



# Your collection dates

# Collection Calendar 2025-2026 Your collection day is...

Please  
place your  
recycling in  
loose

**Rubbish and  
food waste week**

**Recycling and food  
waste week**

## TUESDAY

### Recycling and food waste week

OUT BY  
6am

- Silver food waste bin
- Green recycling bin,  
OR green sack
- Green recycling box

### Rubbish and food waste week

OUT BY  
6am

- Silver food waste bin
- Grey wheelie-bin,  
OR beige bags

2025	Tuesday, <b>November 4th</b>	Tuesday, <b>October 28th</b>	2025
	Tuesday, <b>November 18th</b>	Tuesday, <b>November 11th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>December 2nd</b>	Tuesday, <b>November 25th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>December 16th</b>	Tuesday, <b>December 9th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>December 30th</b>	Tuesday, <b>December 23rd</b>	
2026	Tuesday, <b>January 13th</b>	Tuesday, <b>January 6th</b>	2026
	Tuesday, <b>January 27th</b>	Tuesday, <b>January 20th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>February 10th</b>	Tuesday, <b>February 3rd</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>February 24th</b>	Tuesday, <b>February 17th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>March 10th</b>	Tuesday, <b>March 3rd</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>March 24th</b>	Tuesday, <b>March 17th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>April 7th</b>	Tuesday, <b>March 31st</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>April 21st</b>	Tuesday, <b>April 14th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>May 5th</b>	Tuesday, <b>April 28th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>May 19th</b>	Tuesday, <b>May 12th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>June 2nd</b>	Tuesday, <b>May 26th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>June 16th</b>	Tuesday, <b>June 9th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>June 30th</b>	Tuesday, <b>June 23rd</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>July 14th</b>	Tuesday, <b>July 7th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>July 28th</b>	Tuesday, <b>July 21st</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>August 11th</b>	Tuesday, <b>August 4th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>August 25th</b>	Tuesday, <b>August 18th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>September 8th</b>	Tuesday, <b>September 1st</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>September 22nd</b>	Tuesday, <b>September 15th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>October 6th</b>	Tuesday, <b>September 29th</b>	
	Tuesday, <b>October 20th</b>	Tuesday, <b>October 13th</b>	

To register to have your real Christmas Trees collected by Longfield Community Hospice between **10th-13th January 2026**, contact [www.just-helping.org.uk/register-tree](http://www.just-helping.org.uk/register-tree) or call **01453 886868**.  
Registration opens 14th November and closes at midnight on 6th January 2026.

Between **December 27th** and **January 8th 2026** you can place one extra bag out on your rubbish collection day

**Don't forget!**

You can recycle **small household batteries/vapes/e-cigarettes** weekly, alongside your food waste collection. For more information visit [stroud.gov.uk/batteries](http://stroud.gov.uk/batteries) and [stroud.gov.uk/vapes](http://stroud.gov.uk/vapes)

Silver food waste bin	
	<b>✓ YES PLEASE</b>
food waste	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ all food, cooked &amp; raw</li><li>✓ meat &amp; fish bones</li><li>✓ pet food</li><li>✓ tea bags &amp; coffee grounds</li></ul>

X NO THANKS	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>X food packaging</li><li>X animal waste</li><li>X pet bedding (eg straw or wood shavings)</li><li>X nappies</li></ul>

*Food waste is collected weekly*

Green recycling box	
	<b>✓ YES PLEASE</b>
mixed papers	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ newspapers</li><li>✓ magazines</li><li>✓ paper &amp; catalogues</li><li>✓ wrapping paper</li></ul>
cardboard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ all cardboard</li></ul> <p>(Please flatten/fold large cardboard to the approximate size of your recycling box)</p>

X NO THANKS	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>X plastic wrappers</li><li>X kitchen roll</li><li>X foil/synthetic/glittered wrapping paper</li></ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>X drinks/food cartons (Tetra Paks), place these in your green recycling bin/bag</li></ul>

Green recycling bin or green sack	
	<b>✓ YES PLEASE</b>
mixed metals	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ cans</li><li>✓ tins</li><li>✓ foil</li><li>✓ aerosols</li></ul>
glass bottle & jars	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ glass bottles</li><li>✓ glass jars</li></ul>
plastic packaging	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>✓ plastic bottles</li><li>✓ plastic containers</li><li>✓ plastic pots</li><li>✓ food/drink cartons/tetra paks</li></ul>

X NO THANKS	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>X scrap metal</li><li>X crisp packets</li><li>X pet food pouches</li><li>X car batteries</li><li>X batteries/e-cigs/vapes (recycle weekly alongside food waste, for more information visit <a href="http://stroud.gov.uk/batteries">stroud.gov.uk/batteries</a> &amp; <a href="http://stroud.gov.uk/vapes">stroud.gov.uk/vapes</a>)</li></ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>X glass milk bottles</li><li>X pyrex</li><li>X window &amp; mirror glass</li><li>X light bulbs</li><li>X spectacles</li><li>X drinking glasses</li></ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>X carrier bags &amp; cling film</li><li>X plastic toys</li><li>X large plastic items (e.g. buckets)</li><li>X polystyrene</li><li>X plastic wrapping (e.g. pasta and rice bags and cereal packaging)</li></ul>

**OUT BY 6am**