RECYCLING FACTSHEET





What Can You Recycle?

Generally most plastic bottles, metal cans, glass bottles, unsoiled cardboard, paper products, cartons, and newspapers are recyclable, however check your local county recycling website for specific restrictions in your area

Recycling Tips

Empty any remaining food or liquid contents from the recycled items. It is preferred that you rinse them out before putting them in the recycling bin





What Can You Do About Plastic Pollution?

Volunteer for litter cleanups in your area, and follow your local county's recycling pages for resources and opportunities to learn more. Reduce your plastic usage and encourage your network to do the same

Reduce Your Plastic Usage

Bring a reusable bag when you go shopping and buy environmentally friendly, low-plastic products. Use reusable water bottles when recreating outdoors, and refuse single-use plastics such as water bottles, straws, and disposable utensils.





Indiana Statistics

The Indiana Department of Environmental Management reported that Indiana has a 50% recycling goal for municipal waste. As of 2023, the actual rate is 21%





