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**IN SUFFOLK,  
GLASS ISN'T  
COLLECTED  
IN YOUR  
HOUSEHOLD  
RECYCLING  
BIN.**



**If you put glass in your household recycling bin, it may not get emptied!**



**This is because the facility that sorts all your recycling can't separate the glass from the other materials.**

**Any glass in household recycling bins won't get recycled and can spoil the good recycling too.**

**Glass is 100% recyclable but only when it's put in the right place.**

**Place your glass bottles and jars in any of the 1000+ glass recycling banks across Suffolk. The glass will be recycled into new bottles and jars – over and over again.**

**This means less raw materials are needed, less energy is used and less pollution is created.**



# WHY RECYCLE GLASS?

Glass bottles and jars are made from sand, soda ash and limestone. They're 100% recyclable and can be recycled over and over again without loss of quality. By recycling glass you are saving the earth's resources and saving energy by reducing the need to extract and transport new materials.

This helps to reduce carbon emissions and their contribution to climate change.

- ✓ Help to reduce the 9,500+ tonnes of recyclable glass that is thrown away in Suffolk every year
- ✓ Every tonne of glass re-melted saves 246 kg of carbon dioxide
- ✓ Recycling just one glass bottle saves enough energy to power a laptop for half an hour



For more information on glass recycling in Suffolk, please visit: [suffolkrecycling.org.uk](http://suffolkrecycling.org.uk)

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