



Did you know?
More than 21 million tons of
waste goes to landfills each
year in Australia.



WASTE ITEMS

(these go to landfill)

These items **belong** in this bin:

- Anything that won't go in the organic waste and recycling bins – but check first!
- Plastic bags and wrap – any kind of soft plastic
- Batteries
- Glass (but not glass bottles, these can be recycled)



We use approximately 3.92 billion plastic bags a year. 3.76 billion of these (equivalent to 20,700 tonnes of plastic) is dumped into landfills.

Items that **don't belong** in this bin:

- Paper and cardboard
- Hard plastics (eg containers and bottles)
- Food scraps
- Tins and cans
- Anything with this symbol



Did you know?
Up to 80% of the rubbish in a
typical home's waste bin can
actually be recycled