

Physics  
Infrastructure Newsletter

# **Waste Management**

<https://www.strath.ac.uk/sustainablestrathclyde/recycling/>

# Waste & Recycling UPDATE



Simplified  
signage

Standard  
bin order

'Foolproof' lids



# RECYCLING MADE SIMPLE @ STRATHCLYDE



**general waste**



**paper**



**plastic bottles**



**cans**



**food waste**

Paper towels  
Coffee cup & lid  
Crisp packets  
Sandwich wrap  
Cling film  
Polystyrene  
Contaminated items

Clean paper  
Newspaper  
Clean cardboard  
Paper envelopes

Clean plastic bottles ONLY

Clean cans ONLY

Tea bags  
Coffee grounds  
Raw & cooked food  
Bread & cakes

Clean paper  
Plastic bottles  
Cans  
Food

Paper towels  
Pizza boxes  
Sandwich wrap  
Coffee cup

Coffee cup & lid  
Food pots  
Polystyrene  
Cling film  
Crisp packets  
Plastic bags  
Plastic cutlery

Crisp packets  
Foil

Packaging  
Wrappers  
Cutlery

NO LIQUIDS

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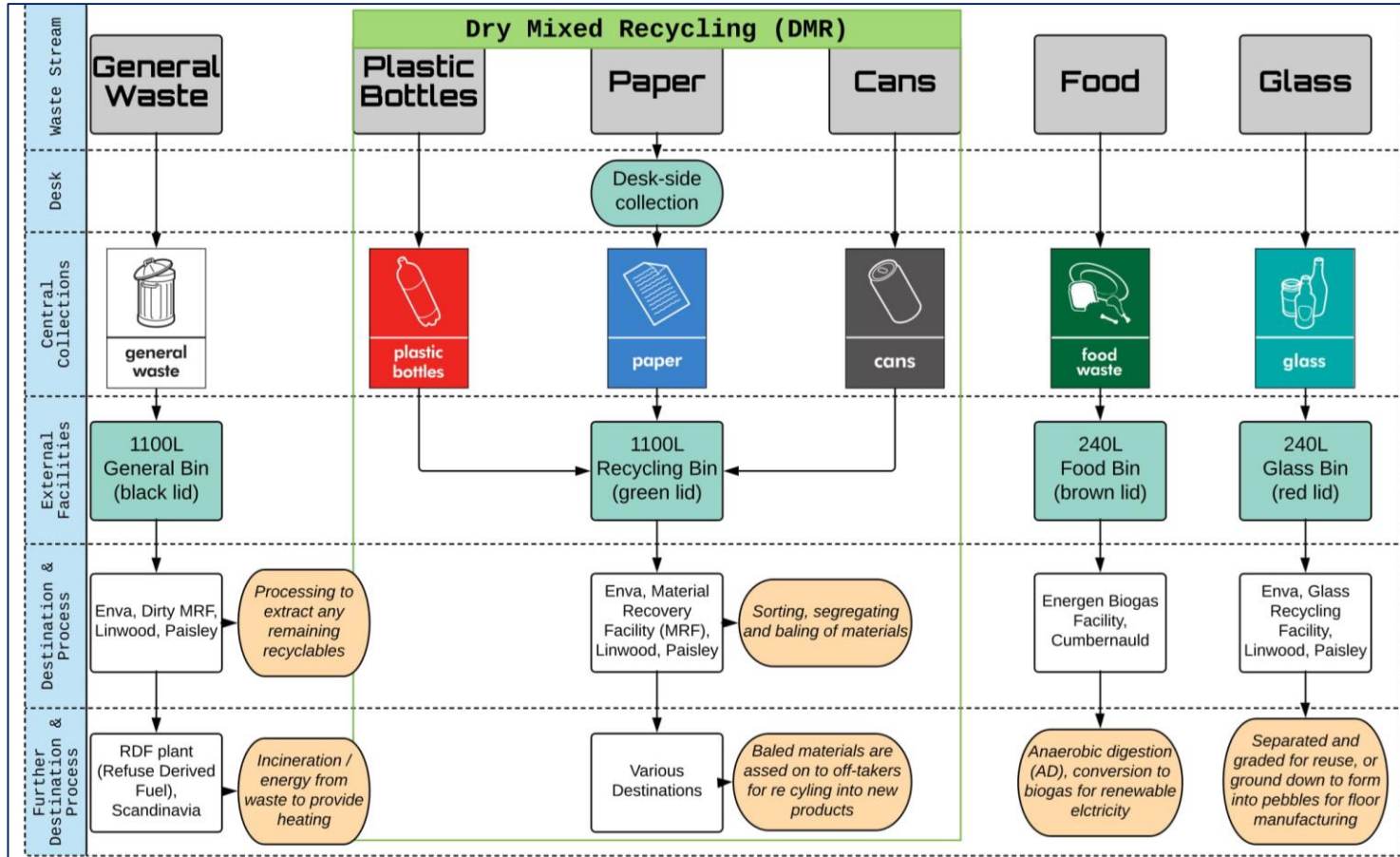
# Contamination ISSUES

