# Collection Days for Recyclables and Waste

- Check the waste collection days for your area from the table below and write the collection days in the blanks \_\_\_\_\_ provided on the front page.
- Collection will be conducted regardless of the day falling on a holiday.

## Collection Days for Burnable, Non-burnable, Hazardous, and Recyclable Waste

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Associated Towns (Districts)	Burnable	Non-b <mark>urnable</mark> Hazard <mark>ous</mark>		Recyclables
	Weekly	Monthly Wk1·Wk3	Monthly Wk2•Wk4	Weekly
Omori, Nishi-yawara, Nanasewari, Rokken, Nakanokuchi, Hossakukami, Hossakushimo, Kamenari	Mon/Thu		Tue	Fri
Nishinohara, Higashinohara, Makinohara, Makinodai, Hara (Chiba New Town)	Mon/ Thu		Wed	Tue
Kioroshi (Kamicho, Shimocho, Saiwaicho), Kioroshi-higashi, Takefukuro, Kioroshi-minami	Mon/ Thu		Fri	Wed
Souho, Ishidodai, Shichikenya, Uchikawa, Teradai, Nakanogawa, Kashiwagidai, Hara (Soufuke), Ketsuenji, Matsuzaki	Tue/Fri		Fri	Wed
Kaguro, Kaguro-minami, Izumi (泉), Sofukekami, Tatarada, Funao, Tokami, Tokamidai, Muzai, Muzaigakuendai, Chuo- minami, Chuo-kita, Uchino, Harayama, Takabana	Tue/Fri		Wed	Mon
Koshinden	Tue/Fri		Thu	Mon
Bessho, Narusawa	Tue/Fri		Thu	Wed
Hongo, Miyauchi, Shirahata, Urabe, Urahatashinden, Ogura, Izumi( 和泉 ), Kikari, Makinokido, Otsuka, Oguradai, Kosaishinden	Wed/ Sat		Mon	Thu
Hiraoka, Baba, Kobayashi, Kobayashibokujo, Kobayashidaikata, Kobayashishinden, Sunada, Kobayashi-kita, Kobayashisengen, Kobayashidaimonshita	Wed/ Sat		Thu	Tue
Iwato, Oba, Kamagari, Seto, Tsukuriya, Tsukuriyadai, Hagiwara, Hiraka, Hirakagakuendai, Maihime, Matsumushi, Mise, Moroto, Yamada, Yoshitaka, Yoshida, Wakahagi	Mon/ Thu	Tue		Wed
Ajikibokkui, Izumiya, Oshitsuke, Kasagami, Kawamukai, Gyotoku, Koya, Sakanaobokkui, Sakurano, Sanoya, Shimoi, Shimozone, Shogen, Jinbee, Taki, Takino, Tateyawara, Tsunoda, Naka, Nakatagiri, Nakane, Nagatoya, Hagino, Matsuki, Midoridai, Motonokobayashi, Monoki, Ryufukuji	Tue/Fri	Wed		Mon

<sup>\*</sup>Collection days are scheduled by district based on neighborhood associations, etc. Depending on the district, collection days may differ in certain areas (addresses) within that district.

#### **Collection Days for Oversize Waste (Application Required) District Name** Day Urabe, Ogura, Izumi(和泉), Shirahata, Urahatashinden, Kosaishinden, Tue Urabemurashinden, Kikari, Otsuka, Oguradai, Makinokido Funao, Muzai, Tokami, Tokamidai, Ketsuenji, Tatarada, Matsuzaki, Sofuke, Izumi(泉), Takabana, Kobayashi, Kobayashi-kita, Kobayashisengen, Kobayashidaimonshita, Wed Muzaigakuendai, Chuo-minami, Chuo-kita Uchino, Harayama, Ajikibokkui, Izumiya, Oshitsuke, Kasagami, Kawamukai, Gyotoku, Koya, Sakanaobokkui, Sakurano, Sanoya, Shimoi, Shimozone, Shogen, Jinbee, Taki, Thu Takino, Tateyawara, Tsunoda, Naka, Nakatagiri, Nakane, Nagatoya, Hagino, Matsuki, Midoridai, Motonokobayashi, Monoki, Ryufukuji Kioroshi, Kioroshi-minami, Kioroshi-higashi, Takefukuro, Hiraoka, Bessho, Souho, Omori, Kaguro, Kaguro-minami, Kamenari, Hossaku, Aijima, Sengenmae, Nishinohara, Hara, Higashinohara, Makinohara, Makinodai, Iwato, Oba, Kamagari, Seto, Tsukuriya, Fri Tsukuriyadai, Hagiwara, Hiraka, Hirakagakuendai, Maihime, Matsumushi, Mise, Moroto, Yamada, Yoshitaka, Yoshida, Wakahagi

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The issue of waste disposal has come under close scrutiny since the mid-80s due to the explosive increase in the volume of waste. For example, there have been large-scale illegal dumping incidents, diversification of waste quality, shortage of landfill sites, and increased waste disposal costs. On the other hand, the depletion of natural resources, global warming caused by CO2, and other global environmental issues have also come to the forefront of global concerns.

