

# Have you seen this?

If you have, you're not recycling properly!

Council and the South Waikato Achievement Centre are

introducing these stickers. They will be stuck on bags of recycling material left for collection that contain non-compliant material. Recycling is important, but we need to recycle correctly or it simply creates problems further down the process.



## What can you recycle?

### Plastics marked with a 1 or 2

Eg, milk bottles, soft drink bottles, some shampoo bottles (check the bottom for the recycling symbol).



### Paper and cardboard

Fold, lie flat. Recycling paper and cardboard is much better than burning it. Your fires are not incinerators.

### Glass bottles

No broken glass. Broken glass is a serious hazard for the collection team.

### Tins/cans

**Remember:**  
rinse & remove labels



## Did you know?

Worm farms are an excellent way to recycle organic waste. ✓

Two thirds of the rubbish in your bag can be recycled. ✓

The life of the South Waikato District landfill depends on you recycling. ✓

More information:  
SW Achievement Centre

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# Recycling... let's get it right!