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Households

How to Separate and Dispose of Recyclables/Waste

The list of “Recyclables/Waste Collection Days” for your town

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Please place recyclables/waste at the collection point by **8:00 am on collection day.**

Recyclable resources

Recyclable papers
Recyclable plastic, Bottles, Cans, PET bottles, Spray cans,
Cassette gas cylinders, Batteries, etc.

Once
per
week

day

Combustible garbage

Twice
per
week

day

Metal • Ceramic • Glass

Twice
per
month

On the ____
and ____
____ day of
each month

Large Sized Waste

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Please apply at Large Sized Waste Reception Center.

Recyclables/waste separation app



available for
download



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An easy and convenient way for looking up how to separate and dispose of recyclables/waste.

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Your Town's "Recyclable/Waste Collection Days" List

* Recyclable resources and waste are also collected on rainy days and national holidays (excluding Year End/New Year's holidays). However, recyclable resource and waste collection may be delayed or canceled during inclement weather. Please check the Shinjuku city's website or the Recyclables/Waste Separation App "San-R" (page 16) for details.

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	Area (Location of recyclable/ waste collection points)	Recyclables (once per week)	Combustible Garbage (twice per week)	Metal・Ceramic・ Glass (twice per month)	Jurisdiction
A	Aizumi-cho	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Sat.	East
	Akagishita-machi	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Wed.	East
	Akagimoto-machi	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Wed.	East
	Ageba-cho	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Araki-cho (21-23banchi)	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Sat.	East
	Araki-cho (excluding the above)	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	East
I	Ichigayakaga-cho 1, 2 chome	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
	Ichigayakora-cho	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
	Ichigayasadohara-cho 1-3 chome	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
	Ichigayasanai-cho	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	East
	Ichigayatakajo-machi	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
	Ichigayatamachi 1 chome	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	East
	Ichigayatamachi 2, 3 chome	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
	Ichigayadaimachi (1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13 ban)	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Tue.	East
	Ichigayadaimachi (excluding the above)	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Thu.	East
	Ichigayachoenji-machi	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	East
	Ichigayanakano-cho	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Tue.	East
	Ichigayahachiman-cho	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	East
	Ichigayafunagawara-mchi (1, 3-8, 12, 14 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
	Ichigayafunagawara-machi (excluding the above)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Ichigayahonmura-cho	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	East
	Ichigayayakuji-machi (1-15 ban)	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	1st・3rd Tue.	East
	Ichigayayakuji-machi (excluding the above)	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Tue.	East
	Ichigayayanagi-cho (1-7, 45, 46, 48-50 banchi, part of 47 banchi)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Fri.	East
	Ichigayayanagi-cho (8-11, 23-35 banchi)	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	1st・3rd Tue.	East
	Ichigayayanagi-cho (15-22, 37-43 banchi)	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Tue.	East
	Ichigayayanagi-cho (part of 47banchi)	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	1st・3rd Thu.	East
	Ichigayayamabushi-cho	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Fri.	East
	Iwato-cho (1-8 banchi, 25-27 banchi)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Fri.	East
	Iwato-cho (9 banchi, 11-23 banchi, part of 10 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Iwato-cho (part of 10 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
E	Enoki-cho (79 banchi)	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	1st・3rd Tue.	East
	Enoki-cho (excluding the above)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Fri.	East
O	Okubo 1 chome	Sat.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Thu.	Kabuki
	Okubo 2・3 chome	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Mon.	Shin
Ka	Kaitai-cho	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Wed.	East
	Kaguragashi	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Kagurazaka 1-4 chome	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Kagurazaka 5 chome (21-24 banchi)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Fri.	East
	Kagurazaka 5 chome (excluding the above)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Kagurazaka 6 chome (2-39 banchi)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Wed.	East
	Kagurazaka 6 chome (excluding the above)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Fri.	East
	Kasumigaoka-machi	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Mon.	East
	Kata-machi (5, 8 banchi)	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Tue.	East

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Ka	Kata-machi (excluding the above)	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	East
	Kabuki-cho 1, 2 chome	※	※	※	Kabuki
	Kamiochiai 1 chome	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Thu.	Shin
	Kamiochiai 2・3 chome	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	1st・3rd Tue.	Shin
	Kawada-cho	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Tue.	East
	Kikui-cho	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	1st・3rd Thu.	East
Ki	Kitashinjuku 1 chome	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Sat.	Kabuki
	Kitashinjuku 2 chome	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Thu.	Kabuki
	Kitashinjuku 3 chome	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Fri.	Kabuki
	Kitashinjuku 4 chome	Mon.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Thu.	Shin
	Kita-machi (1-40 bachi, part of 41 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
	Kita-machi (part of 41 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Kitayamabushi-cho	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Fri.	East
	Saiku-machi	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
Sa	Samon-cho (1-2 banchi, 6-12 banchi, 16-20 banchi)	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Mon.	East
	Samon-cho (excluding the above)	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Sat.	East
	Shinano-machi (12-34 banchi)	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Mon.	East
Shi	Shinano-machi (excluding the above)	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Sat.	East
	Shimoochiai 1 chome	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	1st・3rd Thu.	Shin
	Shimoochiai 2-4 chome	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	Shin
	Shimomiyabi-cho	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Shirogane-cho (12-18 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Shirogane-cho (excluding the above)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Wed.	East
	Shin-ogawa-machi	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Shinjuku 1 chome	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Sat.	East
	Shinjuku 2 chome	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Sat.	East
	Shinjuku 3 chome	※	※	※	Kabuki
	Shinjuku 4 chome	Fri.	※	※	Kabuki
	Shinjuku 5 chome (1-16 ban)	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Mon.	Kabuki
	Shinjuku 5 chome (17, 18 ban)	※	※	※	Kabuki
	Shinjuku 6-7 chome	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	Kabuki
	Suido-cho	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Wed.	East
Su	Suga-cho	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Mon.	East
	Sumiyoshi-cho (1, 2 ban)	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Sat.	East
	Sumiyoshi-cho (3, 4 ban)	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Thu.	East
	Sumiyoshi-cho (5-15 ban)	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Tue.	East
	Daikyo-cho	Wed.	Tue.・Fri.	1st・3rd Sat.	East
Ta	Takadanobaba 1・2 chome	Thu.	Tue.・Fri.	2nd・4th Mon.	Shin
	Takadanobaba 3・4 chome	Fri.	Wed.・Sat.	2nd・4th Tue.	Shin
	Tansu-machi (1-32 banchi)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Fri.	East
	Tansu-machi (33-43 banchi, part of 44 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Fri.	East
	Tansu-machi (part of 44 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
Tsu	Tsukiji-machi	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Wed.	East
	Tsukudo-cho	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Tsukudohachiman-cho (1 banchi)	Sat.	Mon.・Thu.	2nd・4th Wed.	East
	Tsukudohachiman-cho (excluding the above)	Tue.	Mon.・Thu.	1st・3rd Wed.	East

Metal/Ceramic/Glass waste is collected on the 1st and 3rd week of the specified day or the 2nd and 4th of the specified day each month. There are no collections during the fifth week.

[How to Check Collection Days for Metal/Ceramic/Glass Waste]

Example ① Wednesdays on the 1st and 3rd weeks
→ Collections on the 2nd and 16th of the month (No collection on the 30th)

Example ② Mondays on the 2nd and 4th weeks
→ Collections on the 14th and 28th of the month

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
		1	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	10	11	12
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
27	28	29	30	31		

