



LIFE Academy Recycling

Accepted Recyclables

*All #1 Plastics

- These are usually see thru bottles such as water bottles, soda bottles, juice bottles, dish soap bottles, etc.

*All #2 Plastics

- These are usually solid color bottles such as Laundry Detergent, Tylenol bottles, Milk Jugs, etc.

*Somewhere on the plastic container there will be a triangle made of arrows. Inside the arrow there is a number that informs us what kind of plastic it is made of. If you are unsure, go ahead and put the item into a plastic bag and the student workers will know what to do with it!

*Aluminum Cans

*All plastic caps

-These include water bottle caps, soda caps, milk jug, laundry detergent, butter dish lids, etc.

Please see attached paper of Accepted Caps.

*All Corrugated Cardboard

- This type of cardboard usually has ridges and grooves embedded into the cardboard such as; Amazon boxes, Banana Boxes, Shoe boxes, etc.
- **NO** single ply cardboard such as; Cereal Boxes, Kleenex, Soda Boxes, etc.

*Paper

-This includes Office Paper, Copy Paper, Newspaper, Phone Books, Magazines, Shredded Paper, and Catalogs.

*You do not have to separate the pages, our student workers know just what to do!

For questions and possible pick-up, contact us at the number and location below.

Please feel free to drop off your items into our Recycling drop box located next to our garage door at:

L.I.F.E Academy Recycling
1615 Lakeland Blvd.
Mattoon, IL 61938
(217)235-6200 Ext. 6208

School Hours
Monday-Friday
9:00am-2:45pm

Summer Hours
Tues, Wed, Thur
9:00am- 2:30pm



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Acceptable Caps

(Examples)

Medicine Bottle Caps	Milk Jug Caps
Detergent Caps	Hair Spray Caps
Toothpaste Caps	Deodorant Caps
Apple Sauce Pouch Caps	Drink Bottle Caps (Soda, Water, Juice, Sports)
Flip Top Caps	Spout Caps
Ointment Tube Caps	Baby Food Caps
Shampoo /Conditioner Caps	Spray Paint Caps

Acceptable Lids

(Examples)

Butter Container Lids	Cottage Cheese Container Lids
Cool Whip Container Lids	Mayonnaise Jar Lids
Coffee Can Lids	Yogurt Lids
Peanut Butter Jar Lids	Pringles Lids
Ice Cream Bucket Lids(8in. and under)	Sour Cream Container Lids

Never Acceptable

(Examples)

<u>METAL</u> <u>Pop Tabs</u>	<u>TRASH</u> <u>Pen Caps</u>
<u>Soap Pumps</u> <u>Paper Lids</u>	<u>Trigger Sprayers</u>
<u>K-Cups</u>	<u>Fast Food Lids & Straws</u>
<u>Reusable Food Containers</u>	<u>Plastic silverware</u>



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