

Recycling Guide

As part of our pledge to take an active role in reducing Newent's carbon footprint and in avoiding pollution, we are producing a series of A-Z posters. Here is 'T to V'.

- Take-away coffee cups and Tetrapaks these can be taken to the recycling bank in in the Lake car car park.
- **Textiles** if in good condition, try the charity shops or the Recycling Shop.
 - **Toner cartridges** cannot be recycled as easily as inkjet cartridges. Take them to Curry's in Gloucester or try https://www.returnatoner.com/.
- **Toothpaste tubes and toothbrushes** The Recycling Shop has a Terracycle collection point for dental items (not electric toothbrushes) but the service can be variable.
- **Toys and games** if in good condition, donate to a charity shop or The Recycling Shop. If in need of mending, take to the Repair Cafe.
- **Tumble driers** arrange a bulky waste collection from the FoDDC. at a cost of £28 for up to three items or take to a Household Recycling Centre (HRC) or to Curry's (see below).
- TVs and monitors take to an HRC or Curry's.
- **Tyres** are no longer accepted at HRCs (except bicycle tyres). Tyre repairers will dispose of them for customers or call a fee charging collection company.
- UPVC windows and doors take to an HRC.
- **Upholstered furniture** take to the HRC or if usable and have a fire safety label attached, contact the Furniture Recycling Project in Gloucester who collect furniture and household items, including white goods and electricals (in working order) for resale. 01452 302303. https://frpglos.org.uk/ Otherwise, contact the FoDDC for a paid-for collection.
- **Vapes** return to the shop for recycling. Since the Take-Back Scheme started in 2020, retailers must accept most items for recycling. Curry's go a step further and accept any electrical item in-store.
- Mend & Repair Cafe Newent Memorial Hall, third Saturday of the month, 10am - 1pm.
- The Recycling Shop Sheppard Way, Newent, GL18 1TL Mon-Sat 10am 4pm
 - Forest of Dean District Council recycling and waste services https://www.fdean.gov.uk/bins-and-recycling/
- GCC Household Waste and Recycling Centre https:// www.gloucestershirerecycles.com/household-recycling-centres-hrcs