Isle of Wight recycles