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Te	Tenjin-cho (63-85 banchi)	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	East
	Tenjin-cho (excluding the above)	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	East
To	Totsuka-machi 1 chome	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Sat.	Shin
	Tomihisa-cho (8, 9 banchi)	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Sat.	East
	Tomihisa-cho (excluding the above)	Fri.	Wed. • Sat.	2nd•4th Thu.	East
	Toyama 1, 3 chome	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Sat.	Shin
	Toyama 2 chome	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Mon.	Shin
Na	Naito-machi	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Sat.	East
	Nakai 1, 2 chome	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd tue.	Shin
	Nakaochiai 1, 2 chome	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	Shin
	Nakaochiai 3 chome	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	Shin
	Nakaochiai 4 chome	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	Shin
	Nakazato-cho	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	East
	Naka-cho	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Fri.	East
	Nando-machi	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Fri.	East
Ni	Nishiochiai 1 chome	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	Shin
	Nishiochiai 2-4 chome	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Fri.	Shin
	Nishigoken-cho	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	East
	Nishishinjuku 1 chome	※	※	※	Kabuki
	Nishishinjuku 2, 3 chome	Thu.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Mon.	Kabuki
	Nishishinjuku 4 chome	Thu.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Fri.	Kabuki
	Nishishinjuku 5 chome	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	2nd•4th Thu.	Kabuki
	Nishishinjuku 6 chome	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	Kabuki
	Nishishinjuku 7, 8 chome	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Wed.	Kabuki
	Nishiwaseda 1, 3 chome	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Sat.	Shin
	Nishiwaseda 2 chome	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Sat.	Shin
	Nijutsuki-machi	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Fri.	East
Ha	Haraikata-machi	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Fri.	East
	Hara-machi 1 chome (14-17 banchi)	Fri.	Wed. • Sat.	2nd•4th Tue.	East
	Hara-machi 1 chome (excluding the above)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	East
	Hara-machi 2 chome (part of 1-8 banchi, 9-12 banchi, 30-43 banchi)	Fri.	Wed. • Sat.	2nd•4th Tue.	East
	Hara-machi 2 chome (excluding the above)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	East
	Hara-machi 3 chome (1-9 banchi, 84-89 banchi)	Fri.	Wed. • Sat.	2nd•4th Tue.	East
	Hara-machi 3 chome (excluding the above)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	East
	Babashita-cho (60-63 banchi)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Tue.	East
	Babashita-cho (excluding the above)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	East
Hi	Higashienoki-cho	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	East
	Higashigoken-cho	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	East
	Hyakunin-cho 1 cho	Fri.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Sat.	Kabuki
	Hyakunin-cho 2 chome	Sat.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Wed.	Kabuki
	Hyakunin-cho 3, 4 chome	Fri.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	Shin

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Fu	Fukuro-machi	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Wed.	East
	Funa-machi (1-6 banchi)	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Mon.	East
	Funa-machi (excluding the above)	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Sat.	East
He	Benten-cho (1-30 banchi, 106-176 banchi)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	East
	Benten-cho (32-105 banchi)	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	East
	Benten-cho (177, 178 banchi)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Tue.	East
Mi	Minami-cho	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Fri.	East
	Minamienoki-cho	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	East
	Minamimoto-machi	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Mon.	East
	Minamiyamabushi-cho	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Fri.	East
Ya	Yamabuki-cho (1, 11-21, 81-131, 291, 331 banchi)	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	East
	Yamabuki-cho (4-7, 258-270, 293-318 banchi)	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	East
	Yamabuki-cho (332-366 banchi)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Tue.	East
	Yarai-cho (1-111 banchi)	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	East
	Yarai-cho (excluding the above)	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Wed.	East
Yo	Yokotera-machi	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	East
	Yocho-machi (1-6 banchi)	Fri.	Wed. • Sat.	2nd•4th Thu.	East
	Yocho-machi (excluding the above)	Fri.	Wed. • Sat.	2nd•4th Tue.	East
	Yotsuya 1 chome (1, 2 banchi, 6 ban, 9-18 banchi)	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Mon.	East
	Yotsuya 1 chome (excluding the above)	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Mon.	East
	Yotsuya 2 chome (1, 4-8, 11, 14 banchi)	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Mon.	East
	Yotsuya 2 chome (excluding the above)	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Mon.	East
	Yotsuya 3 chome (1, 4, 5, 8 banchi)	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Mon.	East
	Yotsuya 3 chome (2, 3, 6, 7 banchi)	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Mon.	East
	Yotsuya 3 chome (9, 12•13 banchi)	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Sat.	East
	Yotsuya 3 chome (10, 11, 14 banchi)	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Sat.	East
	Yotsuya 4 chome (1, 4-7, 25-32 banchi, part of 33, 34 banchi)	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Sat.	East
	Yotsuya 4 chome (2, 3, 8-24 banchi, part of 33, 34 banchi)	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Sat.	East
	Yotsuyasaka-machi	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Mon.	East
	Yotsuya-San-ei-cho	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Mon.	East
	Yotsuyahonshio-cho	Thu.	Tue. • Fri.	2nd•4th Mon.	East
Wa	Wakaba 1-3 chome	Wed.	Tue. • Fri.	1st•3rd Mon.	East
	Wakamatsu-cho (1-9 banchi)	Fri.	Wed. • Sat.	2nd•4th Tue.	East
	Wakamatsu-cho (excluding the above)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	East
	Wakamiya-cho	Sat.	Mon. • Thu.	2nd•4th Wed.	East
	Waseda-machi (5, 9-12, 27 banchi)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	East
	Waseda-machi (excluding the above)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Tue.	East
	Wasedatsurumaki-cho (545, 546 banchi)	Tue.	Mon. • Thu.	1st•3rd Fri.	East
	Wasedatsurumaki-cho (excluding the above)	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Tue.	East
	Wasedaminami-cho	Mon.	Wed. • Sat.	1st•3rd Thu.	East

(Note) For areas that list partial banchi or have an asterisk (*) in the collection day field, please contact the waste collection office or waste collection center with jurisdiction. Furthermore, collection days may differ for some of the large-sized apartment complexes.

Abbreviation for jurisdiction

Shin : Shinjuku Waste Collection Office
☎ 03-3950-2923
FAX 03-3950-2932

East : Shinjuku-Higashi Waste Collection Center
☎ 03-3353-9471
FAX 03-3353-9505

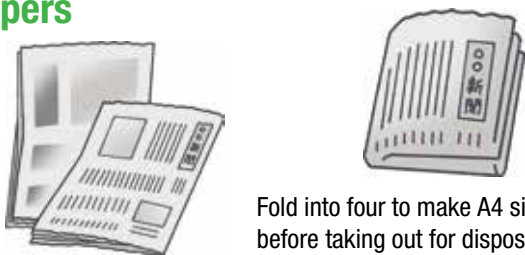
Kabuki : Kabukicho Waste Collection Center
☎ 03-3200-5339
FAX 03-5272-3494



Recyclable Paper (Newspapers, Magazines, Books, Miscellaneous paper, Cardboards, Paper cartons etc.)

Will also be collected on rainy days.

Newspapers



Fold into four to make A4 size before taking out for disposal.

How to Dispose



Tie them crosswise with string.
*Do not use adhesive tape.

Magazines, Books, Miscellaneous paper

Place miscellaneous paper into paper bags or insert them in between the pages of magazines or books.

How to Dispose



Tie them crosswise with string.
*Do not use adhesive tape.



Cardboard



Items that have wavy cores visible in cross-sectional view



Fold flat

How to Dispose



Tie them crosswise with string.
*Do not use adhesive tape.

Paper carton (for beverage and food)



Wash and cut open



How to Dispose



Tie them crosswise with string.
*Do not use adhesive tape.

Recyclable paper may also be collected through group collections. Please make an effort to dispose of it through group collections

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Items that cannot be collected as recyclables

- Paper with resin or aluminum coating inside: Ice cream cups, instant noodle lids, liquor cartons, etc.
- Waterproof paper: Paper cups, etc.
- Carbon or carbonless paper: Duplicate order form, etc.
- Smelly or scented paper: Detergent boxes, incense stick boxes, soap wrappers, etc.
- Sublimation transfer sheets: Iron-on transfer paper, etc.
- Photo printing paper: Photo prints, photo albums, inkjet photo paper, etc.
- Food-stained paper: Pizza boxes, cake boxes, hamburger wrappers, etc.
- Foam paper, pressure-bonded postcards, thermal paper, oiled paper, stickers, shredder scraps, non-woven fabrics

Please dispose as combustible garbage.

Recyclable Resources

(Bottles, Cans, PET bottles)

Please take them to the **recyclables/waste collection site** on your weekly recycling collection day.



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Bottles (Bottles for beverages, food, cosmetics, and medicine)



Take off the caps

Rinse lightly with water and shake off the water

How to
Dispose



Put in a see-through plastic bag or Recycling Collection Bin

Please dispose of plastic lids as Recyclable Plastic.

*See page 7.

Items that cannot
be collected
as recyclables

●Bottles that cannot be cleaned ●Medication (besides oral medication) bottles ●Broken bottles ●Light bulbs, fluorescent lights, plate glass, cups, heat-resistant glass, ceramics, etc.

Please dispose as
metal • ceramic • glass.

Cans (Aluminum and steel cans for beverages and food)



Please also dispose of
cans for snacks, tea, etc.



Rinse lightly with water and drain
Please completely remove all the contents
of cans, especially cans for pet food.

How to
Dispose



Put in a see-through plastic bag or Recycling Collection Bin

Items that cannot
be collected
as recyclables

●Cans that can't be cleaned out
●Cans used for purposes other than food/drink
●Large drums/kegs ●Paint cans

Please dispose as
metal • ceramic • glass.

