

COMMON RECYCLING QUESTIONS IN HORNSBY

YOU CAN RECYCLE

Most disposable containers from the bathroom, kitchen and laundry.

- This includes:
 - plastic bottles and jars
 - glass bottles and jars
 - oil bottles can be included
 - aluminium and steel cans and
 - Aerosol cans (must be empty)
- Please ensure all containers are empty before you recycle them
- Rinse lightly
- Paper can remain on bottles



Lids of bottles and jars

- Leave the lids on all plastic bottles (milk, juice, soft drink, etc.).
- Remove lids from all glass bottles and jars



Paper and cardboard

- Newspapers and flattened cardboard boxes
- Magazines and books
- envelopes



Meat trays (empty and remove plastic sheet)



ITEMS THAT CANNOT GO IN YELLOW LID RECYCLING BIN	OTHER OPTIONS
Used cooking oil	Can be taken to Thornleigh Community Recycling Centre or put in the red lid garbage bin or soaked up with paper towels and put in a compost bin
Coffee Cups (single use)	Use a reusable cup or Keep Cup
Styrofoam noodle cups or meat trays	Red bin only
Fruit and vegetable scraps (food waste)	Compost or worm farm – Council provides free training
Woven rice bags	Red bin only
Electrical appliances (eg toasters, kettles)	Donate working items, red bin or bulky waste collection
Clothing	Donate to charity or bring to Council's Community Recycling Centre
Plastic gloves	Red bin only
Toys	Donate to charity, garage sales or give to friends
Soft plastics - plastic wrapping or plastic bags	Local supermarket (Red Cycle) or Thornleigh Community Recycling Centre
Wooden chopsticks	Can be composted consider reusable chopsticks as better option

