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### Key



**Red Outline =**  
Date Change

**Orange =**  
Recycling Only

**Purple =**  
Recycling and Garden

**Grey =**  
General Rubbish

December 2024				
M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30	31			

January 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

February 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28

March 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
17	18	19	20	21
24	25	26	27	28
31				

April 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	29	30		

May 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
			1	2
5	6	7	8	9
12	13	14	15	16
19	20	21	22	23
26	27	28	29	30

June 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
2	3	4	5	6
9	10	11	12	13
16	17	18	19	20
23	24	25	26	27
30				

July 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
	1	2	3	4
7	8	9	10	11
14	15	16	17	18
21	22	23	24	25
28	28	30	31	

August 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
				1
4	5	6	7	8
11	12	13	14	15
18	19	20	21	22
25	26	27	28	29

September 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
1	2	3	4	5
8	9	10	11	12
15	16	17	18	19
22	23	24	25	26
29	30			

October 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
		1	2	3
6	7	8	9	10
13	14	15	16	17
20	21	22	23	24
27	28	29	30	31

November 2025				
M	T	W	T	F
3	4	5	6	7
10	11	12	13	14
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# Let's sort it...

...and recycle even more at home!



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Use your **Orange Lidded Bin** for plastic, paper and card, cans, foil, cartons and aerosols

**Empty and rinse** all containers before putting them in the recycling bin.

**Breakdown** large cardboard boxes before putting them in the recycling bin.

**Do not use black sacks.** Please put recycling into the recycling bin loose.



**Remember!**

**If in doubt, please leave it out of the recycling bin**

**YES PLEASE** ✓



Plastic bottles



Plastic tubs, trays and containers



Tins, cans, clean foil and aerosols



Clean, dry paper and cardboard



Tetra Pak and cartons

**NO THANKS** ✗



Food waste



**Textiles and clothes**  
*please take to your local charity shop or mini recycling site*



Nappies



Black sacks



Batteries & vapes

Use your **Green Lidded Bin** for garden waste

**YES PLEASE** ✓



Leaves, plants, cut flowers, cut grass

**NO THANKS** ✗



General waste and soil

Alternatively take any garden waste to the Household Waste Recycling Centre on Barkers Lane, Bedford.

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 **recycle**  
for Bedford Borough

# Collection Calendar *Printer Friendly Version*

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