

Recyclables in Bend La Pine Schools and Homes in Deschutes County

PAPER RECYCLING

In Deschutes County, we can recycle magazines, catalogs, newspapers, paper bags and paperboard (cereal, cracker soda cartons)



Here are common items that are added to bins. THESE are NOT recyclable paper products.

NON - RECYCLABLE PAPER PRODUCTS

Paper



Hot drink cups (clean or dirty)



Takeout boxes



Envelopes with bubble wrap inside



Packaging for printer paper



Frozen food boxes (for ice cream, microwave dinners, etc)

PLASTIC RECYCLING

You might be surprised to learn what can be recycled in the commingled bins at home and at school. The items shown here are some of the most confusing that CAN be recycled.

Plastic



Plastic round containers
(6 oz or more)



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Plastic gallon jugs (for
milk, juice, etc.)



Plastic detergent bottles



Plastic personal care
product bottles (6 oz or
more)



Plastic buckets



Plastic plant pots (4"
diameter or more)

NON – RECYCLABLE PLASTIC

These items create a lot of confusion. DO NOT try to recycle these. They are not recyclable at home or work

Plastic



Plastic takeout containers and utensils



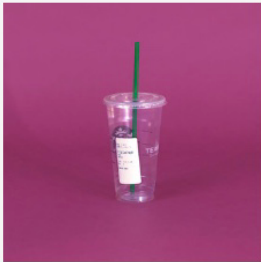
Plastic takeout containers and chopsticks



Plastic takeout containers and utensils



Plastic condiment cups



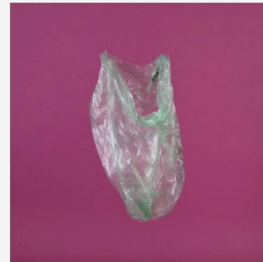
Plastic cups, lids and straws



Plastic produce containers (for berries, herbs, etc.)



Plastic shopping bags



Plastic produce bags



Plastic wrap



Plastic lids



Square plastic snack containers



Plastic food containers that open with a pull tab

METAL RECYCLING

In Deschutes County, we can recycle clean foil, metal cans like soup cans and aluminum soda/pop/beer/bubbly water cans.

Taken from <https://www.recycleornot.org/>