



# Household waste guide

# Eco-centres and waste management sites

## Hämeenkyrö eco-centre

Tippavaarantie 30  
Open: Tu and Th 14–18, Sa 10–14,  
during the summer 1.5.–30.9.  
also Mo 14–18

## Ikaalinen eco-centre

Teijärventie 7  
Open: We and Th 14–18, Sa 10–14

## Juupajoki eco-centre

Puhdistamontie 6, Korkeakoski  
Open: Sa 10–14

## Kangasala eco-centres

Kaarina Maununtyttärentie 6  
Open: Tu–Fr 14–18, Sa 10–14

Kuhmalahti:  
Taidetie 6  
Open: Sa 10–14

## Lempäälä eco-centre

Moisiolammentie 23  
Open: We–Th 9–17, Fr 11–18,  
Sa 9–15

## Mänttä-Vilppula eco-centres

Pajatie 2  
Open: Tu and Th 14–18, Sa 10–14

Sammalistentie 99, Pohjaslahti  
Open: only during the summer  
1.5.–30.9. We 10–12

## Orivesi eco-centre

Lenkkitie 2-4  
Open: We–Th 9–17, Fr 14–18,  
Sa 9–15

## Parkano eco-centre

Yrittäjätie 10  
Open: Tu 12–18, Fr 9–12, Sa 9–13

## Pirkkala eco-centre

Turkkirata 12  
Open: Tu–Fr 14–18,  
during the summer 1.5.–30.9.  
also Sa 10–14

## Pälkäne eco-centres

Kankaanmaantie 16  
Open: Mo 14–18, Sa 9–12

Luopioinen:  
Luopioistentie 495  
Open: Sa 10–14

## Ruovesi eco-centre

Saarismaantie 1  
Open: Sa 10–14,  
during the summer 1.5.–30.9.  
also We 16–20

## Sastamala eco-centre/

## Mouhijärvi

Pynnärantie 7  
Open: Sa 10–14

**Eco-centre = jäteasema**

**Waste management site = jätteenkäsittelykeskus**

### Tampere eco-centres

Nekala:

Viinikankatu 46, gate A

Open: Mo–Tu 10–17, We–Fr 9–16

Teisko:

Terälahdentie 243

Open: Sa 8–15.30

during the summer 1.5.–31.10.

also Mo 9–16 and Fr 11–18

### Vesilahti eco-centre

Mäntytie 1

Open: la 10–14

during the summer 1.5.–30.9.

also Tu 14–18

### Virrat eco-centre

Ahjolantie 25

Open: Mo 8–12, Th–Fr 13–18

during the summer 1.5.–31.8.

also Sa 10–14

### Ylöjärvi eco-centres

Toimintatie 4, Elovainio

Open: Ti, Th and Fr 10–16,

We 12–18

Kuru:

Sääksinnokantie 91

Open: Sa 10–14,

during the summer 1.5.–30.9.

also Tu 14–18

Viljakkala:

Arontie 4

Open: Sa 10–14,

during the summer 1.5.–30.9.

also We 16–20

### Koukkujärvi solid waste management site

Koukkujärventie 361, Nokia

Open: Mo–Fr 6.30–21.00,

Sa 8.30–15.30

### Tarastenjärvi solid waste management site

Tarastenjärventie 66, Tampere

Open: Mo–Fr 6.30–21.00

If transportation is a problem, we provide **Repsikka** pickup service subject to a charge. Orders from our customer service (03) 240 5110.

Free **Repe&Romu collection round** receives household hazardous waste, scrap metal and electronic waste.

Check the schedule from our calendar or online

[www.pirkanmaan-jatehuolto.fi/repejaromu](http://www.pirkanmaan-jatehuolto.fi/repejaromu) (in Finnish)

**Pirkanmaan Jätehuolto customer service**  
(03) 240 5110, Mo–Fr 8.30–15.45



	Waste bin or regional waste collection point**	Biowaste bin or composting heap	Drop-off collection point (ekopiste)	Eco-centre (jäteasema)	Solid waste management site	Repe&Romu collection round	Repsikka pickup service	Vartti hazardous waste container
Biowaste		☒						
Paper			☒	☒	☒			
Cardboard*			☒	☒	☒			
Glass			☒	☒	☒			
Metals			☒	☒	☒	☒		
Mixed waste	☒							
Hazardous waste				☒	☒	☒		☒
Electronic waste				☒	☒	☒	☒	
Renovation materials				☒	☒			
Gardening waste***					☒			
Bulky waste				☒	☒		☒	

\* **Cardboard collection** at drop-off collection points and eco-centres:  
Hämeenkyrö, Kangasala, Lempäälä, Nokia, Orivesi, Pirkkala, Tampere, Ylöjärvi.

