



Recycling from the Bathroom

You can recycle more from the bathroom than you might think.

What packaging can you recycle?

We might know some items from the bathroom are easy to recycle, like the cardboard insides of toilet rolls; but have you ever thought about the packaging from your daily beauty, grooming and personal care products?

- Well, you can recycle these too!

When you've finished the product, make sure you **pop the empties with your usual household recycling for kerbside collection.**



Can I recycle my toothpaste tube?

Yes, you can! Toothpaste brands now use recyclable materials for their tubes. Once it's empty, simply pop it, with the cap on, into your household recycling bin for kerbside collection.



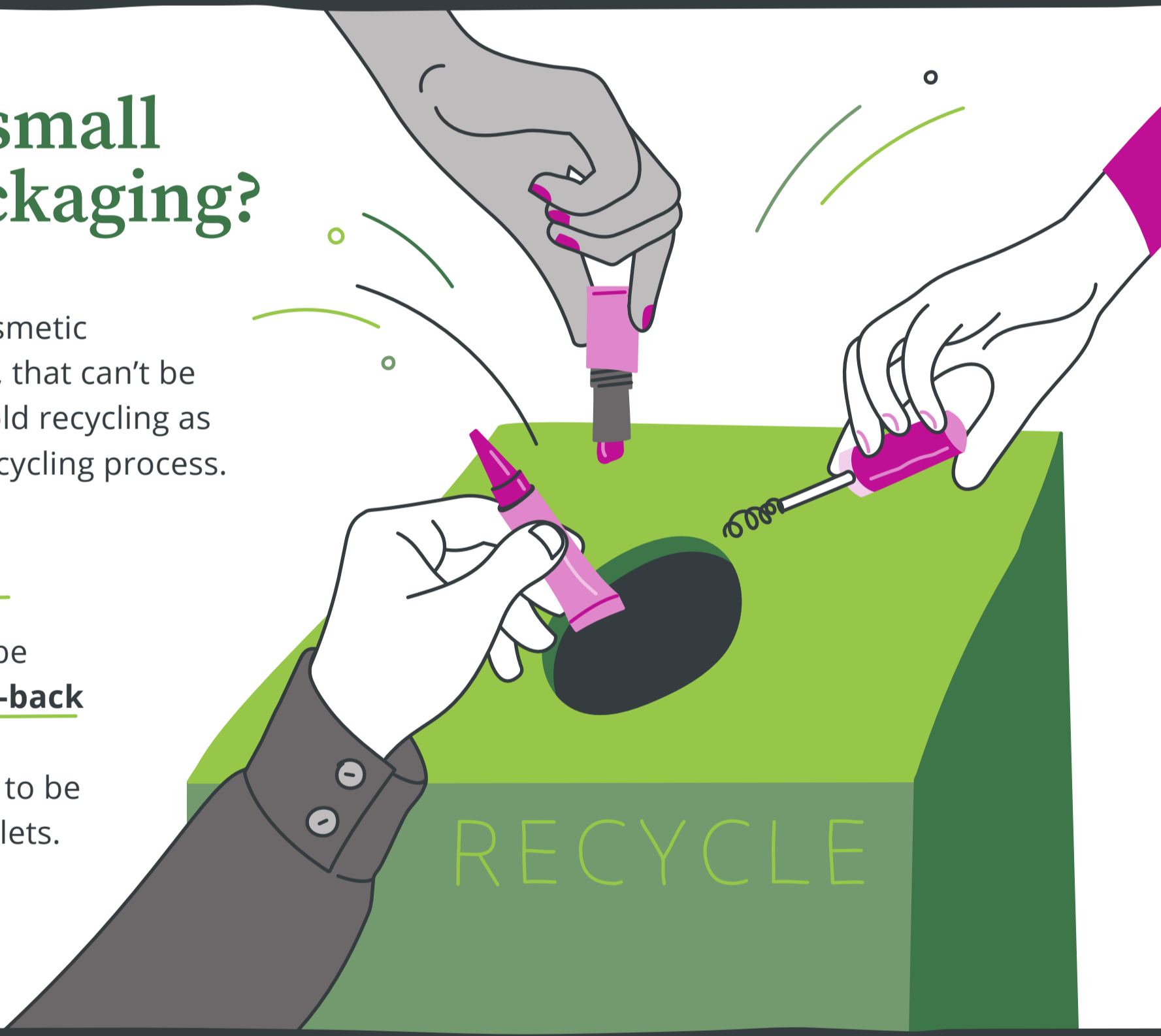
What about small cosmetic packaging?

There are some forms of cosmetic packaging, such as make-up, that can't be recycled with other household recycling as they are too small for the recycling process.

But the good news is they can still be recycled!

Much of this packaging can be **dropped off at a local take-back scheme collection point.**

