

#breakfreefromplastic

WASTE CLASSIFICATION TABLE

1. Plastic Bags	T-shirt bags
2. Composite/Multi-layered packaging	Shampoo packets, toothpaste sachets, coffee sachets, junk food wrappers, etc
3. Single-layer plastics	Clear flexible plastics and other plastics that do not fall under numbers 1 & 2.
4. Polystyrene	Food containers, coffee cups, disposable plastic cups and utensils (usually designated by #3 printed at bottom of container)
5. Hard Plastic (HDPE / /LDPE / PP)	All kinds of hard plastics like shampoo bottles, lotion bottles, bottle caps, (usually designated by the numbers 2, 4, 5 printed at bottom of container)
6. PET plastics	Soda bottles, water bottles, juice bottles (usually designated by the #1 printed at bottom of container)
7. Drinking straws	
8. Diapers and sanitary pads	
9. Metals / Cans	Aluminum, foil, other types of metals
10. Glass	All kinds of glass EXCEPT thermometers, light bulbs, medicine packs and bottles, medical supplies
11. Paper / cartons / cardboards	All kinds of paper products
12. Biodegradable waste	All kinds of bio waste except paper and cartons
13. Cigarette butts	
14. Textile	All kinds of cloths, rags, etc
15. Ceramics	Pottery, plates, mugs, ceramic figurines, etc
16. Hazardous waste	Paint cans, light bulbs, PVC plastics (<i>PVC plastic can be rigid or flexible and is commonly used as pipes, wrapping for bedding, deli and meats, shrink wraps, plastic toys, table cloths, shower curtains, usually designated by #3 printed at the bottom of the container</i>), etc
17. Medical waste	Thermometers, syringes, medicine bottles, etc
18. Footwear	Slippers and shoes
19. Others	Rubbers, all other kinds of waste that don't fall under the categories above