

Need to get rid of it, but not sure where it goes?
Visit the guide and test your recycling knowledge

OC RecycleGuide.com

QUIZ

1. Where can I find out information for my waste hauler?
2. There is an A-Z Guide in PDF format. True or False
3. Where can I follow OC Waste & Recycling on social media for updated recycling information and tips?
4. E-waste can only be picked up by your local waste hauler. True or False
5. Batteries can be thrown away in the trash. True or False
6. Where can OC residents get a free battery bucket to store used batteries?
7. What are three places I can check to recycle used books?
8. Where can I take a used mattress when no longer needed?
9. What do I do with clothing I no longer need?
10. How do I dispose of a smoke alarm?
11. Where should I take used tires?



ANSWERS

1. Under Quick Links, "OC Haulers"; it is important to check with the waste hauler for your residence to confirm the do's and don'ts of recycling in your curbside bin or residential property. You can also find out more information about special services offered, such as bulky item pickup.
2. True. A printable copy is available for quick reference while offline.
3. Follow @OCWaste on Facebook, Instagram, or Twitter.
4. False – Certain waste haulers may offer e-waste collection to some residents, but OC residents may take electronics to one of four free Household Hazardous Waste Collection Centers.
5. False – Batteries are hazardous waste and should be taken to a Household Hazardous Waste Collection Center, retailer or city that has a used batteries take-back program.
6. At any of Orange County's four free Household Hazardous Waste Collection Centers.
7. Check with my waste hauler, donate to a library or thrift store, check with my city trash hauler if they can go in my recycle bin.
8. Call my waste hauler for a bulky-item pickup or visit byebymattress.com for recycling options.
9. Donate to Goodwill, Salvation Army, Usagain Collection Bins.
10. Check with the manufacturer to see if it contains radioactive materials. If not, batteries can be removed and it can go in the regular trash bin. If so, contact manufacturer or visit www.curtiseservices.com.
11. Tires should not be thrown in curbside bins, visit earth911.com to find a retailer nearby that accepts them.