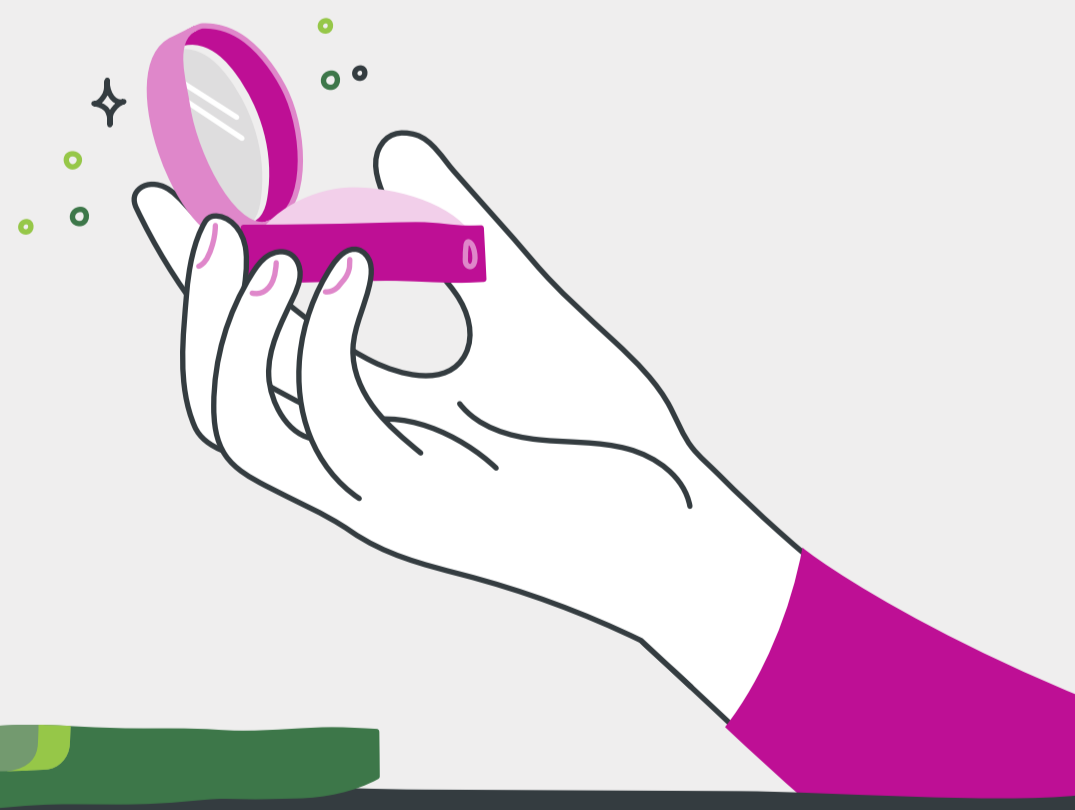
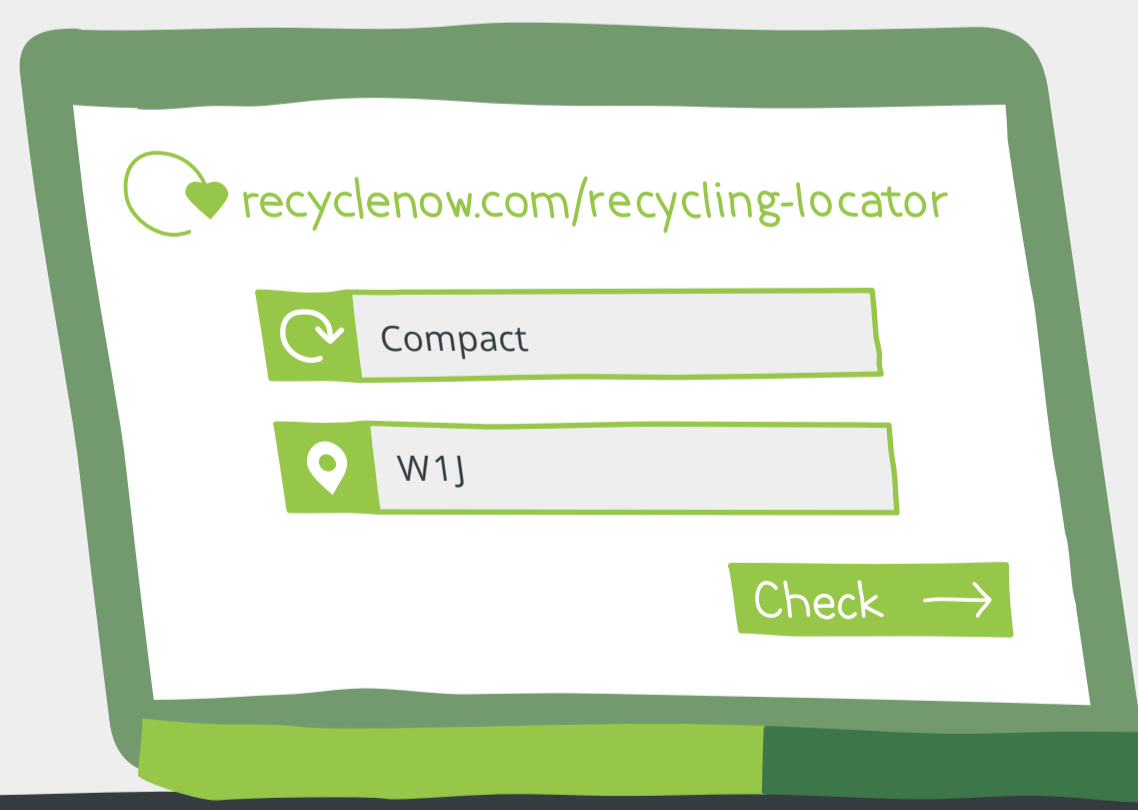
These collection points tend to be in certain shops or retail outlets.



Where can I find a take-back scheme drop-off point?

The recycling charity **Recycle Now** has an **online Recycling Locator Tool**, which can tell you where your nearest take-back scheme drop-off point is, depending on what you want to recycle.

Once you have located your nearest drop off point, you can take it with you when you next go shopping. The Recycling Locator Tool can also tell you if what you want to recycle can be collected with your household recycling.



Understanding the rules for flushing

It's really important for us to dispose of our bathroom rubbish responsibly. There are some items of our personal care regimes, **such as beauty wipes, that are not designed to be flushed down the toilet** and can cause lots of problems if they are disposed of that way. No-one wants a blocked loo!



Please remember to always **throw these types of wipes in the waste bin and not down the toilet!**

If in doubt, always read the label for how to correctly dispose of your wipes.