PET bottles



Items with this mark



Remove the caps and labels



Rinse lightly with water and flatten



Put in a see-through plastic bag or Recycling Collection Net

Please dispose of PET bottle caps and labels as Recycled Plastic.

*See page 7.

Items that cannot
be collected
as recyclables

●PET bottles that had oil in them
●Items with content that cannot be cleaned out simply by rinsing

Please dispose as
combustible garbage.



Spray cans, Cassette gas cylinders, Batteries, etc.

Spray cans, cassette gas cylinders



Empty these as much as possible
(Even though contents are remained, they will be collected.)



Remove caps and nozzles

Please dispose of plastic caps and nozzles as Recyclable Plastic

[*See page 7.](#)

Items that cannot be collected as recyclables

Gas cylinders except cassette-type

[*See page 13.](#)

Dry cell batteries (disposable batteries)



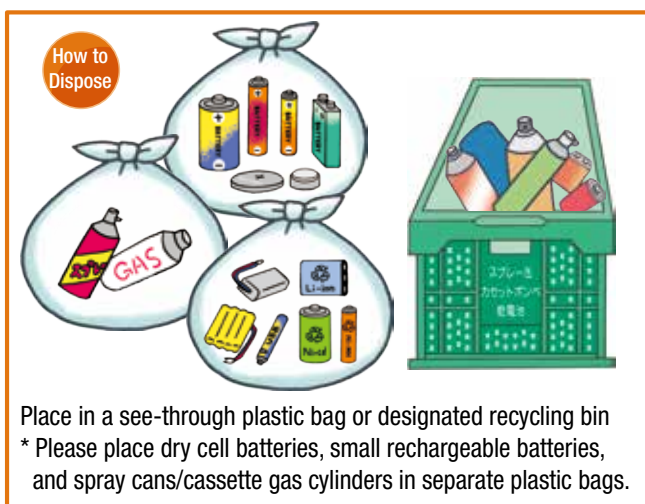
Manganese batteries, Alkaline batteries



Primary lithium batteries
Coin cell (CR/BR)



Button cell batteries



Small rechargeable batteries (Lithium-Ion batteries, NiCad batteries, Nickel-metal hydride batteries)

Batteries that can be recharged and reused.
They are labeled like the example on the right.



Lithium-Ion
batteries



NiCad batteries



Nickel-metal
hydride batteries

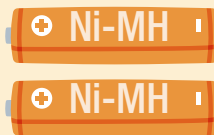
Small rechargeable batteries to be collected on the recycling collection day



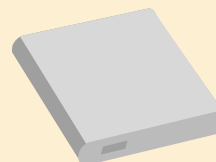
Lithium-ion batteries



NiCad batteries
used in cordless phones, etc.



Nickel-metal hydride batteries
used in remote controls and
other electronic devices



Power banks



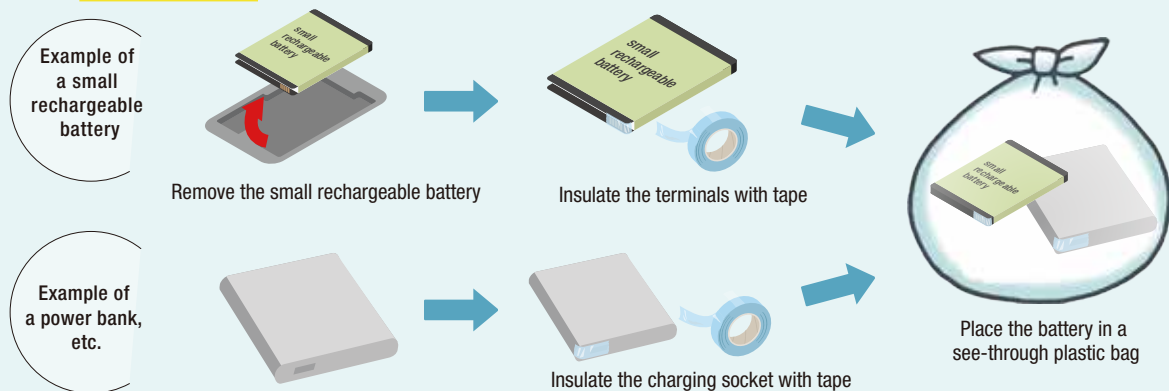
Bicycle batteries

You can also take them to JBRC partner stores.

[*See page 12.](#)

Disposal instructions for small rechargeable batteries and power banks

Insulate the terminals and cable sockets with tape, then place **only the battery** (not devices or accessories) in a see-through plastic bag.



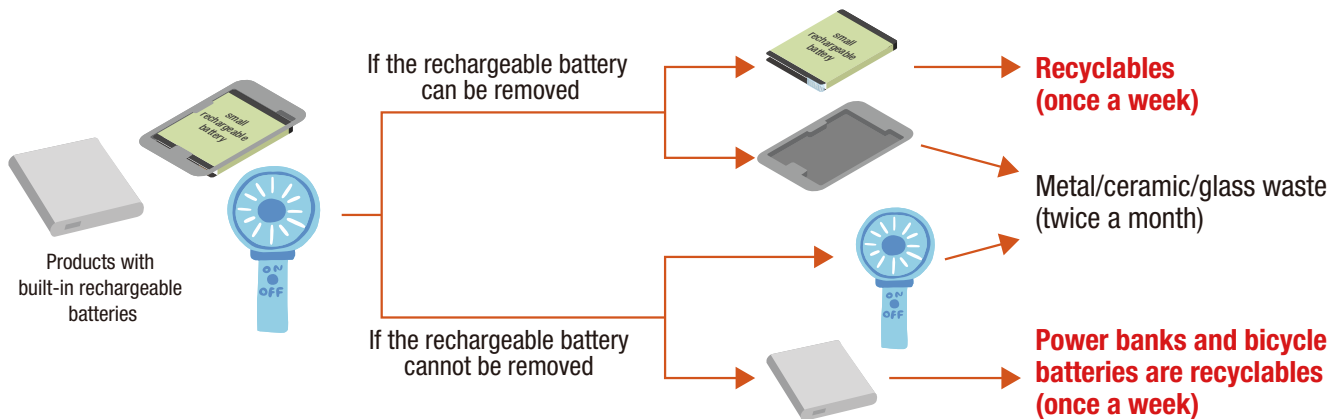
If a small rechargeable battery is deformed or swollen, do not dispose of it at a regular collection point. Take it to the waste collection office or waste collection center counter instead.

Disposal instructions for small appliances

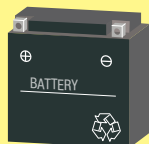
If the built-in small rechargeable battery is removable, remove the battery, insulate terminals with tape, and dispose of it on recycling collection day.

Do not disassemble power banks or bicycle batteries. Instead, insulate the terminals and dispose of them as-is on recycling collection day.

After removing the battery, dispose of the remaining appliance as metal/ceramic/glass waste.



Items that cannot be collected as recyclables

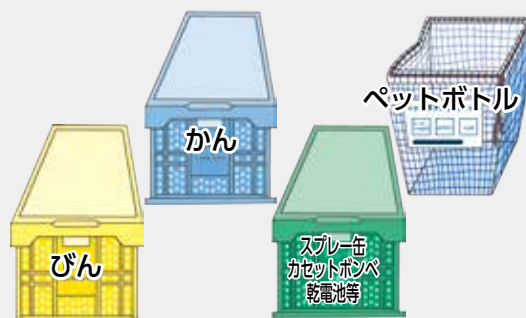


Car or motorcycle batteries

Shinjuku city does not collect these items. Please contact a specialized waste disposal company.

[*See page 13.](#)

- Regarding collection of bottles, cans, PET bottles, spray cans, cassette gas cylinders, batteries, etc.: If you have space to store “recycling collection containers” and are able to handle the loading and unloading of recyclable items at the collection site on designated collection days, we can lend out “recycling collection containers” (bins for bottles and cans and nets for PET bottles). For more information, please contact your local waste collection office or waste collection center.





Recyclable Plastic (Plastic products, Plastic containers and packaging materials)

Plastic products

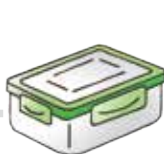
100% plastic that are no more than 30cm in any dimensions



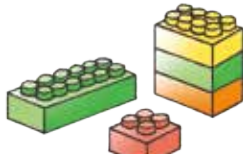
Toothbrushes



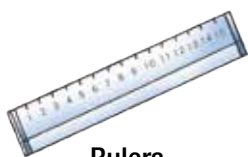
Plastic hangers



Airtight containers



Toy blocks



Rulers



Wash basins

How to Dispose

Uncleaned items can not be recyclable resources.