\*\* **Regional waste collection points** are restricted to the customers paying the annual payments.

\*\*\* Parkano eco-centre receives twigs. Concerning the receiving of twigs, contact your local municipality.



**Naulakatu 2, 33100 Tampere**  
**Switchboard (03) 240 5111**  
[www.pirkanmaan-jatehuolto.fi/english/company](http://www.pirkanmaan-jatehuolto.fi/english/company)

**Check the nearest drop-off collection point**  
[www.kierratys.info](http://www.kierratys.info) (in Finnish)

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# Household sorting guide

## Biowaste (biojäte)



### For example

- Food leftovers
- Fruit and vegetable peels
- Eggshells
- Coffee filters
- Tea bags
- Paper towels
- Flowers, grass and leaves

**Drain** watery biowaste before packing.

**Pack** biowaste in a newspaper or in a bio-decomposable bag.

**No** liquids, ash, medicins, cigarette stubs or diapers.

Biowaste is composted.

## Paper (paperi)



### For example

- Newspapers
- Magazines
- Flyers
- Envelopes
- Copy paper
- Phone books and catalogues
- Paperback books

**Keep** the papers separate, don't tie them.

**No** cardboard.

**No** dirty or wet paper.

Paper is recycled into industrial raw material.

## Cardboard (kartonki)



### For example

- Milk and juice cartons
- Cardboard packages and boxes
- Paper bags
- Pizza boxes
- Egg cartons

**Rinse, flatten** and **pack** the cartons within each other.

**No** dirty or wet cardboard.

Cardboard is recycled into industrial raw material.

## Glass (lasi)



### For example

- Glass bottles
- Glass jars

**No** porcelain or light bulbs, they are mixed waste.

**Take** windows and sheet glass to eco-centres.

Glass is recycled into industrial raw material.

## Metals (metalli)



### For example

- Cans
- Aluminum foils
- Pots and pans
- Cutlery
- Metal tools and works
- Empty paint tins
- Empty spray cans

**No** hazardous waste or gas cylinders.

**Take** large metal objects to eco-centres.

Metal is recycled into industrial raw material.

## Mixed waste (sekajäte)



### For example

- Plastic packages
- Dirty and wet paper and cardboard
- Diapers and sanitary napkins
- Porcelain
- Leather, rubber and textiles
- Vacuum cleaner bags
- Light bulbs
- Cosmetics
- Ash and cigarette stubs
- CDs and DVDs

Mixed waste will be used for energy production in the future.

## Hazardous waste (vaarallinen jäte)



### For example

- Fluorescent tubes
- Energy saving bulbs
- Waste oil and oil filters
- Batteries and accumulators
- Paints, glues and varnishes
- Solvents
- Poisonous chemicals

**Store** hazardous waste in their original packaging.

**Take** medicines and mercury thermometers to the pharmacy, explosives and bullets to the police. Old batteries are received at stores selling the new ones.

Hazardous waste is processed safely by Ekokem.

## Electric equipments (sähkölaitteet)



### For example

- Televisions and radios
- Computer equipments
- Fridges and freezers
- Ovens
- Washing machines
- Vacuum cleaners
- Mobile phones
- Small devices

Materials are recycled.

## Renovation materials (remonttijäte)



### For example

- Tiles
- Insulation
- Flooring materials
- Wood waste

**Sort out** wood, treated wood and asbestos to separate loads.

**Don't mix** different materials, it's easier and cheaper to sort them at the site.

Wood is used for energy production. Nonreusable waste is placed to landfill.

## Gardening waste (puutarhajäte)



### For example

- Twigs and branches
- Leaves
- Grass
- Apples
- Weeds

Concerning the receiving of twigs, **contact** your local municipality!

**Don't mix** twigs with other gardening waste.

Branches and twigs are chipped into the compost.

## Bulky waste (suurikokoinen jäte)



### For example

- Furniture
- Mattresses

If you need help with the transportation, please **contact** our pickup service Repsikka.

Nonreusable waste is placed to a landfill.

## Reusable items (käyttökelpoiset tavarat)



### For example

- Textiles and shoes
- Furniture
- Books
- Sporting goods
- Tableware

**Sell** or **donate** reusable items for example through web recycling centre Kiertori ([www.pirkanmaan-jatehuolto.fi/kiertori](http://www.pirkanmaan-jatehuolto.fi/kiertori)).

Worn out clothes are mixed waste.

Your trash could be someone else's treasure.



Check out our website for more information!

[www.pirkanmaan-jatehuolto.fi/english/company](http://www.pirkanmaan-jatehuolto.fi/english/company)