



Thank you for sorting!

Where should I take it? See over the page or check out online: www.kierratys.info



Reusable items

For example

- Textiles and shoes
- Furniture
- Books
- Sporting goods
- Tableware

Sell or **donate** for example in flea markets or through web.

Take clean and dry worn out clothes and textiles to collection.

Your trash could be someone else's treasure.



Biowaste

For example

- Food leftovers
- Gutting remains and peelings
- Coffee filters and tea bags
- Paper towels and serviettes
- Flowers, grass and leaves
- Rotten groceries

Drain liquids from biowaste into drains, but not fats.

Pack biowaste in a newspaper or in a bio-decomposable bag.

Biowaste is turned into biogas and fertilizers.



Paper

For example

- Newspapers and magazines
- Flyers
- Envelopes
- Copying paper and printing paper
- Catalogues

Keep the papers separate, don't tie them.

No cardboard.

No dirty or wet paper.

Paper is recycled into tissue paper or newspaper.



Mixed waste

For example

- Dirty plastic packages and other plastic
- Dirty paper and cardboard
- Diapers and sanitary napkins
- Porcelain, ceramics
- Textiles, leather, rubber
- Vacuum cleaner bags
- Light and halogen bulbs
- Cosmetics
- Ash and cigarette stubs
- Cassettes, CDs and DVDs
- Pet waste

Mixed waste is used for heating and electricity in Tammervoima waste-to-energy plant.



Metals

Small metal articles and packages

- Non-deposit-based cans
- Aluminum pans and foils
- Pots and pans
- Cutlery
- Empty paint tins
- Empty, non-pressurised spray cans

No gas cylinders.

Take large metal objects to waste stations, waste centres or Repe&Romu collection round.

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Metal is recycled into industrial raw material.



Glass packaging

For example

- Glass jars
- Glass bottles

No porcelain, ceramics, glassware, bulbs, mirrors or sheet glass.

Remove the caps and lids.

It is not necessary to remove labels and bottle neck rings.

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Glass is recycled into manufacturing of packaging glass.



Carton packaging

For example

- Milk and juice cartons
- Boxes of cereal and cookies
- Hamburger and pizza boxes
- Disposable tableware made of cardboard
- Paper bags
- Paper tubes and egg cartons
- Wrapping paper and paperboard boxes
- Wrapping cardboard of drinks

Rinse quickly with cold water and drain cartons, **flatten and pack** inside one another.

No dirty and wet carton.

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Cardboard is recycled into industrial raw material.



Plastic packaging

Only empty, clean and dry plastic

For example

- Plastic food packaging
- Plastic carrier bags and wrappings
- Plastic bottles, cans and jars

No other plastic products such as toys, dishes, buckets etc.

Clean plastic to recycling, dirty to energy.



Hazardous waste

For example

- Paints, glues and varnishes
- Solvents and diluents
- Chemicals with danger property
- Waste oil, oil filters and accumulators
- Fluorescent lamps and energy saving bulbs

Store waste in their original packaging.

Take medicines to the pharmacy.

Batteries and cell phone batteries are received at stores selling the new ones

Take hazardous waste to the waste station, waste centre or **Repe & Romu** collection round.

Hazardous waste is channelled to safe treatment.



Electric equipment

For example

- Televisions, radios, mobile phones
- Computer equipment
- Fridges and freezers
- Ovens and microwaves
- Washing machines
- Vacuum cleaners
- Small devices

Take electric equipment to the waste station, waste centre or Repe&Romu collection round.

Ask receiving also at stores selling the new ones.

Materials are recycled.



Twigs and gardening waste

For example

- Twigs
- Leaves and branches
- Apples
- Weeds and grass

Don't mix twigs with other gardening waste.

Take to waste centre in Koukkujärvi or Tarastenjärvi.

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Twigs are chipped into the compost and gardening waste is composted.



Bulky waste and renovation materials

For example

- Furniture, mattresses
- Stone materials, porcelain and tiles
- Insulation, flooring materials
- Timber

Take your waste yourself to the waste station or waste centre. The waste is processed before Tammervoima waste-to-energy plant.

Collect the load so that it is easy to unload and sort in reception. You will save time and money.

Energy usable waste is channelled to Tammervoima. The waste which is not usable for energy, is deposited to the landfill.