

# **Collection Schedule**October 2024 - September 2025



## Residential Green Bin, Recycling, Yard Waste and Garbage Collection

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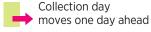
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Holiday - No collection





Green Bin & Recycling



Green Bin, Recycling & Garbage







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## **Garbage Collection**

london.ca/garbage



Use standard garbage bags or metal or plastic cans (minimum 30 L; maximum 125 L).

Maximum weight for bags or cans is 20 kg (44 lbs).

Bags must be larger than 65 x 90 cm and items that can fit in a garbage bag or can should be in one.

Large items such as furniture or mattresses require booking 5 days in advance and there is a 4 item limit. Medium items up to 1 metre wide and 1.5 metres tall may be placed out for collection without booking; 2 cubic metre limit per collection.

Set garbage at the curb by 7 a.m., but no earlier than 6 p.m. the night before. Remove emptied cans or any non-collectable waste from curb by the end of collection day.

Dog poop and cat litter must be double-bagged. free of liquids, and placed inside a larger bag.

Have extra garbage? Bring to an EnviroDepot or use Garbage Tags for curbside collection over the 3-Container Limit (\$2/container).

## DON'Ts (X)

**DON'T** set out small items or use undersized bags (grocery or kitchen).

#### These materials will not be collected:

- Appliances & electronics
- Cracked or broken toilets
- Fluorescent bulbs & tubes
- · Renovation materials
- Scrap metal (bikes, metal furniture, etc.)
- Tires

**DON'T** place these items loose into the garbage: sawdust, cigarette ash, vacuum dust or COVID-19 related items such as tissues, napkins, towels, gloves & masks. Bag these items and place in a large bag

DON'T put broken glass, or sharp metal objects in regular garbage. Place in a sealed cardboard box and clearly label "Caution Sharp' for collectors.

**DON'T** put needles in the garbage. Place in a rigid container and contact your local pharmacy or visit **healthsteward.ca** or london.ca/needles for safe disposal options.

#### **3-CONTAINER LIMIT**



#### Maximum 3-Container Limit 1 container = 1 can or 1 bag

Max weight: 20 kg (44 lbs) Max can size: 125 L Max bag size: 80 cm x 125 cm

#### Have extra garbage?

- Accepted at EnviroDepots \$2/garbage bag.
- Garbage tags (\$2/tag) for collection over the 3-Container Limit. Purchase tags at the EnviroDepots, City Hall and Community Centres.
- There are four exemption collections per year when the 3-Container Limit is not enforced: in March, late April/early May, early September, and following Christmas.

### There are rules for large furniture & bulky item collection

Booking requests must be completed at least 5 business days in advance, online at service.london.ca or by phone at 519-661-2489. Collection will occur on your next scheduled garbage day. Large items are over 1 metre wide, 1.5 metres tall and require 2 or more people to safely place at the curb. There is a four item limit per collection.

Learn more about large furniture & bulky item collection at london.ca/garbage

### **EnviroDepots**

Summer hours: Mon-Fri 10 am to 7 pm, Sat 8 am - 5 pm & Sun 11 am - 5 pm

Winter hours: Dec 2, 2024, to March 10, 2025, Wed 12 pm - 5 pm, Sat 8 am - 5 pm

Additional winter dates: Dec 27, Jan 2 & Jan 12 london.ca/envirodepots

## **Recycling Collection**

Use separate Blue Boxes for Paper and Containers. Blue Boxes must be properly sorted for collection.









Cardboard boxes (flatten & bundle)



When in doubt, check it out at london.ca/WhatGoesWhere

Recyclables in these containers will NOT be collected:



## **Green Bin Collection**

Use your Green Bin for organic materials such as food scraps, spoiled food and soiled paper.

Meat, poultry.

Fats, cooking

oils, and food

salad dressing.

gravy & sauces

grease, FOG cups.

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#### **GREEN BIN**

Bread, cereal. baked goods, grains, candy & pasta

Soiled food paper

plates & muffin

pizza boxes &

wrappers, soiled

Paper egg cartons,

newsprint & paper bags

Nuts, seeds, & dairy products





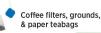


















## Tips to remember

- Using a liner in the kitchen container and Green Bin is optional. If using a liner, a paper liner or certified compostable liner is acceptable.
- Please remove food from packaging before placing into the Green Bin. No plastic or waxed containers, bags or wraps.
- · Maximum weight is 20 kg (44 lbs)

## **Yard Waste** Iondon.ca/compost

- Place Yard Waste at the curb by 7 a.m. on the first day of your scheduled week, but no earlier than 6 p.m. the night before. Crews will only collect from each street or complex once during the collection week.
- Includes: Christmas trees, brush, and pumpkins, or leaves in paper bags, plastic or metal cans between 30 L - 125 L or certified compostable bags with
- Brush must be less than 10 cm in diameter and cut into 1 m lengths. Tie in bundles with twine.
- Maximum weight per container or bundle is 20 kg (44 lbs).
- Container size: 30 L minimum and 125 L maximum.
- · No grass clippings.













#### Dirt/soil, rocks, sod

- Large branches, tree stumps
- · Grass clippings
- Flower pots/trays Kitchen scraps
- Pet waste
- Painted or treated wood. railway ties