

Recycle your plastic bags and wrapping

Residents in the Vale of Glamorgan already recycle 70% of their waste, but we want to help you recycle even more.

From Monday 21 April 2025, we are trialling a new collections service to find out the best way to **collect and recycle your plastic bags and wrapping**.

The trial will take place over nine months. When the trial ends, we'll tell you if we'll continue collecting these items from you in the same way, or how you should dispose of these items in future.

The items we collect from you as part of the trial will be recycled into new products, such as Bags for Life and bin bags. This will reduce our reliance on new or 'virgin' materials to create single-use plastic products like these and enable us to recycle more of our waste from home.

Did you know that... almost 10% (9.8%) of what's in your black bags is made up of plastic bags and wrapping?



Starts on
MONDAY
21 APRIL
2025

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What should I do?

With this leaflet, we've delivered to your home a **roll of blue sacks**.



From **Monday 21 April**, please:

- 1.** place your empty plastic bags and wrapping items in a blue sack (see the next page for the types of items we'll collect from you)
- 2.** once filled, tie your sack securely with a double knot to prevent its contents from escaping
- 3.** place your sack inside your blue bag for mixed metals, plastics and cartons on your usual collection day

Please **place items loosely inside your sacks**; don't put one item inside another, as this makes it difficult to sort your items when they're being processed for recycling.

You shouldn't need to put out more than one full sack each week throughout the trial, but if you need to collect more sacks, visit your local library or contact us.



Enter our prize draw to win a £50 gift card

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Tell us what you think about the trial by filling in a **quick survey**, and we'll enter you into a prize draw to win a **£50 One4all Gift Card**.

The survey will be open from Monday 30 June for four weeks.

We'll write to you again just before the survey opens.

To enter the prize draw, or for more information about the trial, scan the QR code, visit www.valeofglamorgan.gov.uk/SoftPlastics or call us on **01446 729566**.

Please note: the value of the prize draw gift card has been funded to Vale of Glamorgan Council by Welsh Government; it is not paid for using residents' Council Tax payments.



What items should I put in my sacks?

 Plastic carrier bags	 Crisp and nut packets	 Biscuit packets	 Plastic chocolate bar and sweet wrappers	 Pasta and rice bags
 Bread bags	 Cereal box liners	 Plastic parcel/delivery bags	 Plastic labels/wrapping from around drinks bottles	 Plastic cat and dog food bags
 Dry cleaning bags and bags covering new clothing	 Plastic packaging used by retailers to deliver household items, such as appliances	 Plastic garden compost and topsoil bags	 Plastic wrapping used for crisp, nut and sweet multipacks	 Ready-packed fruit, salad and vegetable bags
 Thin plastic bags for loose fruit, salad and vegetable items	 Film, such as ready meal lids and yoghurt pot lids	 Freezer bags	 Frozen food bags	 Magazine and newspaper wrapping
 Multipack wrapping and rings from bottle and can multipacks	 Wrapping from toilet and kitchen roll packs	<div style="border: 2px solid red; border-radius: 15px; padding: 10px; text-align: center;"> <p>Please ensure your plastic bags and wrapping items are empty and give them a quick rinse to remove as much food residue as possible.</p> </div>		

What items should I NOT put in my sacks?



Cling film



Polystyrene or foam



Crisp tubes



Pouches or sachets used for food (like microwavable rice), drinks, baby or pet food



Sharing bags or pouches used for chocolates or sweets



Pouches or sachets used for cleaning products, such as dishwasher or laundry capsules or tablets



Plastic netting used to package fruit and vegetables



Plastic punched pockets, such as 'Poly Pockets'



Plastic straws or cutlery



Disposable gloves or masks



Balloons



Blister packs, that is, the plastic packaging used for pills and tablets



Please continue to put these items in your black bags for non-recyclable waste. We won't collect your blue sacks if they contain incorrect items or contain food or liquid.

Your **recycling** is **making a BIG difference** in the Vale of Glamorgan. Thank you for continuing to do the right thing and for doing your bit for the environment, by sorting your waste and recycling.

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Ailgylchwch eich bagiau a deunydd lapio plastig

Mae preswylwyr Bro Morgannwg eisoes yn ailgylchu 70% o'u gwastraff, ond rydym am eich helpu i ailgylchu mwy fyth.

O ddydd Llun 21 Ebrill 2025, byddwn yn treialu gwasanaeth casglu newydd i ddarganfod y ffordd orau o gasglu ac ailgylchu eich bagiau plastig a deunydd lapio.

Bydd y treial yn cael ei gynnal dros naw mis. Pan ddaw'r treial i ben, byddwn yn dweud wrthyhych a fyddwn yn parhau i gasglu'r eitemau hyn gennych yn yr un ffordd, neu sut y dylech gael gwared ar yr eitemau hyn yn y dyfodol.