In response, the Basic Law for Establishing a Recycling-based Society was enacted in 2000 to promote a shift to a "Resource Recycling Society" that reduces the

burden on the environment.

This led to the establishment of recycling-related laws and regulations. In addition, various administrative measures have been implemented to reduce waste emissions and improve recycling

Reducing the amount of waste generated and improving the recycling rate can be achieved with a little ingenuity and thoughtfulness on the part of each and every one of us. First of all, let's build a sustainable "recycling-oriented society" by promoting waste reduction and recycling with your cooperation through proper separation of waste.

# **Examples of Waste Reduction You Can Do at Home**

### (1) Reduction of food scraps

① Drainage of food scraps

It is said that about 80% of food scraps is water. By draining and drying food scraps by means of "not wetting," "drying," and "squeezing," we can expect a significant reduction in the weight and volume of food scraps.

#### Recycling of food scraps

If food scraps are composted using food waste disposal containers such as composters or electric food waste disposers, they can be used for planters or home vegetable gardens. The city provides subsidies to households that purchase these containers and disposers.

#### (2) Reduce plastic bags by bringing your own bags

It may be difficult to avoid using plastic bags altogether, but bringing your own bag for shopping and refusing to accept plastic bags is an eco-friendly activity that you can easily do on your own initiative.



### (3) Separating paper cartons

Six 1L cartons make enough toilet paper for one roll, which is a good quality resource. Milk cartons, for example, should be recycled by disposing of them as "Recyclables," not as "burnable waste."



### (4) Separating miscellaneous recyclable paper

If the item is large, it can be stacked on top of others and tied together with string but may have a tendency to fall apart. The more secure option would be to place the items in an unneeded paper bag and tie it crosswise when the bag has reached full capacity.

#### Items that can be put out as recyclable"miscellaneous paper."

- (1) Paper boxes for food products, etc.
- (2) Brochures, direct mail, calendars
- (3) Paper bags, envelopes, wrapping paper
- (4) Copy paper, memo paper
- (5) Paper cups, paper plates, paper food containers (quickly wash off stains and remove food residues)
- (6) Japanese paper, calligraphy paper
- (7) Thermal paper (fax paper, receipts, etc.)
- (8) Carbon-backed paper, carbon-free paper (e.g. copying slips for courier services)
- (9) Paper on which metals such as gold and silver are stamped.



#### Items that cannot be disposed of as recyclable "miscellaneous paper" (i.e. items that become ("burnable waste")

- (1) Soiled paper (tissues, diapers, etc.)
- (2) Odorized paper (soap wrappers, laundry detergent boxes, incense stick wrappers, etc.) (3) Crimped postcards (mailing postcards)
- (4) Textile printing paper (iron printing paper) (Paper used mainly for heating and printing
- patterns on fabrics) (5) Photo paper, inkjet photo printing paper, etc.
- (6) Paper container for cup noodles
- (7) Paper containers with food residue
- (8) Wax paper
- (9) Paper made of composite materials (e.g. vinyl-coated paper)
- \*Paper with vinyl that stretches when attempting to tear

#### Burnable waste, non-burnable waste, and plastic contain-**Designated bags** ers and packaging must be placed in designated bags.



(Large, Medium, Small) -ごみの減量・再資源化にご協力を



(Large) Capacity: approx. 45L Vertical length Width 80cm x 45cm (Medium) Capacity: approx. 30L

Vertical length Width 70cm x 33cm (Small) Capacity: approx. 15L

Vertical length Width 55cm x 30cm

# Waste Separation App for Smartphones! Convenient and Easy to use

In order to easily keep people informed on the collection days and the correct separation method, Inzai City has launched a smartphone app for information on waste disposal.

This application includes a function that allows you to check the collection date for each waste category, such as "burnable waste," "non-burnable waste," and "recyclable waste," and to check what waste is classified into what category for each item by alphabetical order.

This is very convenient when you are not sure how to sort or dispose of your waste. If you have a smartphone, please use the application.

Please note that the application is free to use, but communication fees will be incurred. You can find the app in either Google Play for



Android users or the Appstore for iOS users by typing "さんあーる"(threeR) in the search bar. (You can also download the app using the QR codes below.) You will need to set your region in the initial settings.





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(1) Request pickup at a volume retailer of home appliances.



























