

# UNL RECYCLING GUIDE

## CARDBOARD



### ACCEPTED

- Corrugated cardboard
- Pizza boxes \*must be free of contaminants including solid food residue and other waste items, small grease stains are okay

**All items must be clean, dry, and broken down to be accepted**

### NOT ACCEPTED

- Soiled, wet, or contaminated cardboard

## PAPER



### ACCEPTED

- Colored and white copy paper
- Notebook paper
- Mail and envelopes
- Sticky notes
- Paperback books and magazines
- File folders and cardstock
- Newspaper
- Bagged shredded paper
- Non-corrugated cardboard & paperboard  
-Ex. cereal, soda can, tissue boxes, etc.
- Brown kraft paper and paper bags

### NOT ACCEPTED

- Papers with binder clips, paper clips, or spiral binding. Please remove these items prior to recycling.
- Paper towels, tissues, napkins
- Paper plates and coffee cups
- Soiled or wet paper

## ALUMINUM CANS



### ACCEPTED

- Aluminum cans

### NOT ACCEPTED

- Aluminum foil

**All items must be free of food and liquid.**

## PLASTIC BOTTLES + CONTAINERS

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### ACCEPTED

- Plastic items #1, 2, and 5 including clean and dry plastic beverage bottles and cups and clear clamshell containers

### NOT ACCEPTED

- Styrofoam products
- Motor oil or chemical containers
- Plastic plates or silverware
- Plastic grocery bags
- K-cups or food wrappers

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## LANDFILL



**When in doubt, throw it out!**

**Questions?**

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