*It is not necessary to peel off the stickers such as price tags



Place all recyclable plastic items (products, containers, packaging) together in a see-through plastic bag.

Plastic containers and packaging materials



Items with this plastic recycling symbol

(Some items may not have the mark due to shape.)

Plastics that are used to hold goods [containers] or wrap goods [packaging materials] and that become unnecessary once the contents are used



Bottles



Cups



Cartons



Trays



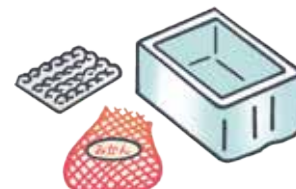
Containers



Plastic bags/film



Caps, nozzles, fasteners



Packing polystyrene, fruit netting, bubble wrap

PET bottles are not classified as Recyclable Plastic.

*See page 4.

Items that cannot be collected as recyclables

- Containers with residue contents or permanent stain
- Hard plate-like objects with a thickness of 5 mm or more, such as plastic cutting boards
- Composite products with metal or, items that cannot be separated from metallic part such as knives
- Items larger than 30cm in any dimensions

Please dispose as combustible garbage.

Please dispose as metal · ceramic · glass.

Please dispose of as Large Sized Waste See page 10.

Contamination is sometimes identified during the intermediate processing. **Never mix with fire hazardous materials or medical waste**

- Items with built-in small rechargeable batteries or, items that run on electricity or batteries
- Waste from home medical care (except sharp objects) (Syringes, IV bags, CAPD bags, those attached tubes, etc.)



Please dispose as metal · ceramic · glass.

Pour residue contents down the drain

Please dispose as combustible garbage.

※ Even though the plastic recycling symbols are displayed, IV bags and CAPD bags for home medical care cannot be collected as recyclable resources.

Combustible Garbage

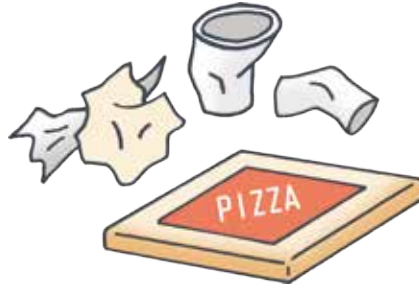
Please take them to the **recyclables/waste collection site** on your twice-a-week collection days.



Video explanation



Kitchen waste



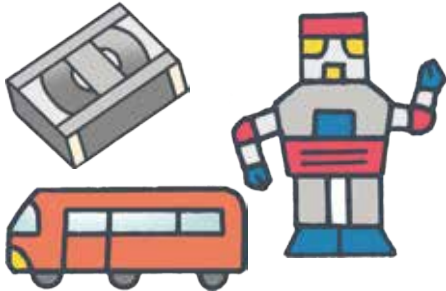
Paper scraps, etc.
Paper that cannot be recycled

[*See page 3.](#)



Clothing, disposable diapers, sanitary goods

Remove filth before disposal.



Plastic products containing non-plastic materials



Leather products



Small volume of branches/leaves from garden plants

Cut into lengths of 50 cm or less.

[*See page 11.](#) for information how to handle for large volume

How to Dispose



Use containers with lids (approx. 60L) or See-through plastic bags



Rubber products

Cut long hoses down to lengths of 50 cm or less.



Ice packs, Desiccants



Cooking oil

Soak into paper or cloth, or harden with a coagulant. The city collects cooking oil.

[See page 10, "Please use the recycling center."](#)



PET bottles and plastic items that cannot be used as recyclable resources

【Reduce raw kitchen waste!!!】

Raw kitchen waste makes up 35% of all combustible garbage — it's the most common type. With a little effort, this can be greatly reduced.

- ① Plan your shopping carefully
- ② Avoid preparing too much food
- ③ Don't waste ingredients or leave food uneaten
- ④ Drain excess water from food waste before disposal

These are all things you can start doing immediately—begin as soon as possible!

【Recycling old clothing】

What do you do with clothing you don't need anymore? Try recycling old cloth (clothes) before you throw them away!

- ① Submit at a flea market or bazaar.
- ② Use the Recycling Activity Center or recycling shops.

[*See page 10.](#)

- ③ Use group collections.

[*See page 15.](#)

Recyclable/
Waste Collection
Days

Recyclable
Resources

Combustible
Garbage

Metal ·
Ceramic · Glass

Large Sized
Waste

Other Inquiries

Recycling by
Manufactures

Items That the City
Will Not Collect

Group Collection

Recyclables/
Waste Separation
App

Let's Build a Resource
Recycling-Oriented
Society Together

Metal · Ceramic · Glass

Please take items to the **recyclables/waste collection site** on your twice-a-month metal/ceramic/glass waste collection days.



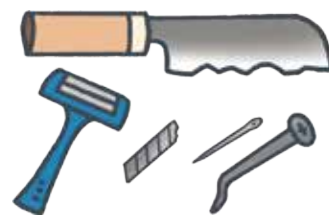
Video explanation



Aluminum foil, Metal items, etc.



Ceramics, Glass, Broken bottles
Wrap broken glass, ceramics, etc. in thick paper and mark “危険” (DANGEROUS).



Cutting tools, Needles, Razor blades, etc.
Wrap in thick paper and mark “危険” (DANGEROUS).



Small appliances
Please tie up cords neatly.
If a small rechargeable battery is removable, dispose of it as a recyclable resource.

▶ ***See page 5 and 6.**

How to Dispose



Use containers with lids (approx. 60L) or See-through plastic bags



Lighters



Products containing mercury



Lighters

Put them in a **separate, clear bag.**

Products containing mercury Put them in a separate see-through bag to dispose of



Fluorescent light bulbs

Place these in the boxes they came in, or wrap them in newspaper, etc.



Household mercury thermometers, Mercury blood pressure gauges

Dispose of these items in a small, see-through plastic bag, ensuring that no mercury leaks out.

The following nine items are recycled as “used small electronic devices, etc.” through collection offices or collection boxes.

Mobile phones



Digital cameras



Portable video cameras



Mobile music players



Mobile game devices



Portable car navigation systems,



Electronic dictionaries



Calculators



Accessories such as remote controls, AC adapters and cables



Please pay attention

- If the device has removable batteries, please remove them before disposal.
- For details on how to dispose of removed batteries, see page 5.
- Please remove or delete any personal information stored on electronic devices.
- Collected small electronic devices cannot be returned.

Collection boxes

● City Office (1F) ● Branch Offices ● Environmental Studies and Information Center (Eco Gallery Shinjuku).

Collection offices

● Waste Reduction and Recycling Division. (city office, 7F) ● Shinjuku Recycling Center ● Nishiwaseda Recycling Center
● Shinjuku Waste Collection Office ● Shinjuku-Higashi Waste Collection Center ● Kabukicho Waste Collection Center
● Shinjuku Waste and Recyclable Resources Center

Through routine recyclables/waste collections

In addition to the listed items, small household appliances and products containing mercury—collected as metal/ceramic/glass waste are processed and converted into resources. The mercury is then properly and safely disposed of.

Large Sized Waste

Reservation & Fees Required
Collected from in front of your home

Please make a reservation with the Large Sized Waste Reception Center for collections.



Video explanation

Application by Phone

☎03-5304-8080

Hours: Mon–Sat, 8:00 am–7:00 pm
(excluding year-end and New Year holidays)



Online Application (available 24 hours a day)

except during system maintenance and year-end/new year holidays



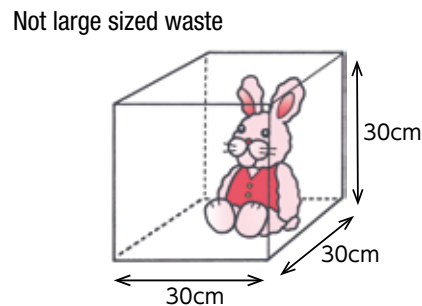
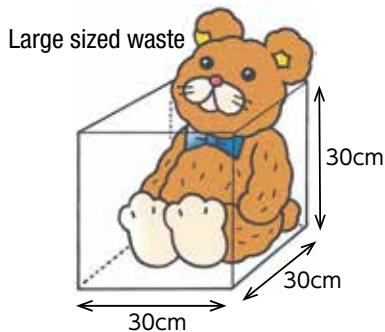
<https://www.shinjuku-sodai.com>

Large-sized waste mainly includes durable household goods (things that can be used for a long period of time) that are longer than 30 cm on any side, such as furniture, bedding, electric appliance, bicycle, etc. Items are treated as large sized waste even if dismantled or disassembled. In addition, collection may be refused depending on the size and weight. If you cannot apply online or by phone, please contact Waste Collection Office or one of Waste Collection Centers

※The city does not collect large sized waste generated by businesses and business activities.

