Recycling Centres - What and Where to Recycle

The Recycling Centres (Civic Amenity Sites) are provided for domestic use only.

The details of the main centres at Hatston, Garson, Bossack, St Margarets Hope and Cursiter can be found here - Household Waste Recycling Centre

There are additional recycling points located in the local authority area and the information below details what can be recycled at each site:

Dounby

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass, paper, textiles (clothes and shoes) and garden waste.

Eday, beyond Pier

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

Flotta Pier

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

Houton Pier

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

Hoy, Lyness Pier

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

Kirkwall, Hordaland

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass, paper and textiles (clothes and shoes).

North Ronaldsay, beyond pier

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

Papa Westray, beyond Pier

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

Rousay, beyond Pier

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

Sanday, Kettletoft Village

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

St Mary's, Holm Community Centre

Textiles (Clothes and Shoes)

Stronsay Pier

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

Tankerness, Bossack

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass, paper, textiles (clothes and shoes), garden waste, household batteries, scrap metal, vehicle batteries, weee, cardboard, waste oil, fluorescent tubes (incl. Energy bulbs), plastic bottles and cooking oil.

Westray, Pierowall

Cans (aluminium and steel), glass and paper.

General information

Each waste type must be placed into the correct container. Please observe the signs onsite as materials placed in the wrong container could contaminate the contents making them non-recyclable.

Commercial waste is not permitted and must be taken to Chinglebraes Waste Transfer Station. Commercial Inert waste (e.g. stones, soil, etc.), garden waste and hazardous waste must be taken to Bossack Landfill Site. Please refer to the Commercial Waste section of the council's website for any details.

All materials that are collected separately and without contamination are recycled by Orkney Islands Council.