

RECYCLE WHAT FOR?

Thousands of everyday products
are made using recycled materials.

Paper is turned into...

telephone books, egg cartons and newsprint.



Cardboard is turned back into...

cardboard; it's also turned into paper tissues
and paper towels.



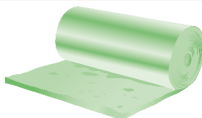
Metal is turned back into...

metal, cans, aluminium plates and paper.



Glass is turned back into...

glass, bottles, jars, as well as mineral wool.



Plastic is turned into...

recycling bins, flower pots, carpets, and park
benches.



HOW TO GET INVOLVED IN RECYCLING EFFORTS?

We can all help decrease the amount of waste
materials by adopting better consumption habits,
reusing, recycling, and composting.

WHEN TO RECYCLE?

Contact your Borough
Hall to find out about
collection procedures in your
residential district or visit

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BETTER RECYCLING AT HOME



Montréal

WHAT IS RECYCLABLE?

PAPER / CARDBOARD



PLASTIC (RINSED)



METAL (RINSED)



GLASS (RINSED)



WHY RINSE YOUR CONTAINERS?

Rinsing soiled containers helps prevent mould and bad odors. It's a matter of respecting employees at the recycling plant.

DID YOU KNOW?

Placing flexible plastic bags together (such as bread bags) into a single, securely tied bag facilitates recycling and avoids blocking machines at the recycling plant.

WHAT IS NOT?



Plastic
Compostable plastic bags



Pots, cake pans



Mirrors, dishes, glass sheets, and light bulbs
(compact fluorescent, LED, incandescent)



Broken tools

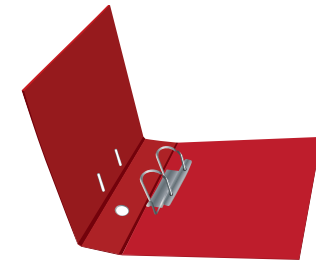
Screws or nails

Toothpaste
tubes

Paint cans



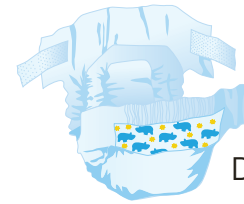
Batteries



Binders



Stickers



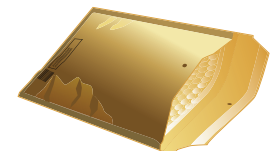
Diapers



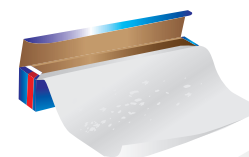
Soiled cardboard



Cereal or chip bags



Padded envelopes



Wax
paper



Paper towels



Stretchable
plastic wrap

ITEMS TO BE DROPPED OFF AT ECOCENTRES

Electric or electronic appliances, (televisions, screens, etc.), hazardous waste (oils, paints, aerosol cans, etc.), and tires.