**What can’t I put in the crate?**

**DON’T**
put the following items in your crate

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<th>Plastics</th>
<th>Glass</th>
<th>Other</th>
<th>Paper/card</th>
<th>Additional</th>
<th>Hazardous Material</th>
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<td>NO plastic films or bags</td>
<td>NO light bulbs</td>
<td>NO nappies</td>
<td>NO painted or waxed paper</td>
<td>NO paint and rope</td>
<td>eg; pesticides, oil or toxic chemicals</td>
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<td>NO chippie packets</td>
<td>NO broken glass</td>
<td>NO food scraps</td>
<td>NO wrapping paper</td>
<td>NO cups, plates, saucers</td>
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<td>NO cereal liners</td>
<td>NO window glass</td>
<td>NO flowers</td>
<td>NO drink cartons</td>
<td>NO toys</td>
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<td>NO coffee refills</td>
<td>NO mirrors</td>
<td>NO paint and rope</td>
<td>NO milk cartons</td>
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<td>NO oil containers</td>
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**Marlborough’s Other Recycling Facilities**

**Transfer Stations**
The transfer stations located in Blenheim, Picton, Havelock, Rai Valley, Wairau Valley and Seddon will accept whiteware, scrap metal, and waste oil (charges apply).

**Re-use Centre**
The Blenheim Re-use Centre accepts donations of items suitable for resale. You can also drop these items at any local transfer station. Additional reuse facilities are available at the following transfer stations: Picton, Havelock, Rai Valley, Wairau Valley and Seddon.

**E-waste Collection Facility**
The Blenheim E-waste facility accepts unwanted electronic items for recycling. You can also drop these items at any local transfer station (charges apply).

**Salvage Yard**
The Blenheim Salvage Yard accepts donations of items suitable for resale. You can also drop these items at any local transfer station (charges apply).

**Greenwaste Acceptance Facility**
The Greenwaste Acceptance Facility on Wither Road in Blenheim will accept a range of greenwaste materials suitable for composting (charges apply). Grass clippings are also accepted at this facility and sent to landfill for disposal (charges apply).

Important Information for Households

- “What do we recycle?”
- “What don’t we recycle?”

If its not in the crate it’ll be left at the gate

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The Recycling Market

The recycling market is based on the supply of and demand for contamination free, recyclable products. With your help we can ensure that Marlborough continues to generate quality material to sell into this market.

The Collection Vehicles

The collection vehicles, operated under contract to Council, allow materials to be sorted as the vehicle travels. The body of the vehicle is divided into a number of compartments for the storage of various materials.

The Resource Recovery Centre

The collection vehicles deliver the sorted materials to the Resource Recovery Centre at Wither Road in Blenheim. Here they are put through a further quality control process prior to baling ready for resale to suitable recycling processors.

What can I put in the crate?

**DO** put the following items in your crate

**Glass Bottles and Jars**
These should be unbroken and washed out.

**Plastic Containers**
Plastic material displaying recycling symbols 1 to 7 can be accepted. Everything should be washed out. Plastic bottle caps/lids should be removed and placed in crate separately.

**Metal Cans and Tins**
Steel and aluminium cans, metal lids from jars and clean aluminium foil can all be accepted. Everything should be washed out.

**Newspaper**
Newspapers can be accepted but make sure you pack it well in the crate to stop it blowing away.

**Other Paper & Glossies**
Other paper and glossies can be accepted but make sure you pack it well in the crate to stop it blowing away.

**Cardboard**
Flat packed cardboard and egg trays can be accepted but make sure you pack it well in the crate to stop it blowing away.

Moving House?

Leave the recycling crate behind; it belongs to Council and must be left at the property it was delivered to.

Windy Days

Pack your crate so that lightweight material is weighted down with heavier items placed on top.

Excess Recycling

Excess recycling can be taken to the Resource Recovery Centre in Blenheim or the Picton Transfer Station.