

How to Recycle in Sandwich

- COMMINGLED COMPACTORS -

MATERIAL **WHAT TO RECYCLE** **HOW TO PREPARE** **DO NOT INCLUDE**



METAL

- Steel/tin and metal food cans
- Aluminum pie plates and trays
- Deposit and non-deposit beverage cans

*Deposit cans may also be donated at the Sandwich Little League shed
Recycle **DO NOT INCLUDE** items in the light-iron pile*

- Rinse clean
- Labels OK

- Aerosol cans
- Paint cans
- Coat hangers
- Cookware



GLASS

- Clear and colored beverage containers
- Food and sauce jars

Deposit bottles may also be donated at the Sandwich Little League shed

- Rinse clean
- Collar, neck rings & labels OK
- Caps & lids OK

- Broken glass/auto glass
- Mirrors
- Ceramics: plates, cookware
- Drinking glasses
- Light bulbs
- Windows

PLASTIC



- All number 1 thru 7 recyclable rigid plastic containers
- Milk, water, soda, juice bottles
- Shampoo, conditioner bottles
- Laundry, bleach, fabric softener bottles
- Waxy gable cartons: Milk and Juice

- Rinse clean, caps OK



- Plastic bags: recycled in waste receptacles located in front of each compactor
- Styrofoam packaging of ANY KIND
- Chemical and motor oil containers
- Water/Garden Hose

- FIBER COMPACTORS -

CARDBOARD All cardboard must be recycled and will not be allowed in the trash-trailer except as noted in **DO NOT INCLUDE**



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- Break down, flatten or fold

- Contaminated boxes
- Food soiled and frozen food boxes example: pizza and Chinese take out

PAPER



- Newspapers
- Magazines, catalogs
- Junk mail, envelopes: tearable
- Books
- Paper bags
- Phone books
- Office and computer paper
- Boxboard: cereal, cracker – remove plastic liners

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- Place in paper grocery bags

- Food soiled as noted above
- Paper towels
- Tissues
- Diapers
- Boxboard plastic liners: recycled in waste receptacles located in front of each recycling compactor.

Paper (Fiber) is recycled in first or second designated compactor from left to right. Commingled metal, glass and plastic is recycled in third or fourth designated compactors from left to right. Only one Fiber and one Commingled compactor is open at a time. Limited recycling and Transfer station stickers may be obtained at the Town Hall Annex, 145 Main Street, across from the Sandwich Library. If unsure where a specific item should be recycled, please ask an attendant.

How to Recycle Fiber (Paper) in Sandwich

WHAT FIBER TO RECYCLE

Booklets
Books: soft cover
Boxes: for office supplies, like paper clips
Boxes: cereal, cracker, pasta, shoe, etc
Boxes: with plastic window
Brochures: including glossy
Calendars: wall type
Cardboard: corrugated and paperboard
Catalogs
Clasp envelopes
Colored paper
Construction and kraft paper
Cover and card stock, index cards
Envelopes: with plastic windows or labels
File folders
Flyers
Glossy paper
Greeting cards
Lottery tickets
Mail
Magazines
Mat board: used in picture framing
Math paper: graph and ledger, etc.
Newspapers: with or without inserts
Newsprint
Office and copy paper
Packing paper
Paper: lined and white
Paper: fax
Paper bags: brown and white
Paper bags: with handles
Paper towel and toilet paper tubes
Phone books
Photocopies
Post-it notes
Receipts
Shredded paper: in paper bags
Spiral notebooks
Writing tablets

DO NOT INCLUDE

Candy wrappers
Carbon paper
Disposable diapers
Envelopes with bubble wrap
Food-soiled paper and cardboard
Label backings
Paper cups or plates
Paper towels, napkins, tissues
Photographs
Take-out food containers: Chinese, etc.
Tyvek® mailing envelopes
Waxed paper and cardboard
Waxy gable cartons: Milk and Orange Juice

Metal spiral notebooks, paper clips, plastic envelope windows, self-stick labels and staples are allowed to be recycled with the items listed above

Items containing personal information should be shredded and recycled in paper bags