

4 Simple Steps to **Recycle Right**® at Home

Recycling at home is one of the best ways to help reduce waste, save resources and create a sustainable tomorrow. Follow these four simple steps to **Recycle Right**® at home.



1. Select a Container and Space

Select a container and place it where you generate recyclables - in the kitchen, pantry or home office. There's no wrong place to **Recycle Right**®.

Best Practice: Set up several recycling containers around the house to collect bottles, cans, paper and cardboard.



2. Label Your Recycling Container

Know what and how to **Recycle Right**® with an easy-to-follow label. Scan the QR Code or visit wm.com/recycleright to download a label in English or Spanish.

Best Practice: Place the label on or above your container.



3. Collect Your Recycling

Recycle clean and dry bottles, cans, paper and cardboard (flattened). Keep food, liquid and loose plastic bags out of recycling. Do not bag your recyclables.

Best Practice: Identify a place to store large, broken-down cardboard boxes until you can take them to your cart with your other recycling.



4. Set Up a Routine

Create a simple routine to regularly empty smaller recycling containers throughout your home into a larger recycling container.

Best Practice: Take the recycling container with you each time you take out the trash.



A Second Life for Your Recycling

Every time you choose to recycle, you may be giving that item a second life to serve a different purpose as something new - sneakers, backpacks, purses, jeans and more. See how at www.youtube.com/wastemanagement/videos.



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