Anything that does not fit in the cube below will be considered large sized waste.

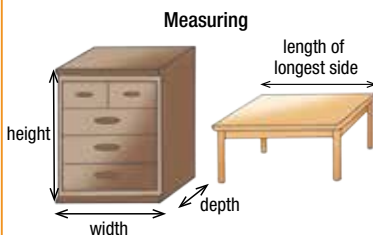
※Even dismantled or disassembled items are handled as large-sized waste.



Steps for disposal of large sized waste

1

Please confirm the item's size, weight, quantity, and material before applying.



2

Please be sure to purchase a "Large-Sized Waste Disposal Ticket" in **Shinjuku**

Shinjuku city uses two types of tickets, **A Ticket (200 yen)** and **B Ticket (300 yen)**, for paid large-sized waste disposals, so purchase them in combination to match the required disposal fee. Shinjuku city's disposal tickets for paid large-sized waste disposal services are available at shops with the "Paid Waste Disposal Ticket Office" sign, convenience stores, supermarkets, waste collection offices, local waste collection centers, local special district offices, and the Waste Reduction and Recycling Division (City Office 7th Floor).



3

Please take it out before **8:00am** on the collection day.

Please place the waste at the designated location you provided during the reservation process by 8:00 a.m. on the scheduled pick-up day.

Write the collection date, reservation number or your name on the paid large-sized waste disposal service ticket(s) and attach it to securely to the item where it is clearly visible.



Items not collected as Large Sized Waste

air conditioners, TV sets, refrigerators, freezers, washing machines, clothes driers, personal computers, tires, pianos, fire-resistant safes, fire extinguishers, concrete blocks

*See page 12・13.

Please use the recycling center

The Recycling Centers effectively utilizes recyclable resources. Unwanted recyclable furniture is collected from your home, then repaired, restored, and resold at the Nishiwaseda Center. Additional services include the consignment shop "Moichido Club" (Shinjuku), flea markets, clothing collection through "YOFUKU POST", and used cooking oil collection.



- Shinjuku Recycling Center
- Nishiwaseda Recycling Center
- Website <http://www.shinjuku-rc.org/>

Location: 4-10-2 Takadanobaba
Location: 3-19-5 Nishiwaseda

☎ 03-5330-5374 FAX: 03-5330-5371
☎ 03-5272-5374 FAX: 03-5272-5384

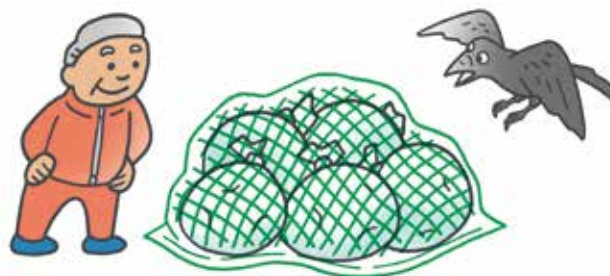
Please Contact the Waste Collection Office or Waste Collection Centers in Your Jurisdiction

Lending bird nets

The city lends out bird nets free of charge to prevent animals such as crows and cats from damaging the recyclables/waste collection sites. (As a rule, one net per recyclables/waste collection site.) Bird nets are available at Waste Collection Office, Waste Collection Centers, Special Branch Offices, and Waste Reduction and Recycling Division (7th floor, Shinjuku City Office.)

3 Net Sizes:

Large	Medium	Small
3×4m	2×3m	1.5×1.5m
(For 10 or more households)	(For less than 10 households)	(For individual households)



Collection of dead animals

The city collects pet carcasses (e.g., dogs and cats) for a fee of 3,000 yen per animal under 25 kg. Carcasses are temporarily stored and then sent to an animal cemetery for joint cremation and burial.

- If a dead animal is found on private property (e.g., a driveway, empty lot) and the owner is unknown, the landowner or manager is generally responsible for the disposal fee. Please contact the landowner/manager or your local Waste Collection Office/Waste Collection Center.

For more information, please contact the appropriate road administrator as they will handle dead animals on the street.

- ▶ For National Roads: Tokyo National Highway Office, Yoyogi Branch ☎03-3374-9451
- ▶ For Prefectural Roads: Local Waste Collection Office/Center
- ▶ For city Roads: Tobu Construction Office (East of Meiji-dori) ☎03-5361-2454
Seibu Construction Office (West of Meiji-dori) ☎03-3364-2422

Home waste collection visits are available

Home waste collection visits are available for the following households, based on field surveys:

- Households consisting only of individuals aged 65 or older who require nursing care, or disabled persons who are unable to bring waste to collection points and have no one to assist them.
- Households with a single resident aged 85 or older who does not receive regular visits from relatives or acquaintances.

There is a fee for disposing of large volume of waste at once

There is a fee for disposing of large volume of waste at once arising from general households when moving, cleaning out rooms, cutting garden tree branches, etc. (When having garden trees trimmed/clipped by a specialist, have them take the branches away with them.)

For households to put out four or more 45-liter bags at once, inquire beforehand to the waste collection office or waste collection center that administers waste in your area.

Recycling by Manufactures

Household air conditioners, TV sets, refrigerators, freezers, washing machines, and clothes driers

They are not classified as large-sized waste. The Home Appliance Recycling Act requires them to be recycled and there are recycling and transportation fees. You must make a reservation with a **retail outlet** or the **Home Appliance Reception Center** for collections.

● When purchasing a replacement

Please ask the retail outlet where you purchased the new appliance for details regarding recycling of the old item.

● When only disposing of an item

- ① Please request for collection at the store where you originally purchased the item.
- ② If the retailer is no longer in business or you cannot return the item there for another reason, please contact the Home Electric Appliance Reception Center
(☎0570-08-7200). <Hours> Mon. to Fri. 9:00 am to 5:00 pm (closed on holidays)
website <https://kaden23rc.jp>
- ③ If transporting the item yourself directly to the designated collection location, please inquire to Japan Home Appliances Association Home Appliance Recycling Ticket Center (Toll Free Dial 0120-319-640 ☎03-6741-5605 between 9am and 6pm except Sundays and holidays for both/FAX 03-3595-0761/website <https://www.rkc.aeha.or.jp>)



Computers They are collected/recycled by the manufacturers Ask the manufacturer, etc. of the item to be disposed of for details.

● Collection through courier services

Authorized businesses based on the Small Home Appliance Recycling Law are collecting PCs through courier services. Please contact **Renet Japan Recycling Corporation** (website <https://www.renet.jp/> ☎0570-085-800) and request for collection.

● Collection by manufactures

According to the Law for the Promotion of Effective Utilization of Resources, PC manufacturers will collect PCs. If you do not know the manufacturer's contact information (home-built PC, bankruptcy, business withdrawal, etc.), please contact the **PC 3R Promotion Association** (website <https://www.pc3r.jp/> ☎03-5282-7685).



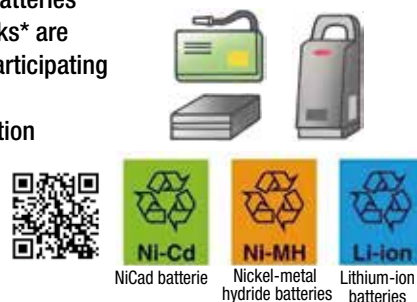
Small rechargeable batteries Collected at participating stores (home electronics retailers, etc.) registered with JBRC Association

According to the Law for Promotion of Effective Utilization of Resources, rechargeable batteries that are used for laptop computers, digital cameras, electric bicycles, etc. or power banks* are required to be recycled by manufacturers or others. Please bring them in to the JBRC participating stores (home electronics retailers, etc.)

The information about participating stores can be found at the website of JBRC Association
(☎03-6403-5673 https://www.jbrc.com/general/recycle_kensaku/)

* **Power banks** (portable power storage device which main function is to charge mobile phones and smartphones) will be collected whole system. **Please do not disassemble them.**

They will also be collected at the recyclables/waste collection site. [See page 5 and 6.](#)



Button batteries

Those batteries used in electronic thermometers, hearing aids, etc

Based on the UN Environmental Program's "Minamata Treaty" and the enactment of the "Law Concerning the Prevention of Environmental Pollution from Mercury" in Japan, the Battery Association of Japan has been voluntarily conducted collection and proper processing of used button batteries (type codes: SR, PR, LR).

