

2009 < HEISEI 21 > ITOIGAWA CITY Waste & Recycle Guide

Notice

- Waste without separation will not be collected.
- Compound materials must be disassembled as much as you can
- Waste put in a black bag or a carton will not be collected because we don't know what is inside.
- Waste accumulation is managed by each area.
- Let's cooperate and follow the rules and regulations of waste collection sites.

Combustible waste Three times a week	Garbage Kitchen garbage ◎Garbage must be dehydrated.	Paper products Diapers ◎Excretion must be cast off. Paper containers Paper bags Tissues	Woods Scrapped woods ◎Nails must be removed. Twigs Garden grasses Chairs Desks	Wooden furniture must be destroyed to under 30cm in length. Metallic objects such as nails must be removed. (You could contact a licensed dealer if you have no idea. There may be a charge.) Tree branches and twigs have to be cut to under 30cm in length and 10cm in width. Cloths that can't be recycled have to be cut to under 30cm in length. Garbage can be recycled as store compost by the use of a household garbage disposer. Your full cooperation will be greatly appreciated. Collect fine wastes in clear or translucent bags .
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RECYCLABLE MATERIALS	Plastic products and containers Once a week	Note Containers and wrappings which have プラ mark. Plastic containers and cases Shampoo Conditioner Eggs Yogurt Pudding Jelly Tubes ◎Lids must be taken off. Tooth paste Wasabi Karashi Mayonnaise Ketchup Trays Colored trays Cushion materials Those (foamed styrol) that are used to protect electric appliances. ◎Those that can not be cleaned should be put in combustible waste. Medical wastes (e.g intravenous drip, syringes, etc.) will not be collected. Plastic bags Breads Pastries Snacks	◎Use contents completely ◎take lids off ◎rinse well ◎dry well ◎put into clear bags Some containers will need to be slit to clean properly. Containers with foreign objects inside will not be collected. Something is too small to clean such as matto mustard bag should be put in combustible waste. Some containers contain parts (e.g pump style lids) which are classified as "Buried waste". Cushion materials must be destroyed to under 10cm in length.
	Plastic bottles (Pet Bottle) Twice a month	Note Bottles which have PET mark. ◎Lids and plastic labels belong to "Plastic products and containers". [Cleaning instructions] Remove lids and any foreign objects. Rinse well and dry completely. Crush. Collect in clear bags.	Remove lids and labels. Rinse well and crush. Collect in clear bags .
	White trays Once a month	Note Containers which have PS mark. Trays with color must be put in plastic containers. [Cleaning instructions] Remove contents, wrappings, and stickers. Rinse well. Dry completely.	Remove foreign objects, rinse well, and dry completely. Collect in clear bags . Please drop them into the recycling promotion boxes near some super markets.
	Bottles Once a month	◎If the colors of body and neck are different, please separate according to the color of neck. Brown bottles Clear bottles Others Return beer and 1800ml Sake bottles to place of purchase or other licensed dealers. Sheet glass must be cleaned and will be collected on designated Sunday collection days (10 times a year) and places. Please refer to waste calendar.	Only bottles of food, beverage and cosmetics are allowed. Please take the lid off and rinse bottles well. Bottles are divided into brown, colorless transparent and other three types. Lids are divided into "Plastic products and containers" and "Cans and Hardwares" waste.
	Cans and Hardwares small electric appliances · umbrella Once a month	Aluminum can with a ♻️ mark Beer Steel can with a ♻️ mark Juice boiler · cutter · others Pots Umbrellas Sickles Kettles Bicycles sprayer electric appliances Toaster ovens Kerosene heaters Fan heaters Vacuum cleaners Hair dryers VCRs ◎with electrical cord ◎Battery or Oil must be removed. ◎vacuum cleaners hair dryers VCR	Collect fine wastes into clear or translucent bags . Aluminum and steel cans must be separated and collected into clear bags. Spray cans, aerosols, and gas cylinders have to be punctured. Knives and other sharp objects must be wrapped to ensure safe handling. Small sharp objects must be put into a steel can. The can opening must also be crushed shut. Bicycle and tricycle are marked with 「不用」 electric appliances (body less than 1m in length) are limited to those powered on batteries or outlet Metallic materials mixed with plastics are taken out as "Cans and Hardwares" waste.
	Papers and Cloths Once a month	paper package with a ♻️ mark (No aluminum foil inside) Newspapers Cardboards Magazines ◎Magazines, comics, snack boxes, files, and thick papers. Cloths ◎Cotton only towel and blanket	Recyclable paper products must be tied according to type. Cloth that are made from chemical fiber or very dirty must be cut to under 30cm in length and taken out as "Combustible waste".

Buried waste Once a month Change on separation small electric appliances · umbrella → "Cans and Hardwares" cosmetics bottles → bottles light bulbs and tubes → to designated collection sites	Plastic products Plastic tanks Plastic buckets Toys ◎battery and kerosene must be removed.	Glasses and Ceramics Mirrors Vases Heat-resistant glasses Flowerpots Glasses Dishes (Ceramics and Glasses)	Rubber and leather products Shoes Rubber boots Rubber disposable lighter ◎must be used completely and destroyed.	Others Bags Tooth brushes Disposable lighters Charcoal ash must be put into a bag and marked "灰".	must be cut to under 30cm in length. (Compound materials that are hard to be cut will be unnecessary) Collect fine wastes into clear or translucent bags . Dangerous stuff such as broken glass or ceramics must be wrapped with paper and put into bags. Disposable lighters have to be empty and punctured. Charcoal ash must be put into a bag and marked "灰".
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Designated collection sites please refer to city bulletin or homepage	Batteries Light bulbs and tubes Please drop them into the recycle boxes of electric appliances shops or super markets. Batteries accepted are dry, button, mercury, lithium, NiCad, and those from mobile phones. light bulbs and tubes (in round, tube or ball shape)	used edible oil please drop it into the recycle boxes of super markets ● used edible oil are limited to liquid vegetable oil ● please put it in plastic containers such as PET bottles ● please make sure that caps are firmly closed and no oil leaks vegetable oil
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Uncollectible Waste (Please dispose of properly.)

- household appliances recycle laws list objects (air conditioners, tube TV, refrigerators, freezers, washing machines, LCD TV, PDP TV, clothes dryers), tires, PC, motorbikes, farm tools and machinery, fishing nets, chemicals, fire extinguishers, containers of agricultural chemicals, explosives, batteries, medical instruments and large appliances (over 1m in length) will not be collected. Please consult with retailers or licensed dealers. (please contact city hall if you need licensed dealer information. It also can be found on the homepage)
- Waste from retail businesses such as stores, restaurants, factories, and offices is their own responsibility.

Waste Drop-off (combustible waste) [buried waste] only
 free for less than 30kg once a day

Inquiry / Itoigawa Seiso Center Tel 552-1324
 Open / Monday to Friday 8:30am to 4:30pm <Closed on Saturday and Sunday>
 ※ On holiday Wednesdays burnable waste can be dropped off at the Seiso Center.
 ※ Please refer to the calendar for designated Sunday collection day. (10 times a year)

- Futons, carpets, and electric blankets have to be brought to the Seiso Center. There is no charge for packages under 30kg.
- If you have a lot of waste over 30kg such as tatami mats, closets or other large furniture (metallic objects removed) produced from moving or cleaning, please contact Seiso Center in advance for detailed instructions.

Please dispose your Wastes and Recyclable Materials properly.

Inquiry

◎ Please call about any items not on this list or difficult to classify.

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