



## Recycleable Items



### **PET (Polyethylene Terephthalate)**

In most water, pop, beer, salad dressing & vegetable oil bottles, peanut butter containers, some packaging. Hard to –decontaminate. Proper cleaning releases harmful chemicals. May leech carcinogens like DEHA.



### **HDPE (High – Density Polyethylene)**

In milk, juice, bleach, & detergent bottles; toys, cereal liners and trash / shopping bags. Considered one of the safest forms of plastic.



### **PVC (Vinyl / Polyvinyl Chloride)**

In clear food packaging, windows, food oil bottles, teething rings, pet's toys and blister packaging. Produces toxins from manufacture through disposal. Avoid using for microwaving (use glass or microwave safe crockery instead)



### **LDPE (Low-density Polyethylene)**

In shrink wraps, garment bags, squeezable bottles & plastic & tote bags. Less toxic than other plastics.



### **PP (Polypropylene)**

In bottle tops, syrup & ketchup bottles, disposable diapers, carpeting, bags & food wraps, straws, medicine bottles, yogurt & margarine containers. Considered one of the safest plastics.



### **PS (Polystyrene)**

In plastic cutlery, foam packaging, disposable plates and cups, meat trays, egg cartons, carry out containers. May leech into food products.



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In 3 and 5 gallon water bottles, sunglasses, dvds, iPod & computer cases, signs & displays, nylon, plastic cutlery, foam packaging. May leech into food products.