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Easter recycling and rubbish collections

All Easter egg packaging can be recycled in your blue lidded wheeled bin or clear recycling sacks. The Easter egg boxes, plastic tray packaging, foil wrap and card can be recycled into new products.

All leftover food can go in your green food caddy or communal green wheelie bin (at some flats). It will be recycled into fertiliser and used to create green electricity.

If you are having a spring clean over the Bank Holiday weekend you may come across items you no longer want or clothes that don't fit. You can recycle clothes, paired shoes and home textiles every week by placing them in a plastic carrier bag next to your food caddy. You can also recycle small electrical items and batteries in the same way.

Easter bank holiday collections

Recycling and rubbish collections will change following the bank holidays over Easter.

Usual collection day	Holiday collection day
Friday 30 March (Good Friday)	Tuesday 3 April
Tuesday 3 April	Wednesday 4 April
Wednesday 4 April	Thursday 5 April
Thursday 5 April	Friday 6 April
Friday 6 April	Saturday 7 April

From Tuesday 10 April your recycling and rubbish will be collected on your normal day.

We are aware some residents received calendars in the post from other councils, please recycle these and download the correct one at www.tandridge.gov.uk/recyclingandwaste.

"More follows"

Garden waste collections

Garden waste collections due on Good Friday 30 March will be delayed until Saturday 31 March. Collections due on Easter Monday 2 April and during that week will be one day late. Check your Green Waste Club calendar for scheduled collections at www.greenwasteclub.co.uk or call the helpline on 0800 0858 286.

Councillor Nick Childs, Chairman of the Community Services Committee, said: "Over the Easter period we create lots of extra waste and most of it can be recycled. You can recycle all your Easter egg packaging, cards and leftover food in our service and we hope you recycle as much as possible."

"Ends"

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