Bydd yr eitemau rydyn ni'n eu casglu gennych chi fel rhan o'r treial yn cael eu hailgylchu i wneud nwyddau newydd, fel Bagiau am Oes a bagiau bin. Bydd hyn yn lleihau ein dibyniaeth ar ddeunyddiau newydd neu 'ddeunydd crai' wrth greu nwyddau plastig untro fel y rhain a'n galluogi i ailgylchu mwy o'n gwastraff o gartref.

Wyddoch chi fod... bron i 10% (9.8%) o'r hyn sydd yn eich bagiau du yn cynnwys bagiau a deunydd lapio plastig?

Yn dechrau
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21 EBRILL
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Beth ddylwn i ei wneud?

Gyda'r daflen hon, rydym wedi danfon i'ch cartref **rol yn o sachau glas**.

O ddydd Llun 21 Ebrill, os gwelwch yn dda:

- 1.** rhowch eich bagiau a deunydd lapio plastig gwag mewn sach las (gweler y dudalen nesaf am y mathau o eitemau y byddwn yn eu casglu gennych)
- 2.** ar ôl ei llenwi, clymwch eich sach yn ddiogel gyda chwlm dwbl i atal ei chynnwys rhag dianc
- 3.** rhowch eich sach y tu mewn i'ch bag glas ar gyfer metelau, plastigion a chartonau cymysg ar eich diwrnod casglu arferol

Rhowch eitemau yn rhydd y tu mewn i'ch sachau; peidiwch â rhoi un eitem y tu mewn i un arall, gan fod hyn yn ei gwneud hi'n anodd sortio'ch eitemau pan fyddant yn cael eu prosesu i'w hailgylchu.

Ni ddylai fod angen i chi roi mwy nag un sach wedi'i llenwi allan bob wythnos yn ystod y treial, ond os oes angen i chi gasglu mwy o sachau, ewch i'ch llyfrgell leol neu cysylltwch â ni.



Rhowch gynnig ar ein raffl i ennill cerdyn rhodd gwerth £50

Dywedwch eich barn wrthym am y treial drwy lenwi **arolwg cyflym**, a byddwn yn eich cynnwys mewn raffl i ennill **Cerdyn Rhodd One4all** gwerth £50.

Bydd yr arolwg ar agor o ddydd Llun 30 Mehefin am bedair wythnos.

Byddwn yn ysgrifennu atoch eto ychydig cyn i'r arolwg agor.

I gymryd rhan yn y raffl, neu i gael rhagor o wybodaeth am y treial, sganwch y cod QR, ewch i www.valeofglamorgan.gov.uk/PlastigauMeddal neu ffoniwch ni ar **01446 729566**.

Sylwer: mae gwerth cerdyn rhodd y raffl wedi'i ariannu i Gyngor Bro Morgannwg gan Lywodraeth Cymru; nid yw'n cael ei dalu amdano gan ddefnyddio taliadau Treth y Cyngor preswylwyr.

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Pa eitemau ddylwn i eu rhoi yn fy sachau?



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Sicrhewch fod eich bagiau a deunydd lapio plastig yn wag a rhowch rinsiad cyflym iddynt i gael gwared â chymaint o weddillion bwyd â phosibl.

Pa eitemau NA ddylwn i eu rhoi yn fy sachau?



Haenen lynu



Polystyren neu ewyn



Tiwbiau creision



Codenni neu sachets a ddefnyddir ar gyfer bwyd (fel reis microdon), diodydd, bwyd babanod neu anifeiliaid anwes



Bagiau rhannu neu godenni a ddefnyddir ar gyfer siocledi neu losin



Codenni neu sachets a ddefnyddir ar gyfer nwyddau glanhau, fel capsïwlau neu dabledi peiriant golchi llestri neu olchi dillad



Rhwydi plastig a ddefnyddir i bacio ffrwythau a llysiau



Pocedi plastig tylllog, fel 'Poly Pockets'



Gwellt neu gyllyll ffyrcc plastig



Menig neu fasnau tafladwy



Balwnau



Pecynnau swigod plastig a ddefnyddir ar gyfer tabledi



Daliwch ati i roi'r eitemau hyn yn eich bagiau du ar gyfer gwastraff na ellir ei ailgylchu.

Ni fyddwn yn casglu eich sachau glas os ydynt yn cynnwys eitemau anghywir neu'n cynnwys bwyd neu hylif.

Mae eich **ailgylchu** yn gwneud **gwahaniaeth MAWR** ym Mro Morgannwg.

Diolch i chi am barhau i wneud y peth iawn a chwarae eich rhan dros yr amgylchedd, drwy sortio eich gwastraff ac ailgylchu.

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