Which plastics can you recycle?

Plastic containers (except Styrofoam) are recyclable if YES
is the answer to all three of these questions:
1. Does it have a number (1-7) on it?
2. Is it rigid and hard?
3. Is it a container?

NOTE: plastics bags and films can be returned to supermarkets & stores.

Find out where online at: plasticfilmrecycling.org.

NO HAZARDOUS WASTE - EVER!

These items never belong in recycling or household trash:
- ammunition - anti-freeze - CFL/fluorescent
- light bulbs - chemicals - electronic waste - fertilizers
- bulbs of any kind - fuel (gasoline, diesel, kerosene)
- lithium ion batteries - oxygen tanks - paint thinner
- pesticides - propane tanks
- rechargeable batteries - televisions

Still have questions?
Download ecomaine's free app to search more than 800 waste items:
ecomaine.org/RECYCLOPEDIA

Hey, Standish Residents!
Ready to start composting?

You can now dispose of your food scraps and other compostable materials for free in our new compost dropoff site located at:

Standish Transfer Station
150 Moody Rd, Standish

How Does It Work?
COLLECT your food scraps and compostables at home
Please Remove all non-organics such as metal, plastic, glass and rubber
VISIT the local Compost Dropoff Site at the Standish Transfer Station
EMPTY your compostable materials into the green collection totes on site

What Can I Compost?

YES
- All food scraps
- Include: vegetables, fruits, cores, meat, bones, coffee grounds, filters
- Paper napkins & towels
- Styrofoam or polystyrene foam (even if #6)
- Tiny containers & lids
- Wax paper & parchment paper
- Pet hair & laundry lint
- Small plants & flowers
- Wine corks & toothpicks

NO
- Plastic
- Styrofoam
- Metal
- Glass
- Pet waste & diapers
- Treated wood & chemicals

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