



Newent
Town Council



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 'G to H'.

- **Garden waste** - use a compost bin if you have space in your garden. Build one from pallets, buy one from £25 or get a green wheelie bin from FoDDC. Details for purchase of bins at a discount and for wheelie bins and licences are on FoDDC website - see below.
- **Glass (bottle and jars)** - rinse and remove lids before placing in your kerbside recycling box. Metal tops and lids can be recycled with cans and tins.
- **Glass (ornaments, Pyrex, glasses and tumblers)** - if usable, donate to a charity shop or The Recycling Shop, If broken, wrap securely and put in your black wheelie bin.
- **Glass (sheet, broken)** - Do not use the kerbside recycling box. Take to a Household Waste Centre or, for a small quantity, wrap securely and place in your general waste.
- **Glasses (spectacles)** - Specsavers will recycle used spectacles, cases and contact lenses.
- **Greetings cards** - can be upcycled into new cards with Cobalt charity at Linton House, Thirlestaine Rd, Cheltenham, GL53 7AS (01242 535922) No Xmas cards accepted after mid-January. Recycle with paper/card unless containing foil, glitter or ribbon.
- **Hair conditioner and shampoo bottles** - rinse and place in your kerbside plastics recycling box. Remove tops and place in general waste.
- **Hairdryers** - place in a plastic bag and leave on top of your black wheelie bin.
- **Handwash soap bottles** - rinse and place in your plastics recycling box, but remove the pump first and dispose of with your general waste.
- **Hard plastic** - not yet recycled in this area but the FoDDC is working on it.
- **Hardcore and rubble** - take to a Household Waste and Recycling Centre.
- **Hazardous waste** - use a Household Waste and Recycling Centre.
- **Hearing aids** - return NHS hearing aids to a hospital or return to supplier.

- 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>