Please bring them to battery collection cans at collection cooperating shops.

Please inquire Button Battery Collection Promotion Center for collection participating stores.

(website <http://www.botankaishu.jp/> ☎0120-266-205 between 9am and 5pm on weekdays /FAX 03-6862-6093). They will also be collected at the recyclables/waste collection site. [See page 5.](#)



Ink cartridges Please cooperate for Ink Cartridge Return-Home Project

Shinjuku City is participating in a project jointly operated by printer manufacturers to promote the recycling of used ink cartridges. Put the cartridge of the home inkjet printer in the designated collection box.

Please find information about participating manufactures and locations of collection boxes from the website of Ink Cartridge Returning-Home Project (<http://www.inksatogaeri.jp/>).

Information: Shinjuku City Waste Reduction and Recycling Division ☎03-5273-3318



Items That the City Will Not Collect



Video explanation

Items that are difficult to process

Ask the store of purchase or the manufacturer to take it over, or ask a professional.



Gas cylinders
other than cassette type



Petroleum
(gasoline, light oil, thinner, etc.)



Paint



Chemicals



Batteries



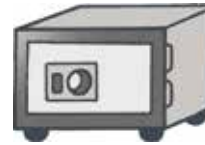
Fire
extinguisher



Tires and wheels
(for automobiles
and motorcycles)



Piano



Fireproof safe



Soil, sand, stones, blocks, sludge

※ If you are unsure of a specialist, contact your local waste collection office or waste collection center.

●Take used syringes and needles to pharmacies

It is very dangerous to take out the syringe used for home medical care as garbage.
Return unnecessary syringes with needles and injection needles to the pharmacy
where you purchased them.

* Please do not take to the recyclables/waste collection site.



Illegal dumping is a crime

Violations of the “Waste Disposal and Public Cleansing Act” will result in imprisonment of up to 5 years or a fine of up to 10 million yen (300 million yen for corporations) or both.

If you find illegal dumping, please dial 110 to report it.

- Illegal dumping on private roads, premises, and vacant lots will be handled and disposed at the responsibility of the owner or the manager of the land, and the cost will be borne by the owner or the manager. Please manage your land to prevent illegal dumping on a daily basis. In addition, please inquire to the waste collection office, waste collection centers of each jurisdiction about disposal method.
- For illegal dumping at the recyclables/waste collection sites (excluding individual collections and apartments), please consult with the waste collection office or waste collection centers.
- For illegal dumping on public roads, please contact each road management offices.

National roads: Tokyo National Highway Office Yoyogi Branch ☎ 03 - 3374 - 9451

Metropolitan roads: The Third Construction Office ☎ 03 - 3387 - 5144

City roads: Traffic Affairs Division Regulation and Compliance Section ☎ 03 - 5273 - 3847

Business related waste

Business recyclables/waste must be disposed privately as a general rule

Entrust waste disposal to a licensed waste disposal company

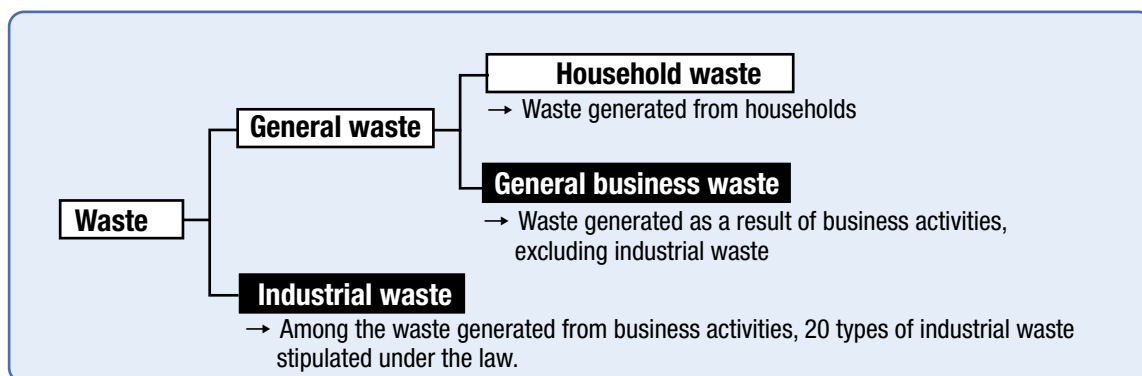
Unlike recyclables and waste generated by households, recyclables and waste generated by companies, restaurants, retail stores, business establishments, and other business activities are classified as “general business waste” and “industrial waste.”

The law (Waste Disposal and Public Cleansing Act) stipulates that waste generators are responsible for properly disposing of their waste.

If you are unable to dispose of the waste yourself, you must entrust it to a waste disposal company (licensed)* for proper disposal.

Small businesses that are unable to dispose of the waste themselves and find it difficult to entrust it to a waste disposal company (licensed) should contact your local waste collection office or waste collection center.

* Please find licensed contractors at the “Business waste: Licensed contractors” on the city’s website.



* Business-related recyclables and waste include not only those generated by commercial activities such as stores and companies, but also by non-profit public service organizations such as educational and welfare institutions. Items such as leftover lunch, bottles, cans, and PET bottles discarded by employees are also classified as business-related recyclables and waste.

Businesses are responsible for disposing of all large-sized waste they generate.

Businesses are responsible for disposing of their own large-sized waste. Applications cannot be made to the Large-Sized Waste Reception Center. Please contact a licensed waste disposal company directly.

For inquiries	Shinjuku Waste Collection Office:	
	2-1-1, Shimoochiai	☎ 03-3950-2923
	Shinjuku-Higashi Waste Collection Center:	
	10-16, YotsuyaSanei-cho	☎ 03-3353-9471
	Kabukicho Waste Collection Center:	
	2-42-7, Kabuki-cho	☎ 03-3200-5339



Can you participate in group collections?

Group collection is a type of voluntary recycling activity where residents from ten or more households come together to carry out recycling. Participants decide on a collection contractor, the items to be collected (such as newspapers, magazines, cardboards, old clothing, aluminum cans, etc.), as well as the collection sites and collection dates for handing over recyclables. To participate, groups must register as official practice groups.

Benefits of group collection activities

- Increased awareness of recycling among participants helps promote overall waste reduction.
- Proper sorting enables more efficient collection of high-quality recyclable materials, contributing to resource conservation and a cleaner environment.
- Incentives (★1) can be used effectively—for example, to support local events, community organization activities, or the purchase of equipment.
- Working together with neighbors strengthens ties and helps revitalize the local community.
- Administrative costs are reduced. (For example, the cost of collecting paper through group collection is about half that of municipal collection.) ▶ [*See page 18.](#)

How to start a group collection

Gather 10 or more households to participate.

Assign roles, such as a group representative and a person in charge of coordination.

Coordinate with a recycling company to decide the items to collect, the collection date and the collection location (If you cannot find a recycling company, please contact the Waste Collection Office.)

Items eligible for recycling collection

- ◎ Newspapers, magazines, and cardboards
[◎ indicates required items]
- Paper cartons (milk cartons) ○ Other paper items
- Old cloth ○ Aluminum items
- Metal items (other than aluminum)

*Items that can be collected vary depending on the recycling company.



Submit a group registration application to the Waste Collection Office.

Shinjuku city supports for group collection activities

★1 Incentives

Registered practice groups receive an incentive of 6 yen per kilogram of recyclables collected, distributed twice a year.

★2 Supporting goods

Upon request, the city provides consumable supplies needed for activities—such as gloves, string, garbage bags, and carts—once a year.

In addition, collection site banners, flyers for posting, and flyers for circulation are provided upon request.



