Fortnightly recycling collections 2017/18

Your recyclables will be collected on the same day as your refuse in the highlighted weeks. Please make sure that you put your bins at the kerbside by 7am on the correct day.

For more information visit www.dartford.gov.uk/recycling

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KEY: Recycling collected  □  Bank Holiday  □
Refuse & recycling collections over Christmas & New Year 2017/18

To minimise disruption to collections over the festive period we will be working on Saturday 30 December, Saturday 6 January and Saturday 13 January. All collections return to normal by Monday 15 January 2018

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Refuse & recycling bin quick guide

- Grey recycling bin – paper, cardboard, food and drinks cans, plastic bottles, pots, tubs and trays only
- Black recycling box – glass bottles and jars only
- Brown garden waste bin (if you have one) – grass, leaves, weeds and twigs
- Green refuse bin – household rubbish that can’t be recycled or composted

PLEASE ONLY PUT THE RIGHT THINGS IN THE RIGHT BIN AND PUT YOUR BIN OUT BY 7AM ON THE RIGHT DAY

We know there’s more rubbish at Christmas

“We’re not the sort of council to impose daft rules and regulations and we try especially hard to be flexible at Christmas. We know that families can’t help generating more waste and recycling so if you have more than usual we’ll help out by collecting extra if you bag it up securely and place it alongside your bin.

Please remember that extra waste means extra work for our crews so they may take a little longer to get to you. Have a great Christmas!”

Councillor Steve Brown, Waste & Recycling
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Our common sense approach to Christmas means we might take a little longer to get to you...but we will.

Some Councils are very strict about the amount of rubbish you can put in your bins at Christmas. Not us. We take a much more common sense approach and realise that most households generate more waste over the holidays. Accepting extra rubbish means more work for our hard working staff and it might take a little longer to get to you but if they don’t empty your bin on the anticipated day please leave it out a little longer until they do. Being flexible means we are able to expand our service to you over Christmas.

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