

# WHAT GOES WHERE?

## BLUE BIN

### ✓ YES PLEASE

Please **WASH, SQUASH** and put in **LOOSE** the following items:

#### Paper:

- Newspapers & magazines
- Brochures & junk mail
- Directories (incl. Yellow Pages)
- Office paper
- Envelopes

#### Cardboard:

- Cereal boxes (without liner)
- Large boxes  
(can also be folded flat and left beside the blue bin)

#### Plastic:

- Plastic bottles from milk, fizzy drinks, shampoo, fabric softener, detergents, washing up liquid etc. (remove tops)
- Yogurt pots
- Margarine & spread containers
- Clean food containers

#### Metal:

- Food, drink & pet food tins (please rinse)
- Clean aluminium foil

## BLACK BIN

### ✓ YES PLEASE

- Soft plastic packaging (cling film, crisp packets, cellophane)
- Expanded polystyrene
- Aerosols
- Tetra-Paks
- Vacuum cleaner contents
- Bagged ash
- Pet waste
- Cooked food
- Meat, fish & bones (securely wrap it first)
- String, wire & coat hangers
- CD's, DVD's & videos
- Nappies

### ITEMS THAT CAN ALSO BE RECYCLED ELSEWHERE:

- Shredded paper - place in home composter, local paper banks or use for animal bedding
- Plastic/carrier bags - can be returned to some supermarkets or reused to wrap food waste in the black bin
- Clothing, textiles & shoes - can be taken to charity shops, placed in textile banks or if badly worn, used as rags
- Glass bottles - can be taken to local glass banks
- Garden waste, vegetable / fruit peelings & teabags - can be home composted. Garden waste should not be put in the black bin

See the back page for more information

## ✗ REMEMBER

No plastic bags/film – No shredded paper – No glass bottles/jars  
IN YOUR BLUE BIN