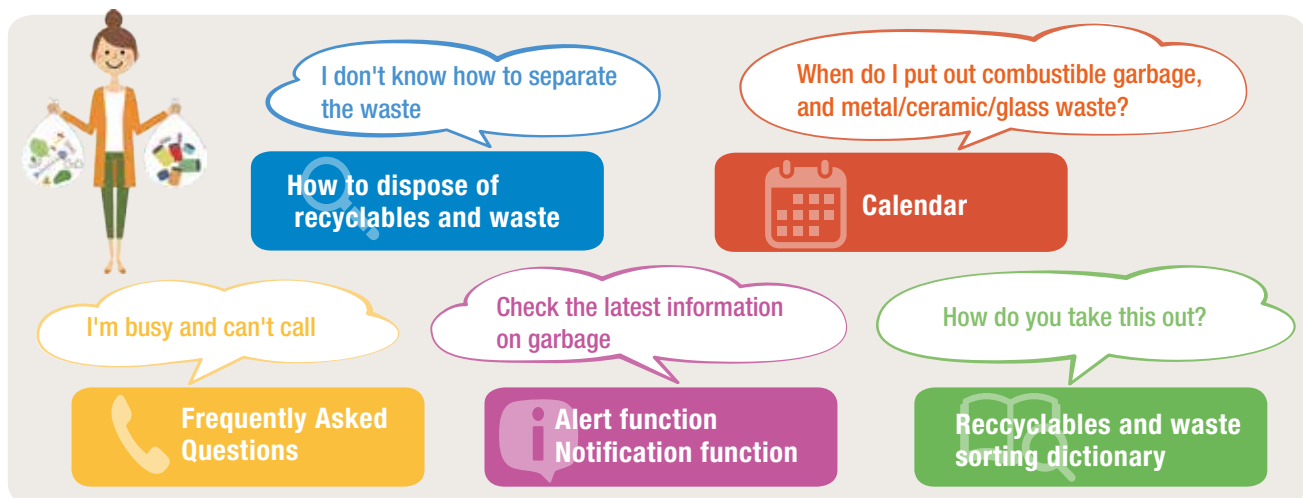
[Contact] Shinjuku Waste Collection Office, Business Section, ☎03-3950-2962, FAX03-3950-2932

Recyclables and Waste Sorting App

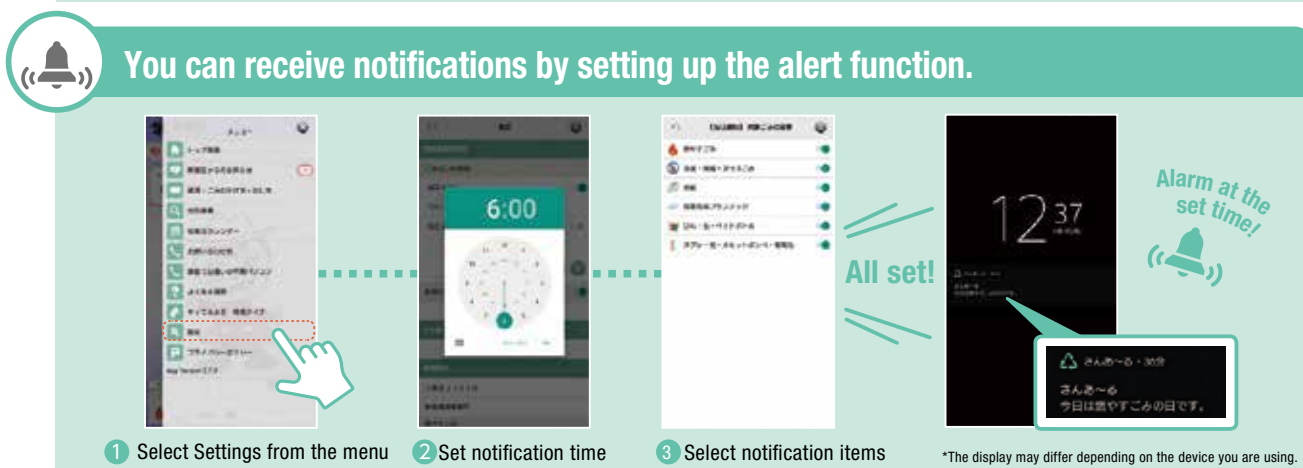
Recyclables and waste sorting app, **さんあ〜る®** is available



This app allows you to easily and conveniently find out how to separate and dispose of recyclables and waste.



Once you download the app...



*The display may differ depending on the device you are using.

Let's Build a Resource Recycling-Oriented Society Together

A “resource recycling-oriented society” is one that minimizes its impact on the global environment by reducing waste generation, reusing materials, and properly recycling and disposing of waste. It is a society where resources are effectively reused and recycled. To achieve this, each of us must reexamine our daily habits, reduce waste, and use resources more efficiently. Let us—citizens, businesses, and Shinjuku City—join forces to confront the challenges of waste and work together to build a sustainable, resource recycling-oriented society—for the sake of the Earth and future generations.

The Roles of City's Residents, Businesses, and Shinjuku City

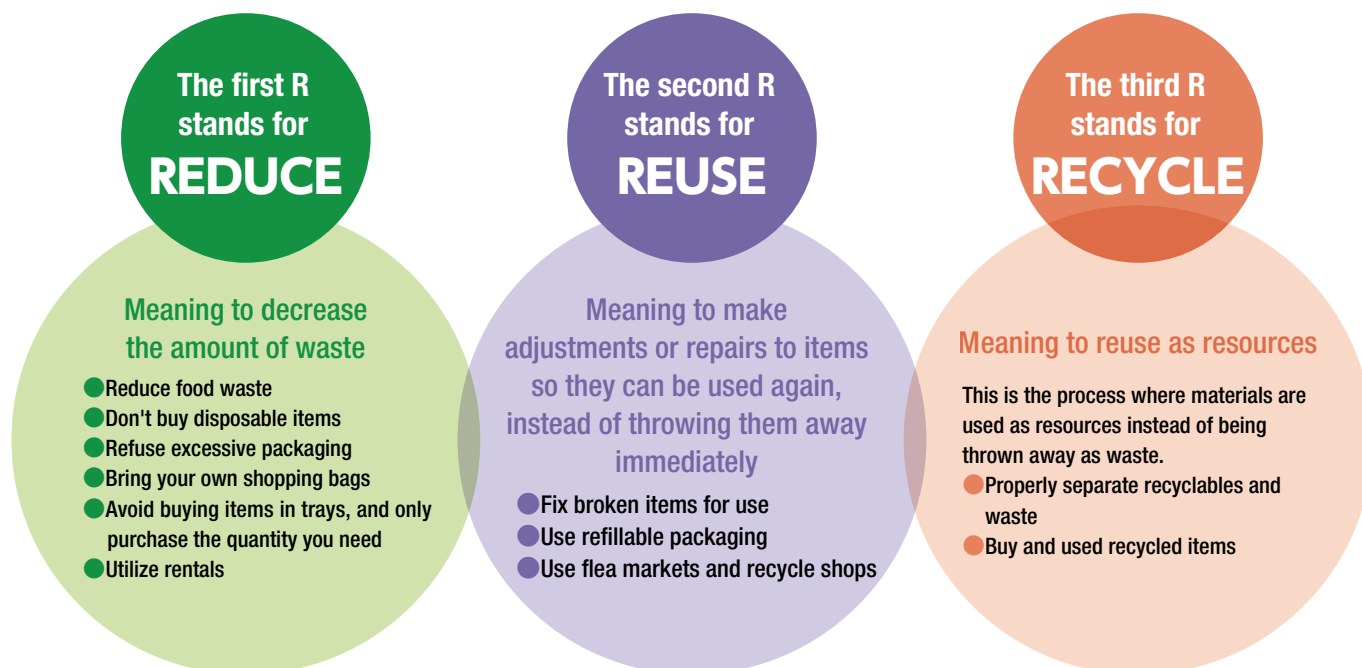


Reducing Waste with the Three Rs

“The three Rs” are the key in reducing waste.

Check your daily habits once again with “The three Rs” in order to reduce waste.

