

How to separate /dispose of household recyclables and garbage (in Yamato City)

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Inquiries: Yamato City Environmental Control Center Resource Recycling Promotion Division

TEL: 046-269-1511 (Japanese only)

Regarding the fee-based household garbage bags designated by Yamato City

- You will be required to dispose of burnable garbage / non-burnable garbage with the fee-based garbage bags designated by Yamato City.

Sizes/Prices for the fee-based
designated garbage bags
Per 1 set (containing 10 bags)

5-liter garbage bag	80 Yen
10-liter garbage bag	160 Yen
20-liter garbage bag	320 Yen
30-liter garbage bag	480 Yen
40-liter garbage bag	640 Yen

The fee-based designated garbage bags will be
available at stores with the following marks.



- You will be permitted to dispose of recyclables free of charge.

How to dispose of burnable garbage: Collected twice a week (collection days vary according to areas.)

How to dispose of burnable garbage: **Put burnable garbage in the fee-based designated garbage bags.**

For detached houses, dispose of burnable garbage at the place (facing the road) within the property by 8:00 a.m.

For apartment buildings, dispose of burnable garbage at the designated place within the property by 8:00 a.m.

Ex.



Food waste



Dirty clothes



Non-recyclable
papers such as
photos and tissues



Bags/Shoes



Stuffed animals /
Cushions



Plastic products
(excluding other plastic
packaging)

Exception: You will be permitted to dispose of disposable diapers, branches (up to three bundles of sticks) and grasses/leaves (up to three clear plastic bags or translucent bags) free of charge.

Leaves/Grasses



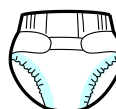
Branches



30 cm or less
in height

50 cm or less

Disposable diapers



Put disposable diapers in
clear plastic bags or
translucent bags and tie the
bags. (Ask the Resource
Recycling Promotion
Division about the methods
of disposal. Japanese only.)

How to dispose of non-burnable garbage: Collected twice a month (collection days vary according to areas.)

How to dispose of non-burnable garbage: **Put non-burnable garbage in the fee-based designated garbage bags.**

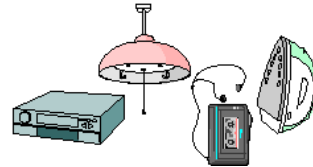
For detached houses, dispose of burnable garbage at the place (facing the road) within the property by 8:00 a.m.

For apartment buildings, dispose of burnable garbage at the designated place within the property by 8:00 a.m.

Ex.



Tableware / Potteries /
Milky white bottles



Small
appliances



Small pieces of metal /
Lids of cans, etc.



Scissors /
Knives



Glasses

Exception: Put the following garbage in clear plastic bags or translucent bags. You will be permitted to dispose of them free of charge.

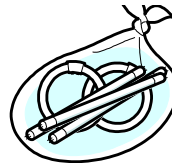
Disposable lighters



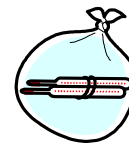
Dry batteries ***Please
insulate them.**



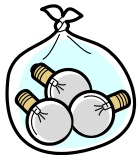
Fluorescent lamps



Mercury thermometers



Light bulbs



If you are putting out only exception items,
please make them clearly identifiable



Recyclables (“Pla-mark (plastic recycling mark ♻️)” attached): Collected once a week (collection days vary according to areas.)

How to dispose of them: **You will be permitted to dispose of them free of charge.**

After cleaning the items (“Pla-mark ♻️ (plastic recycling mark)” attached), put them in clear plastic bags or translucent bags and dispose of them at the recycling station by 8:30 a.m.



Shampoo / Hair
conditioner bottles



Plastic bottle
labels/caps



Packing/Cushioning
materials for home
appliances, etc.



Mayonnaise/
Ketchup
bottles



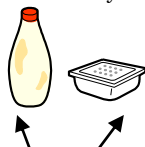
Instant noodle
cups



Plastic
containers for
snacks

Non-recyclable garbage regardless of plastic products

Uncleaned recyclables

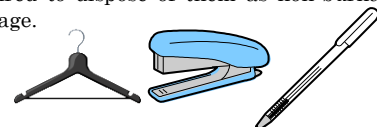


After cleaning the items, you will
be permitted to dispose of them
as recyclables.

Plastic products (such as washbowls,
buckets, videotapes, CDs and plastic
toys)



Composite products with metal components,
etc. (such as ballpoint pens, staplers and
hangers). In case of high proportion of plastic,
you will be permitted to dispose of them as
burnable garbage. However, in case of high
proportion of metal contents, you will be
required to dispose of them as non-burnable
garbage.

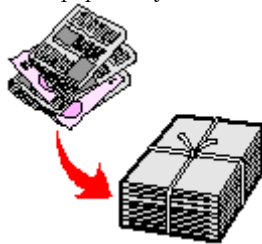


A: Recyclables (papers/clothes): Collected twice a month (collection days vary according to areas.)

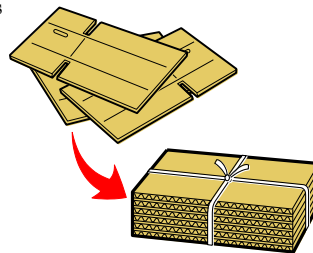
How to dispose of them: **You will be permitted to dispose of them free of charge.**

After tying up, dispose of them at the recycling station by 8:30 a.m.

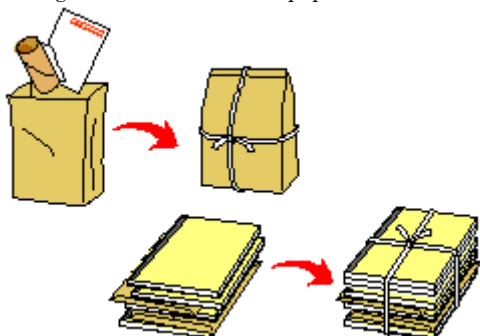
Newspapers/Flyers



Cardboards



Magazines / Books / Other papers



Clothes (only cleaned): For uncleaned items, you will be required to dispose of them as burnable garbage.



