

El Paso Community College recycles!



All of your recyclable materials can be deposited together into the bright blue bins which are located in offices and hallways.

How to prepare your recyclables:



Make sure to empty all bottles and cans. Flatten cardboard boxes, remove and discard any packing materials.



What is recyclable at EPCC?



PAPER:

- White, colored, computer paper (shredded paper must be bagged)
- Newspaper and Magazines
- Junk mail and envelopes
- Paperboard (cereal, pasta, soda cartons)
- Phonebooks
- Cardboard (flattened)



METAL CONTAINERS:

- Aluminum cans
- Steel, tin and bimetallic cans



PLASTIC:

- All plastic jugs or bottles with a #1 to #7 inside the triangle located at the bottom
- Plastic bags
- Water and soda bottles

Do Not Include:



NO glass, pizza boxes, styrofoam, tissues, napkins, paper towels, food or trash in the recycle bin. All of these items should go into the regular trash bin.

Apply the 4 R's in your life!

REFUSE: Don't accept materials that you don't need or want, such as a plastic bag for one item.

REDUCE: Buy less! Drink from the tap, not from the bottle. Local data proves that water from the tap is safer and cheaper than bottled water.

REUSE: Find ways to reuse materials. Take your own tote bag to the grocery store as many times as you can.

RECYCLE: Only 1 out of 5 plastic bottles gets recycled. Make yours the second one and don't forget to buy recycled products to close the loop.

It's the right thing to do!

The Best Place to Start

Did you know?



In less than two years, EPCC has recycled over 235 tons of recyclable material.



Ink and toner cartridges, batteries and e-waste, such as personal computers and cellphones, can be recycled by sending them to Physical Plant at the Valle Verde Campus.

You can make a difference today by recycling!

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**Because We Care,
WE RECYCLE!**



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