

Item		Trash Category	Disposal Tips
Neckties		Recyclables (fabrics)	Place in a plastic bag along with other clothes.
Agricultural chemicals/chemical containers		DO NOT DISPOSE	Consign to a special disposal company
Farming tools		DO NOT DISPOSE	Consign to a special disposal company
Agricultural vinyl sheets, mulches.		DO NOT DISPOSE	Consign to a special disposal company
Seaweed cans, snack cans		Recyclables (metals)	Do not place large items in the empty can collection basket.
Saws		Recyclables (metals)	Wrap edge with adhesive tape etc. to prevent cuts. Remove wooden handles.
Harmonicas		Recyclables (metals)	
Ash		Non-combustible Garbage (landfill)	* Personally drop off to sanitation office. DO NOT DISPOSE business incineration ashes.
Steel-framed beds		Recyclables (metals), others	* Wood panels are Combustible Garbage. Mattresses are Non-combustible Garbage (shreddable).
Pipe paper binders, paper files		Recyclables (miscellaneous paper), others	* Remove all metal parts, and dispose as Recyclables (metals).
Motorcycles		DO NOT DISPOSE (see p.13)	Consign to a special disposal company
Waste oil		DO NOT DISPOSE	Consign to a special disposal company
Buckets	Plastic	Plastic Garbage (others)	Remove metal handles.
	Metal	Recyclables (metals)	
Scissors		Recyclables (metals)	
Bath towels		Recyclables (fabrics)	Bundle using paper strings. Cover with vinyl bags etc. when raining.
Bath mats		Plastic Garbage (others)	
Personal computers		DO NOT DISPOSE (see p.12)	
Pads (knee, shoulder, breast)		Combustible Garbage	
Bags		Recyclables (fabrics)	Put in a plastic bag with clothes. Refrain from placing out when raining.
Batteries		DO NOT DISPOSE (see p.14)	Consign to a special disposal company
Baseball bats	Metal	Recyclables (metals)	
	Wooden	Combustible Garbage	
Styrofoam		Plastic Garbage (containers & packaging)	Rinse with water.
Fireworks (used only)		Combustible Garbage	Dampen with water.
Fireworks (unused)		DO NOT DISPOSE	* Use before disposal due to risk of explosions or ignitions.
Toothbrushes		Plastic Garbage (others)	
Toothpaste tubes (plastic)		Plastic Garbage (containers & packaging)	Empty. Remove cap.
Blades/knives		Recyclables (metals)	Wrap edge with adhesive tape etc. to prevent cuts.
Hangers	Wire/metal	Recyclables (metals)	* Remove metal parts as much as possible.
	Plastic	Plastic Garbage (others)	
Wires of different thickness		Recyclables (metals)	Avoid tangling, wind up, and bundle.
Needles		Recyclables (metals)	Place in a can with a lid when disposing.
Annealing wires		Recyclables (metals)	Avoid tangling, wind up, and bundle.
Electric shavers (rechargeable)		Non-combustible Garbage (small-sized electronic home appliances)	* Remove batteries and dispose them as Hazardous Waste (batteries).
Pianos/organs		DO NOT DISPOSE	Consign to a special disposal company
Hibachi braziers		Recyclables (metals), others	* Non-metal parts should be removed and disposed according to their material.
Video cameras		Non-combustible Garbage (small-sized electronic home appliances)	
Video tapes		Non-combustible Garbage (landfill)	Cases are Plastic Garbage (others).
Video decks		Non-combustible Garbage (small-sized electronic home appliances)	
Hina dolls		Non-combustible Garbage (landfill)	
Plastic bags/vinyl products		Plastic Garbage (others)	Lightly rinse with water.
Vinyl sheets(agricultural use)		DO NOT DISPOSE	Consign to a special disposal company
Plastic construction sheets		Plastic Garbage (others)	Cut to below 50cm and bundle. Otherwise, drop off at sanitation center.
Glass bottles (beverages / condiments etc.).		Recyclables (bottles)	Empty. Remove cap.
Glass bottles (cosmetics)		Recyclables (bottles)	Empty. Remove cap. Milky white colored bottles are Non-combustible Waste (landfill).
Fax machines (home use only)		Non-combustible Garbage (small-sized electronic home appliances)	* DO NOT DISPOSE faxes for business.
Fan heaters		Recyclables (metals)	Ensure the fuel tank/base of heater is empty of fuel.
Film (negatives)		Plastic Garbage (others)	* Film cases are Plastic Garbage (containers & packaging)
Fusumas, shoji doors		Combustible Garbage	Cut to below 50cm and bundle. Otherwise, personally drop off to sanitation center.
Futons, floor cushions		Non-combustible Garbage (shreddable)	Up to 2 futons may be disposed at a time.
Futon covers		Recyclables (fabrics)	Bundle together with clothes using paper strings.
Frying pans		Recyclables (metals)	Remove wooden handles if possible.
Plamodels (plastic models)		Plastic Garbage (others)	* Remove batteries, motors, gears etc.
Stationery		Combustible Garbage, Plastic Garbage, Landfill Waste	Sort by material and dispose accordingly.
Planters		Plastic Garbage (others)	Lightly rinse and clean with water.