

DISPOSABLE PRODUCT RECYCLING EXPLAINED

Recyclable



PET polyethylene

recycled and becomes RPET



PP polypropylene
recyclable



RPET recycled polyethylene

recyclable and has already been recycled



Aqueous coating

water based lining



recycling bin

Not Recyclable



PS polystyrene
not recyclable



EPS expanded polystyrene
banned



OXO or D2W o xo-biodegradable
banned



landfill bin

Compostable



Sugarcane or Corrugated



PLA polylactic acid



Aqueous coating
water based lining



compostable bin

Items Being Banned



Items banned from July 2021

- all plastic cutlery (PP, PS, PET, PLA, OXO)
- EPS products - e.g. foam meal boxes
- EPS products - e.g. foam containers/cups for hot content
- all plastic straws (PP, PS, PET, PLA)
- all plastic plates (PS)
- all plastic stirrers (PS)

Alternative

- wooden cutlery
- bagasse or corrugated
- paper container, PP clear container (hot contents), PLA FK containers (cold liquids)
- paper straws
- paper and bagasse plates
- wooden stirrers