Target: < 20%



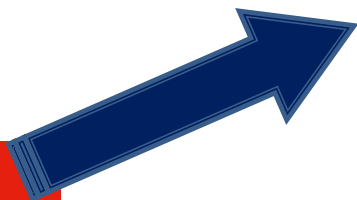
<i>Audit Period</i>	<i>May &amp; June 2017</i>	<i>Aug &amp; Sep 2017</i>	<i>January 2018</i>	<i>April 2018</i>	<i>August 2018</i>	<i>November 2018</i>
<b>Building</b>	<b>Contamination</b>	<b>Contamination</b>	<b>Contamination</b>	<b>Contamination</b>	<b>Contamination</b>	<b>Contamination</b>
Barony Hall	56.6%	54.0%	57.5%	bin empty	94.8%	58.0%
Curran	84.1%	55.2%	14.7%	30.7%	63.6%	0.0%
Estates	84.1%	39.6%	46.0%	62.0%	62.9%	bin empty
William Duncan	23.4%	48.0%	41.0%	bin empty	60.8%	60.0%
Graham Hills	58.3%	74.0%	52.7%	48.0%	46.2%	58.0%
Henry Dyer	81.9%	30.2%	61.9%	58.0%	87.7%	59.0%
James Weir	n/a	n/a	n/a	n/a	85.6%	bin empty
John Anderson	32.1%	29.6%	26.7%	38.0%	58.0%	n/a
Livingstone Tower	59.5%	67.7%	28.9%	47.0%	67.9%	83.0%
Lord Todd	0.0%	63.4%	23.0%	68.0%	38.0%	28.0%
McCance	59.9%	55.0%	57.2%	51.0%	55.9%	47.0%
Royal College	63.6%	63.0%	51.3%	53.0%	68.7%	n/a
SIPBS Biomedical	67.3%	50.5%	59.6%	44.0%	30.8%	18.0%
Thomas Graham	55.2%	14.3%	49.5%	56.0%	29.7%	0.0%
TIC	59.5%	8.5%	17.9%	18.0%	43.6%	63.0%
University Centre	72.8%	79.0%	12.2%	35.9%	63.2%	79.0%
Sports Building NEW						0.0%
Wolfson	73.4%					
<b>Average Contamination level</b>	<b>58.2%</b>	<b>48.8%</b>	<b>40.0%</b>	<b>46.9%</b>	<b>59.8%</b>	<b>42.5%</b>

# What happens to our WASTE?



# NEW CONTRACT - What is changing?

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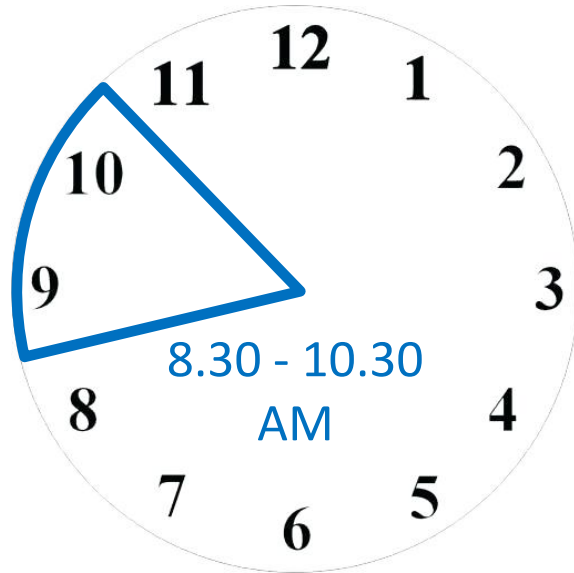


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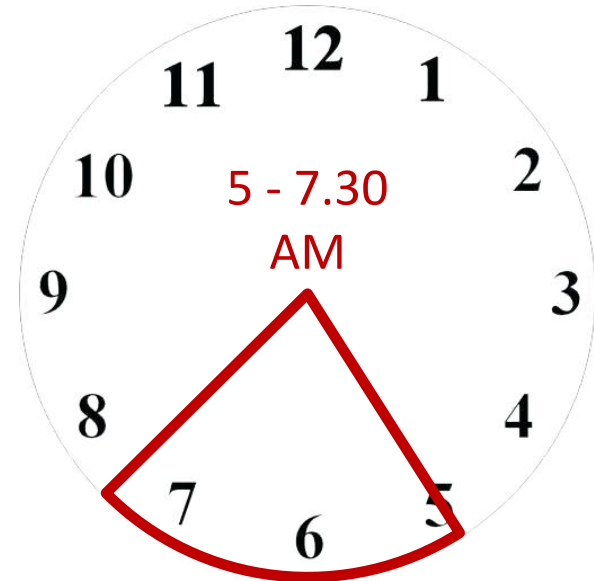
## Bin uplift times

CURRENT



...March

FUTURE



The background of the slide is a close-up photograph of green leaves and a thin branch, overlaid with a semi-transparent green filter. The leaves are vibrant green and have a serrated edge. The branch is dark and runs diagonally across the frame.

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# New external bins



Green lid



Black lid



# New external bins



Brown lid



Red lid



## Dry Mixed Recycling

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1. Empty 2. Rinse 3. Sort. **Please don't contaminate recyclates**



NO Liquids  No Food  No Coffee Cups  No Black Bags 

# GENERAL WASTE

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Please recycle as much of the material you have to minimise General Waste





- Black Bags
- Polystyrene
- String
- Crisps and sweet wrappers
- Floor sweepings
- Old cloths and mop heads
- Soiled, dirty food containers
- Contaminated packaging
- Tetrapak cartons

### Food Waste

Only food waste.








general  
waste

- Vegetable Peeling
- Fruit & Vegetables
- Meat Scraps
- Meat/ Chicken
- Pastry

- Uneaten Meals
- Bones
- Egg Shells
- Bread/Rolls/Buns

- Rice
- Biscuits
- Coffee Grinds
- Tea Bags/Leaves

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