

# Sort it Out.

UBC sustainability

## Food Scraps:

Cooked food waste  
Raw fruit, vegetables & grains  
Bones & egg shells  
Dairy products  
Paper towels & napkins  
Compostable\* paper plates  
Compostable\* food containers  
Coffee grounds & filters  
Non-synthetics tea bags  
Plain, uncoated wood chopsticks

## Keep Out:

*Plastic bags & plastic containers\*\**  
*Coffee cups, lids & sleeves*  
*Biodegradable plastic bags*  
*All plastic cutlery & plastic chopsticks*  
*Diapers*  
*Dog waste*

## Recyclable Containers (clean/empty only):

Plastic #1-7 containers  
Glass bottles & jars  
Metal cans  
Coffee cups & Lids  
Milk cartons  
Recyclable plastic bottles  
Recyclable cups & cutlery  
Juice boxes  
Tetrapak containers  
Non-paint aerosol cans (empty, no toxic residues)

## Keep Out:

*Food & Liquids*  
*Plastic bags & styrofoam*  
*Dishes, glassware or ceramics*  
*Windows or mirrors*  
*Unstamped plastics*

## Paper (clean only):

Newspapers & magazines  
Envelopes  
Computer paper  
Paper cup sleeves  
Cereal boxes  
Telephone books  
Sticky notes  
Soft cover books

## Keep Out:

*Milk cartons*  
*Paper cups*  
*Used paper plates*  
*Pizza boxes*  
*Soiled paper*

## Garbage:

Plastic bags  
Styrofoam  
Plastic wrap  
Candy bar wrappers  
Chip bags  
Non-recyclable cutlery  
Waxed paper  
Aluminum foil

## Keep Out:

*Anything compostable or recyclable*

\* Food containers must be certified compostable, fibre based.

\*\* Certified compostable plastic products are **not** acceptable in the Food Scraps bin.