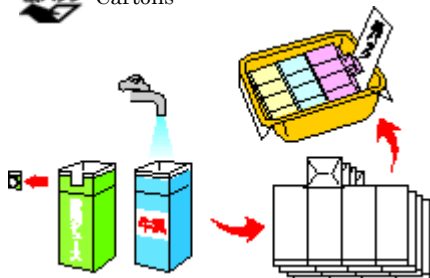
*You will not be permitted to dispose of them on a rainy day.

B: Recyclables (cartons/ bottles / cans / plastic bottles, etc.): Collected twice a month (collection days vary according to areas.)

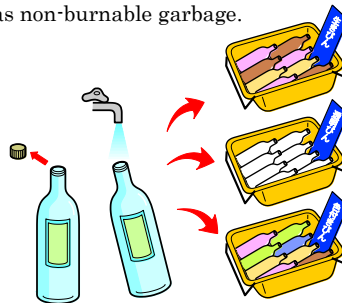
How to dispose of them: **You will be permitted to dispose of them free of charge.**

After washing them clean, dispose of them at the recycling station by 8:30 a.m.

Cartons



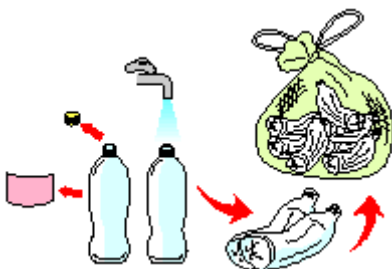
Bottles (only drink bottles / food jars / medicine bottles / cosmetic bottles)
*You will be required to dispose of milky white bottles as non-burnable garbage.



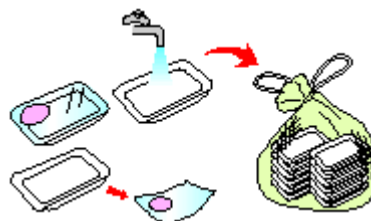
Packaging papers



Plastic bottles (only for drinking / alcoholic drinks / *Mirin* (sweet cooking sake) / soy sauce)



Trays (only white trays)

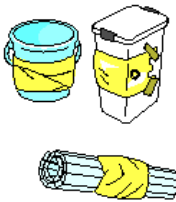

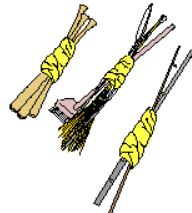



Cans



Oversized garbage

- For a fee, you will be required to dispose of any garbage unable to fit in the 40-liter fee-based designated garbage bags (such as furniture). Price differs depending on the items.
How to dispose of oversized garbage: Apply for it to the Yamato City Environmental Control Center Resource Recycling Promotion Division (TEL: 046-269-1511) (Japanese only).
- Exception to oversized garbage
You will be permitted to dispose of the following items on the collection days as exception of oversized garbage.

Permitted to dispose of one item with the 40-liter designated garbage bag.		Permitted to dispose of 1-5 item(s) with the 20-liter designated garbage bag. / Permitted to dispose of 6-10 items with the 40-liter designated garbage bag.	
Permitted to dispose of the item as burnable garbage.	Permitted to dispose of the item as non-burnable garbage.	Permitted to dispose of the items depending on materials (by separating the items into burnable / non-burnable garbage). *Permitted to dispose of the items as burnable garbage: Burnable materials. (Ex.) Plastic products / Wooden products / Carbon products *Permitted to dispose of the items as non-burnable garbage. (Ex.) Metal products	
Plastic trash cans / Buckets / Bathtub covers	Convection microwave ovens / Microwaves / Two-burner stoves / Carry carts / Electric fans / Vacuum cleaners / 16-inch or smaller bicycles/unicycles/tricycles / Foldable strollers	Umbrellas / Fishing rods / Tennis rackets / Badminton rackets / Baseball bats / Bamboo swords / Brooms (including bamboo brooms) / Mops / Deck brushes / Shovels / Tension rods / Floor wipers (such as the Quickle Wipers) / Long-handled rollers (sticky rollers) / Golf clubs / Gate-ball sticks / Ski poles / Canes	
			

Not collected by Yamato City

- For a fee, you will be required to dispose of TVs (Cathode Ray Tube (CRT) TVs / Liquid Crystal Display (LCD) TVs / plasma televisions / Organic Light-Emitting Diode (OLED) TVs), refrigerators / freezers, air conditioners, washing machines, clothes dryers and PCs.
Inquiries: Yamato City Environmental Control Center Resource Recycling Promotion Division
TEL: 046-269-1511 (Japanese only)
- You will be required to dispose of motorcycles for a fee.
Inquiries: Motorcycles Recycling Call Center
TEL: 03-3598-8075 (Japanese only)
- You will be required to ask specialized companies to dispose of soils and stones, batteries, tires and fire extinguishers, etc.
Inquiries: Yamato City Environmental Control Center Facilities Division
TEL: 046-269-1522 (Japanese only)

Taking the garbage/recyclables to the designated centers

- You will be permitted to take garbage to the following Center in order to dispose of the garbage (for a fee).
Inquiries: Yamato City Environmental Control Center Facilities Division
TEL: 046-269-1522 (Japanese only)
- You will be permitted to take recyclables to the following Center in order to dispose of the recyclables (free of charge).
Inquiries: Yamato City Recycling Center (Recycling Business Cooperative)
TEL: 046-262-8865 (Japanese only)