Stapleton Road
Grey Bag Festive Collection Calendar

2019-2020

Grey bags are normally collected every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, and recycling boxes every Monday. This changes over the festive period, as shown below.

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⚠️ Christmas tree collection day

Grey bag collection
- Grey bags
  (for household waste)
  (out before 9am)

Grey bag & recycling box collection
- Grey bags
  (out before 9am)
- Recycling boxes
  (out before 6am)

Help to keep Stapleton Road clean and tidy by putting grey bags and recycling boxes out at the right times. Grey bags must be put out before 9am, and recycling boxes before 6am on the day of collection. Bags put out at the wrong time block the pavement, attract vermin, and make the street untidy. Only rubbish in grey Bristol Waste branded bags will be collected. Rubbish put out in any other type of bag is fly-tipping and could result in a £100 fine.

If you need more grey bags, please contact us on:

📞 hello@bristolwastecompany.co.uk  0117 304 9022
Recycling and bulky waste information

- Recycling boxes must be out **before 6am** on the day of collection and should be stored off the pavement between collections. Visit [www.bristol.gov.uk/recycle](http://www.bristol.gov.uk/recycle) to order new recycling boxes and lids online.

- Bulky waste is any rubbish which is too large to fit into a grey bag. You can either dispose of bulky waste free of charge at your local Household Waste Recycling Centre, or you can arrange a bulky waste collection through [www.bristol.gov.uk/bins](http://www.bristol.gov.uk/bins) or by calling **0117 922 2100**. Bulky waste dumped on the pavement is fly-tipping and could result in a £100 fine.

Key dates for the festive season

We collect on every Bank Holiday throughout the year, except for on the 25th, 26th of December, and 1st January. Please consult the calendar for your revised collection days in December and January.

Bulky waste and garden waste collections will be suspended between the 23rd December 2019 and the 11th January 2020.

Our Household Waste Recycling Centres (HWRC) are open all year round, including Bank Holidays, except 25th and 26th of December and 1st January.

Recycling your festive goods

Please sort your boxes. Christmas trees will be collected for free. Check your calendar for the 🌲 symbol. Trees must be no longer than 2m in length. Real trees can also be brought to your local HWRC.

Extra recycling or waste can be brought to the local HWRC.

We can recycle your holiday cards – please put them in your blue bag with any cardboard.

Please remove tape, flatten and fold your cardboard so it fits inside your blue bag.

Sorry, we are unable to recycle wrapping paper due to the grade of paper. Please place in your grey bag.

Use your brown caddy for any food leftovers and help generate energy for Bristol! Visit our website to learn what can be recycled as food waste.

Batteries and fairy lights can be recycled from the kerbside. Place either in a small, untied bag and into your black recycling box.

To find out more about what goes in each of your recycling containers please visit [bristolwastecompany.co.uk/festive](http://bristolwastecompany.co.uk/festive)

Report fly-tipping

Fly-tipping is a constant problem on Stapleton Road. This includes mattresses, furniture, electricals, rubble and black bags left on the pavement. You can help by reporting any fly-tipping you see. If you witness someone fly-tipping, you can report this anonymously through the Council’s website [www.bristol.gov.uk/flytipping](http://www.bristol.gov.uk/flytipping) or by calling **0117 922 2100**.