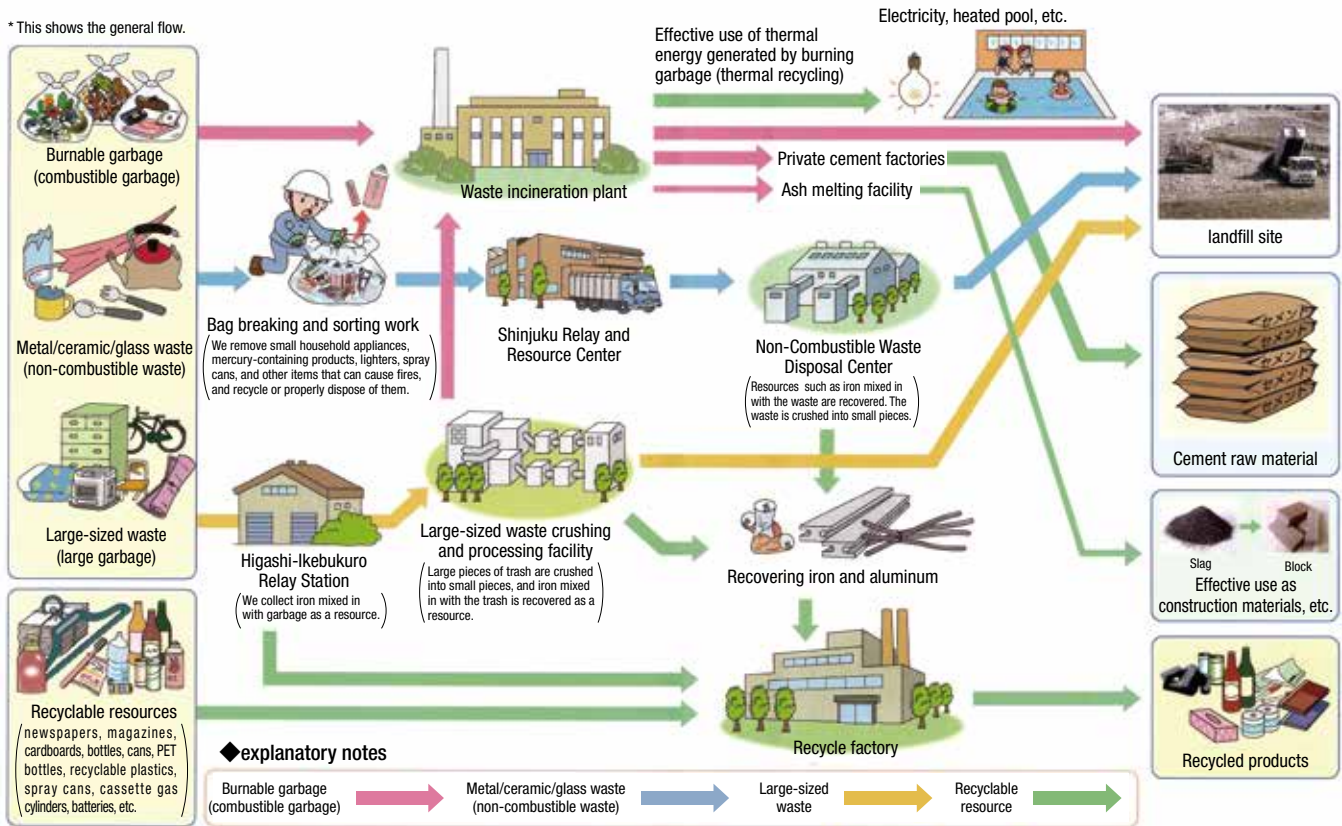
Waste reduction and the recycling of resources can be realized with just a little effort by each and every person.



The Earth's resources are limited. To ensure they are preserved for future generations, it is important that we avoid buying unnecessary items and recycle what can be recycled. Natural resources, which have taken billions of years to form, should not be exhausted by our generation alone. Let us commit to a lifestyle where we properly separate recyclables and waste every day, so that items we no longer need can be reused as valuable resources.

Flow of resources and garbage

* This shows the general flow.



Volume of Waste and Disposal Costs in Shinjuku City

Waste Volume and Population

Waste per person every day = waste volume ÷ population ÷ 365 days

●2018 (population as of Jan. 1, 2019)
Population: 346,162
Volume of waste: 70,693t
Volume of waste per person: 560g

●2024 (population as of Jan. 1, 2025)
Population: 352,717
Volume of waste: 64,703t
Volume of waste per person: 503g

○FY2027
Shinjuku City General Waste
Basic Treatment Plan's target waste
volume per person per day: 444g

Processing costs

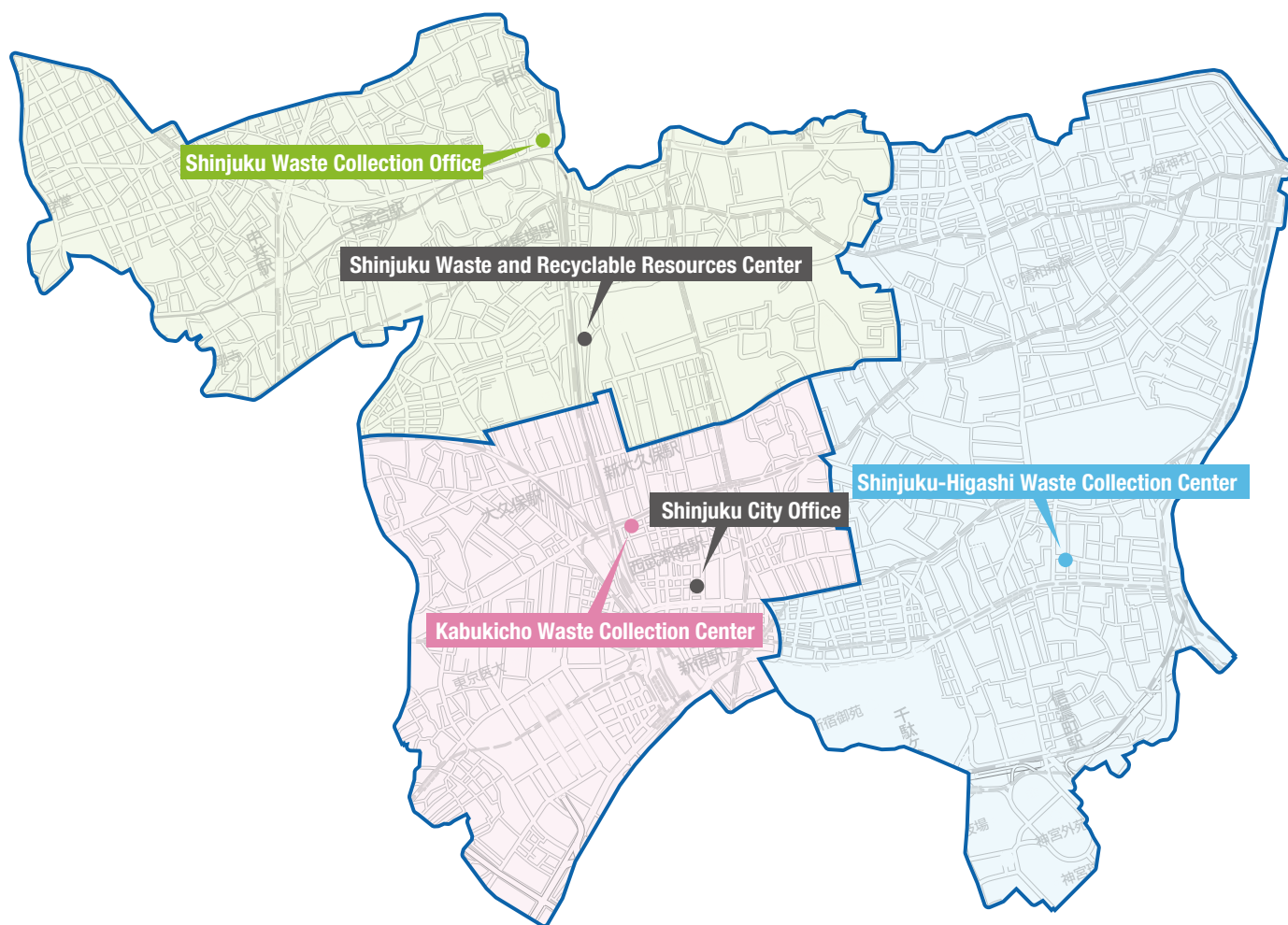
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- Waste (combustible garbage, metals/ceramics/glass waste, large-sized waste) processing fees
The costs from collection/transport to processing/disposal covered by the city.
- Costs to recycle resources (processing costs - profit on sale) ÷ collected volume
The costs covered by the city from collection to recycling. (Gains on disposals are subtracted.)



Recyclable Paper	Bottles	Aluminum	Steel Cans	PET bottles	Plastic Containers and Wrapping
34yen	155yen	59yen	170yen	168yen	211yen

- Group collections (incentives, supporting goods, etc.): about 16 yen/kg



For more information, please contact the waste collection office/waste collection center that administers waste in your area.

- **Shinjuku Waste Collection Office** ☎ 03-3950-2923 FAX 03-3950-2932 Shimo-Ochiai 2-1-1
- **Shinjuku-Higashi Waste Collection Center** ☎ 03-3353-9471 FAX 03-3353-9505 Yotsuya-San-ei-cho 10-16
- **Kabukicho Waste Collection Center** ☎ 03-3200-5339 FAX 03-5272-3494 Kabuki-cho 2-42-7
- **Waste Reduction and Recycling Division** ☎ 03-5273-3318 FAX 03-5273-4070 Kabuki-cho 1-4-1 (City Office, 7F)

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