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COLLECTION DAYS 2024-2025

For enquiries contact Ku-ring-gai Council, telephone 9424 0000 or visit our website www.krg.nsw.gov.au

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WASTE & GREENWASTE collected weekly
Grey or Red lidded waste bin and Green bin.

RECYCLING collected fortnightly
Blue and Yellow lidded bins.





KU-RING-GAI'S WASTE SERVICE







BIN COLLECTION

To ensure your bins are collected easily and safely, please follow these simple rules:

- Place your bins out for collection the night before collection day.
- Bin handles must face your house so the lids open to the street.
- Place bins half a metre apart so the truck's lifting arm can fit between the bins to pick them up.
- Make sure lids are closed otherwise material can spill during collection.
- Do not put extra bags or bundles next to or on top of your bins. Contact Council if you have additional waste at www.krg.nsw.gov.au/waste or on 9424 0000.
- Do not place bins close to trees, cars, or under low hanging cables. This makes collection dangerous.
- Bins must not be permanently stored on the nature-strip.
- Only place acceptable items in recycling bins.
 Unsure? Visit www.krg.nsw.gov.au/recycling
- · A weight restriction of 100kg applies to all bins.

RECYCLING

Council's recycling collection has been designed to cater for the majority of disposable items generated in homes. However, Council is limited to collecting items that can be currently processed at recycling sorting and manufacturing facilities.

Please recycle clean paper and cardboard in the blue-lidded bin. The yellow-lidded mixed recycling bin is used to recycle glass bottles and jars, aluminium and steel cans, and disposable plastic containers from the kitchen, bathroom and laundry.

Please note: Plastic bags and polystyrene foam are NOT recyclable in Council recycling bins even though they may display a recycling symbol.

For additional recycling programs visit our A-Z waste guide www.krg.nsw.gov.au/recycling or www.recyclingnearyou.com.au

PROBLEM WASTES

Household Chemical CleanOut

For chemical waste disposal visit **www.cleanout.com.au** for the next drop-off date.

Community Recycling Centres

The following can be delivered for disposal free of charge: paint, batteries household & car, fluoro tubes & globes, gas bottles, fire extinguishers, motor & other oils, smoke detectors, computers, and TV's at Thornleigh and Artarmon. For further information and acceptance criteria visit

www.krg.nsw.gov.au/communityrecyclingcentres

Needles and syringes

Needles and syringes can be disposed of safely at participating pharmacies

www.krg.nsw.gov.au/sharps

DID YOU KNOW?

- It is illegal to sweep or blow leaf matter from the nature-strip onto the road or into the gutters.
 This practice contributes to drainage system overload and can cause unnecessary flooding.
- Waste presented to the nature-strip without Council approval is illegal. To report illegal dumping visit www.krg.nsw.gov.au/dumping Alternatively phone customer service on 9424 0000
- Council runs a free cleanup service by appointment. Places are limited so book early. To book a cleanup collection visit www.krg.nsw.gov. au/cleanup Alternatively phone customer service on 9424 0000.
- Do you have a quality item that is too good to send to landfill? Try contacting The Bower. The Bower accepts a wide variety of pre-loved goods including household items and building materials. To check the free collection requirements, visit www.krg.nsw.gov.au/thebower