

Dear resident,

Recycling your food waste is as easy as 1 2 3

Use the **FREE** biodegradable liners enclosed to recycle your food waste.



- ✓ Fruit and veg peelings ✓ Egg shells ✓ Plate scrapings ✓ Mouldy food
- ✓ Meat and fish bones ✓ Tea bags and coffee grounds ✓ Small cut flowers

- ✗ Plastic bags ✗ Bin bags ✗ Packaging ✗ Nappies ✗ Garden Waste

Once you've used up the liners we've sent, just go online or pop to your local supermarket where you should be able to pick more up for as little as 6p each (look out for the compostable logo).

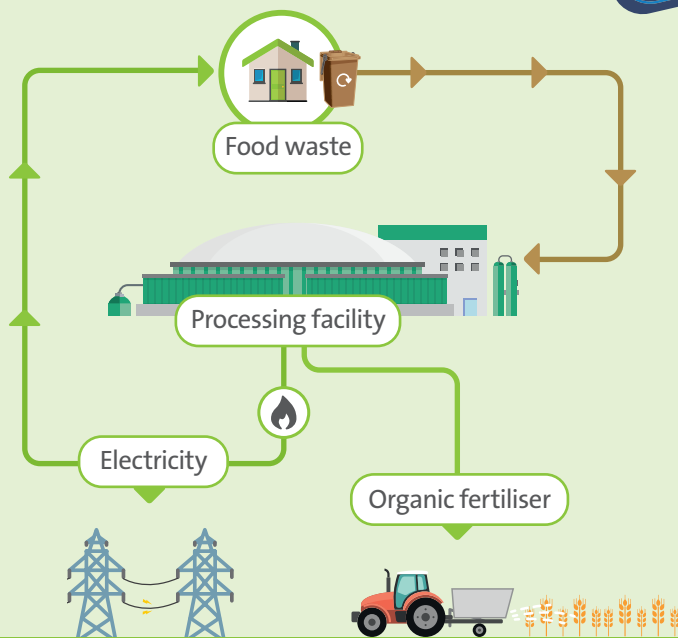


Did you know?

Recycling just one banana skin generates enough energy to charge your smartphone twice.

How is your food waste recycled?

It's all quite clever. The food waste you put out for recycling is taken to a special processing plant, where it is turned into an organic fertiliser that farmers can use to help grow their crops. The gases produced in this process are captured and used to drive a turbine which generates electricity.



Watch our video about how your food waste is recycled at slwp.org.uk/destination-recycling



You should have two containers for your food waste: a small indoor kitchen caddy and a larger outdoor food waste bin with a lockable lid. If either of these are missing or damaged, you can order replacements from your council's website:

croydon.gov.uk/recycling
kingston.gov.uk/recycling

merton.gov.uk/recycling
sutton.gov.uk/recycling

