

## How to Collect

**Empty & Clean!** Sort and separate items at home before bringing to SARCAN.

### Flexible Plastics:

Ensure the items are clean and empty, then bag flexible plastics together - **Pro Tip!** Use an accepted flexible plastic bag to collect and store your flexible plastics!

Stickers, tape, and paper labels adhered to the plastic are accepted.

### Foam Packaging:

Ensure the items are clean, then collect white foam together and coloured foam together. **Pro Tip!** Since foam items need to be placed in the bagstand loosely, use a reusable bag to bring these items!

Stickers, tape, paper labels, and liquid absorbing pads need to be removed.

### Non-deposit Glass Bottles and Jars:

Remove the lids and ensure items are clean. **Pro Tip!** Collect non-deposit glass with your deposit glass containers in a bin or cardboard box!

Bottles and jars must be intact and not broken.

**THANKS FOR  
RECYCLING AT  
SARCAN!**

## About SK Recycles

SK Recycles is a not-for-profit organization responsible for managing the recycling of household packaging and paper across Saskatchewan.

Working with producers, local governments, First Nations and Métis communities, private companies, and other organizations, SK Recycles ensures household materials are collected from households and depots, sorted, and responsibly recycled.

Their program is funded by businesses that include retailers, manufacturers, and restaurants that supply packaging and paper to Saskatchewan residents.

### A Part of Your Community

Through our partnership with SK Recycles, all 73 SARCAN Recycling depots across Saskatchewan accept flexible plastic packaging, foam packaging, and non-deposit glass bottles & jars. Visit [sarcana.ca](http://sarcana.ca) to find the location nearest you and find out their hours of operation.

### Flex Your Recycling Skills:

Recycling these materials at your local SARCAN depot is quick and easy!

When you get to the depot, look for the SK Recycles signage and bagstand station.

- Collect your flexible plastics in an accepted plastic bag and place it in the bagstand.
- Sort foam by colour into the designated bagstand, placing each piece in loosely.
- Non-deposit glass can be collected and returned with deposit glass containers.

## Flexible Plastic, Foam Packaging, Non-deposit Glass Bottle & Jar Recycling



**AT**  
**SARCAN**  
RECYCLING

Social responsibility



Environmental sustainability



Community building

## Accepted Flexible Plastics

- **Plastic bags and overwrap**, such as shopping bags, bags for bread, produce, dry cleaning, Bags for water softener, salt, garden products, etc; overwrap on diapers, paper towel, feminine hygiene products, flats of beverages; overwrap on mattresses and electronics
- **Stand-up and zipper lock pouches** for frozen foods (e.g. berries, vegetables, prawns); food storage, sandwich, freezer, and vacuum seal bags
- **Crinkly wrappers and bags**, such as chip bags, candy, dried pasta, cereal, etc. wrappers for cheese slices, snack bars, instant noodles, etc.
- **Flexible packaging with plastic seal** for fresh pasta, pre-packaged deli meats/cheese, etc.
- **Woven and net plastic bags** for avocados, onions, oranges, etc.
- **Non-food protective packaging** like shipping envelopes, plastic air packets, bubble wrap
- **Transparent single-use recycling bags**
- **Reusable plastic-only carry-out bags** (provided with purchase or purchased)
- **Squishy cushion packaging** (polyethylene foam)
- **Plastic shrink wrap**
- **Purchased gift bags and boxes**
- **Reusable plastic curbside recycling bags**
- **LDPE/HDPE plastic sheets**
- **Plastic bubble wrap**



Garbage bags, Rigid Plastic Containers, Plastic Squeeze Tubes, Plastic-Lined Paper, Crinkly Cellophane for floral arrangements, etc., 6-pack rings, Vinyl (PVC #3), Biodegradable Plastic

## Accepted Foam Packaging

- **Foam food containers and trays** such as meat trays, foam egg cartons, foam clamshells, foam cups and bowls, etc. (this includes white and coloured foam)
- **Foam Cushion Packaging** Used to protect electronics, small appliances, etc.



Foam Insulation, Packing Chips, and Peanuts, Protective and Squishy Cushion Packaging, Foam Noodles

### Want to recycle something not listed?

We do take a lot, but not everything is recyclable at SARCAN. For information on how to recycle other household products, please visit the Saskatchewan Waste Reduction Council's "Where to Recycle" database at

[www.saskwastereduction.ca](http://www.saskwastereduction.ca)

## Accepted Non-Deposit Glass Bottles & Jars

- **Food jars** such as pickles, condiments, jams/jellies, sauces, salsa, vegetables.
- **Food bottles** (vinegars, oils, sauces)
- **Baby juice bottles**
- **Home canning jars**
- **Glass storage containers**



Dishes and Cookware, Windows and Mirrors, Light Bulbs, Ceramic Products

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