# SORTING INSTRUCTIONS



#### THE BROWN BIN

disposal of biodegradable waste



#### YES!

- » tea and coffee grounds and filters
- » egg- and nutshells, raw fruits and vegatables
- » gras-, garden- and plant waste, leaves and weed

### NO!

- » ashes, bones, cooked leftovers, diapers, dust, fish bones, meat, pet litter, plastic bags (even if compostable), sweepings and vacuum cleaner bags
- → dark grey bin
- » plastic packaging → yellow bin

#### THE BLUE BIN

disposal of waste paper and cardboard



### YES!

- » (exercise) books (without hardcover)
- » cardboard and paper, cardboard packaging
- » newspapers, magazines and catalogues
- » notepads and writing paper

### NO!

- handkerchiefs, kitchen towels, napkins, photos, stickers and bearers, dirty paper and wallpaper (also unused) → dark grey bin
- » composites, coated cardboards, foils → yellow bin

#### THE YELLOW BIN

disposal of empty light packaging



#### YES!

- » aluminium packaging and -foils (for example cans and lids)
- » composites (for example milk and juice cartons, cans of chips or drink powder)
- » corks and bottle tops of bottles and glasses
- » detergent bottles
- » foam- and styrofoam packaging
- » packaging of frozen goods
- » empty paint buckets
- » plastic flower pots and -pallets
- » plastic or tinplate cans
- » empty plastic packaging, -foils and -bags
- » yogurt and curd cups (please remove cardboard, if possible)
- » completely empty spray cans
- » tubes (for example of toothpaste or tomato paste)

## NO!

- » broken glass, diapers, heavily soiled packagings and children ´s toys → dark grey bin
- » construction polystyrene, construction waste and commercial stretch foils → approved disposal companies
- » pollutants and harmful substances → pollutant collection
- » paper and cardboard → blue bin
- » glass packaging → containers for glass packaging

## THE DARK GREY BIN

disposal of residual waste



#### YES!

- ashes, dust, sweepings and vacuum cleaner bags
- baking paper, photos and photopaper, receipts made of white thermal paper, wallpaper and coated wrapping paper
- file folders and book hardcovers
- bones, fish bones, meat, pet litters and other animal products
- CD and DVD cases, cassettes and vinyl records
- coffee- and teapots, thermos flasks (also made of glass)
- handkerchiefs, kitchen towels, napkins and paper towels (also unused)
- hygiene products, diapers and toothbrushes
- cooked leftovers and cooking oil
- light bulbs and halogen lamps (no energy-saving lamps)
- dried paint residues of water soluble paint
- rags, cleaning rags and shoes
- syringes (packed in tightly closed jar or solid container) and bandages/dressings
- toys (also made of plastic)
- window- and mirror glass, tableware, ceramics and vases

## NO!

- batteries → bring back to retailer
- energy-saving lamps, fluorescent tubes, electrical devices, CDs and DVDs → bring back to retailer, acceptance point for electrical devices