

Recycling at the University

Reducing waste and increasing our reuse and recycling rates are key priorities at the University and there are a variety of waste and recycling initiatives across campus to minimise our environmental impact and support the circular economy.



DONATE

Leave Liverpool Tidy is a city-wide project run by the Guild of Students that aims to re-use and recycle unwanted belongings. Donate clothes, bags, books and other small items.



Paper recycling bins are available across campus. You can recycle white or coloured paper, envelopes newspapers and magazines, directories, brochures, leaflets and thin card.



PAPER

PLASTIC BOTTLES



Plastic recycling bins are available across campus. You can recycle washed plastic bottles, tubs and trays which display the PET and HDPE symbols.

All University buildings and student halls have 3 different recycling bins. Blue bins are for paper, red bins are for plastic bottles and grey bins are for metal.



TINS AND CANS

You can recycle food and drinks cans which have been washed, tin foil and foil trays.



IT EQUIPMENT



The University provides a collection and recycle service for redundant IT equipment.

Glass Recycling bins are available on the main university campus, adjacent to the Sydney Jones Library, Student Health Building, Eleanor Rathbone Building and opposite the Harold Cohen Library. You can recycle washed glass bottles and jars.



GLASS BOTTLE AND JARS



BATTERIES

Batteries can be recycled with convenience in BatteryBack bins.

COLLECTION SERVICE

The University collects paper, cardboard, fridges, freezers, washing machines and other electrical and electronic components from University buildings to be 100% recycled.



CRISP PACKETS

The Guild of Students reception has a collection point for Terracycle's crisp packet recycling scheme.



The best thing you can do is create less waste wherever possible. Try to avoid disposable coffee cups, plastic bottles, straws and cutlery and use reusable items instead. Buy products with minimal/no packaging and when you do have to throw something away, it's important to recycle.

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