

BATTERIES

are better recycled

25%

of households incorrectly place batteries in the general rubbish.

All batteries can be recycled. Whether AA or rechargeable, they contain valuable materials that can be reused in other products.



Batteries contain toxic materials

When placed in the bin they'll most likely end up in landfill releasing toxic chemicals, contributing to pollution and contaminating our environment.

WEEE

This WEEE symbol is on every battery and is a reminder that you shouldn't put batteries in the general waste bin.



20,000 tonnes

of batteries are sent to landfill in the UK every year.

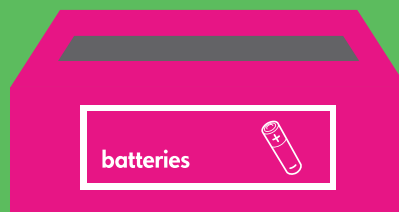


Lithium-ion batteries

the type you find in laptops and other gadgets - can be removed from your unwanted device and taken to your local recycling centre or a Waste Electronic and Electrical Equipment recycling point.

Recycle at shops

Shops that sell large volumes of batteries have to offer recycling collection. So look out for a collection point at your supermarket.



**When they run out, don't chuck them out.
Recycle at your nearest collection point.**