



Kawaguchi City How to sort and dispose of household garbage

English (英語)

Rules

There are two types of location where garbage can be disposed of: general garbage stations, and recyclable garbage stations. Please sort garbage correctly and put it out no later than 8:30 a.m. on the day of collection. Failure to comply with these rules may result in garbage not being collected. For inquiries regarding locations for disposal of garbage and collection days, please contact the Collection Business Division (TEL 048-251-1174) or Waste Management Division (TEL 048-228-5370), or ask a neighbor. #Ask someone who can speak Japanese to make the telephone call.

▼General garbage station		資源物ステーション	
一般ごみステーション	びん類	かん	第○第△ 曜日
一般ごみ	有害ごみ	ボトル類	第○第△ 曜日
毎週	曜日	第○第△	曜日
プラスチック製容器包装	毎週	水	
曜日	曜日	曜日	
川口市環境部		▲Recyclable garbage station	

General garbage station

General garbage



Twice each week
_____ day, _____ day

Transparent or white semi-transparent bag
Garbage, shoes, etc.

Wrap in paper, etc. any fragile items such as glass, and mark with a “われもの” symbol.

Harmful garbage



Twice each week
_____ day, _____ day

Transparent bags
fluorescent lamps and mercury thermometers, etc

Put out in bags marked with a “有害ごみ” symbol, and must not be mixed in with other garbage.

Plastic containers and packaging



Weekly
Wednesday

Transparent bags
Put out items bearing the pla(plastic) symbol.

Dry cell batteries

Drop batteries as they are (removing from bags, etc.) into the special boxes that can be found at facilities such as city hall, branch offices and community centers, etc.

Recyclable garbage station

Twice each month #Day of collection changes depending on articles.

Transparent bags
(papers are to be tied directly with string according to their kind)

Please separate recyclables according to each type of item.

Weeks [] & [] day

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Glass bottles

Glass bottles for alcoholic beverages, drinks and flavorings, etc.

Please rinse the insides.

Beverage cans

Cans for drinks such as juice and alcoholic beverages, etc.



Please rinse the insides.

PET bottles

PET bottles of drinks and alcoholic beverages, etc.



Please remove and separate caps and labels.

Textiles, etc.

Old clothes, blankets, etc.

In rainy weather, please wait until the next collection day to put out these items.

Metals

Tin cans, spray-cans, frying pans, etc.

Kitchen knives, etc. are to be wrapped in paper or cloth, etc.

Paper

Newspapers, magazines / miscellaneous recyclable paper, cardboard, paper packs, paper containers and packaging

In rainy weather, please wait until the next collection day to put out these items.

About the garbage separation guide app

- Collection days for household garbage can be searched for using individual home addresses.
- Points on how to sort and dispose garbage by individual articles can be searched.
- Notifications concerning collection of garbage and recyclable garbage by Kawaguchi City can be viewed.

*Communication charges are the responsibility of the user. To use the app, access the URL shown on the right or read the QR code with a mobile phone that can read barcodes.

QR code



URL

<http://kawaguchi-gomimaru.jp>

! Caution !

How to dispose of oversized garbage

Oversized garbage is garbage where one side is larger than around 40cm, and such that it cannot be put in a garbage station. Please see overleaf for details on how to dispose of oversized garbage.

Why not look up collection days on the app, and make a booking!

How to dispose of oversized garbage

Please either submit a request for door-to-door collection via telephone or the Internet (fees start from 310 yen), or bring such garbage to a city facility.

● Telephone requests : TEL 048-251-1111

Opening hours : Monday to Friday , 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

(excluding national holidays and New Year's holidays)

#Ask someone who can speak Japanese to make the telephone call.

● Internet requests : URL <https://eco.city.kawaguchi.lg.jp/sodai/information.htm>

#The website is in Japanese, so please ask someone who can read Japanese to make the request.

● In person : Tozuka Environmental Center or Hatogaya Sanitation Center

Opening hours : Monday to Friday , 9 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m.

#Please bring proof of your status as a resident of Kawaguchi City (e.g., resident card or driver's license).

Items not collected or accepted by the city

The following items cannot be disposed of as general garbage, recyclable garbage, or oversized garbage.

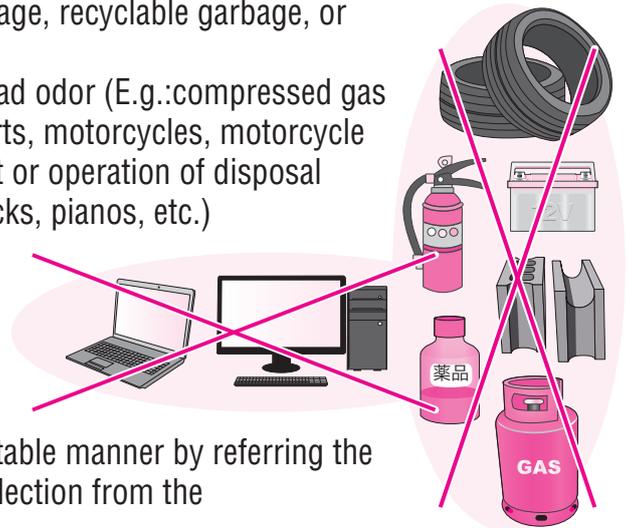
1. Harmful items, and items that produce a considerable bad odor (E.g.:compressed gas cylinders, oils, chemicals) **2.** Automobiles, automobile parts, motorcycles, motorcycle parts, tires, etc. **3.** Items that may hinder the management or operation of disposal facilities, etc. (E.g.:fire extinguishers, fire-proof vaults, blocks, pianos, etc.)

4. Old materials and fittings, etc. arising from reconstruction of buildings, etc.

5. Infectious medical waste **6.** Industrial waste

7. Items that are mainly used for business purposes (E.g.:ice cream display freezers, copy machines, etc.)

8. Specific household appliance waste (Dispose of in a suitable manner by referring the field below.) **9.** Personal computers #Please request collection from the manufacturer/retailer.



Articles subject to Home Appliance Recycling Law

Kawaguchi City does not collect such articles. Methods of disposal are as follows.

1. Consult the store where the subject article was purchased, or consult a store for replacement. **2.** Submit a request to a general waste collection and transportation business licensed by Kawaguchi City. **3.** Personally take the article to a specified location where such articles are accepted.

* Recycling fees and collection transport fees apply.

** Please contact the Waste Management Division for further details. (TEL 048-228-5370)

*** Ask someone who can speak Japanese to make the telephone call.

Electrical home appliances subject to Home Appliance Recycling Law (Can not be disposed of via the city.)

Televisions (CRT, LCD and plasma), electric refrigerators/freezers, electric washing machines, air-conditioning units, clothes drying machines

