Recycling

Below is a list of recyclable items for all of Xavier’s recycling bins. Xavier utilizes a single stream recycling process so all materials can be put in the same recycling bin.

Acceptable items:
- All Plastic Bottles, no lids
- Glass jars and bottles of any color
- Aluminum and steel cans
- Empty aerosol cans with the lids and tips removed
- Paper bags
- Computer paper, and other mixed office paper
- Corrugated cardboard, broken down to 3’x3’
- Envelopes, with or without windows
- Junk mail
- Magazines and telephone books
- Newspapers
- Paperboard, such as cereal boxes
- Pizza boxes with all grease and food residue removed

Unacceptable items:
- Plastics that are not bottles, such as Cool Whip containers, butter tubs, or food trays
- Plastic bags
- Motor oil jugs or other chemical containers
- Styrofoam
- Lids/caps
- Window or drinking glass
- Coat hangers or steel scrap
- Paint cans
- Light bulbs (contact x3151 to give to Physical Plant for recycling)

→ Recycling Guidelines:
- Please rinse all bottles and jars, and remove lids. There is no need to remove labels, since they disintegrate in the recycling process.
- Flatten all cans and plastic bottles to conserve space. Please break down cardboard to 3’x3’ sections, and flatten all boxes.

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