

Collection Days

Recycling and food waste are collected weekly.
Refuse and garden waste are collected fortnightly.
Bank Holidays - Revised days are indicated on the calendars and are also posted on our website and for Christmas and Easter advertised in local press.

Bad Weather

Collections not made due to bad weather will be collected as soon as possible and updates will be posted on our website at www.somersetwaste.gov.uk, as well as on our Facebook page and Twitter feed.

Enquiries: Mendip District Council - Customer Services

Tel: 0300 3038588

Email: customerservices@mendip.gov.uk

0300 numbers are non-geographic telephone numbers and are charged at your local rate

Somerset Waste Partnership manages recycling and waste services on behalf of Mendip, Sedgemoor, South Somerset and West Somerset District Councils, Taunton Deane Borough Council and Somerset County Council.

Collections Key

- 12 Recycling & Refuse
- 20 Recycling & Garden Waste
- 6 Recycling Only (Garden Waste Suspended)



To request this information in large print, Braille, audio or another language - 01823 625700



All containers need to be put out at the kerbside by 7am on collection days. Please separate materials for recycling. Contact customer services helpline to arrange assisted collections, or other services.

Kerbside Recycling Collections

Box 1: Paper. Glass bottles and jars (unbroken only, not table or cookware). Foil.



Box 2: Food and drinks cans - please rinse. Aerosols - empty. Plastic bottles - no tops.



Cardboard.

Also taken for recycling at Kerbside: Textiles – please put in bags and label 'textiles': Shoes - tied in pairs and bagged: Car batteries - one per collection.

Food Waste Collections

Cooked and raw food waste, including meat, small bones, cheese, eggs, fruit, vegetables, bread, pasta, tea bags, coffee grounds and paper kitchen towel.
Line with newspaper or compostable liners.



Garden Waste

Garden Waste is a charged for service for: Flowers, plants, grass and weeds; hedge prunings (no more than 10cm thick); straw or sawdust (if bedding only from vegetarian domestic pets). This service is suspended for one collection each year during the Christmas/New Year period.