

HOW TO SEPARATE AND TAKE OUT REFUSE

Please deposit the right kind of refuse - burnables, unburnables or recyclables - following the preparation rules specified below. Collection days differ depending on where you live. Please ask the city or your neighbors about what kind of refuse is scheduled to be collected on which day.

BURNABLE-REFUSE IS COLLECTED IN MY NEIGHBORHOOD EVERY **&**

DEPOSIT REFUSE BY 8:00AM ON COLLECTION DAY

Kitchen Waste

Leather • Rubber, etc

Umbrellas • Razor Blades, etc

Disposable Diapers

Small items made out of different materials such as plastic and metal
Toys • Alarm Clocks • Portable Radios etc

Video Tapes • Cassette Tapes • DVD, etc

Put the refuse in the city designated bag and tie the bag firmly. (Collection with the city designated bag started for April 1, 2022)

Note:

- Kitchen Waste - Remove as much water as possible.
- Cooking oil should be absorbed with rags or papers.
- Razor Blades, Pins and Bamboo Skewers - Make sure they would not cause injuries, by wrapping them in cardboard, for example.
- Disposable Diapers - Remove the waste matter.

UNBURNABLE REFUSE IS COLLECTED IN MY NEIGHBORHOOD EVERY

DEPOSIT REFUSE BY 8:00AM ON COLLECTION DAY

Pottery (Bowls • Cups, etc)

Metals (Aluminum Cans • Steel Cans • Spray Cans)

Glass (Bottles • Cups • Light Bulbs • Fluorescent Lights)

Batteries containing mercury • Mercury Thermometers

(Rinse the bottles)

(Let out the gas completely)

Place them directly into a garbage container set up at your refuse pick up area.

Note:

- ① Spray Cans - After using liquid, let out the gas completely by pressing its button until they make no hissing sound. Be sure to do this outdoors and make sure that no flammable substance is around you.
- ② Knives, Light Bulbs, Fluorescent Lights, and Shattered Glass - Make sure they would not cause injuries, by wrapping them in cardboard, for example.
- ③ Bottles and Cans - Empty their contents and rinse.
- ④ Lids of bottles should be removed.
- ⑤ Beer and 1.8 Liter Sake Bottles - Return to shops.
- ⑥ Dry Cell Cylindrical Batteries that contain mercury and Mercury Thermometers - Place in a sealed transparent plastic bag and place it next to the garbage container.
- ⑦ Return button-shaped and nicad [nickel & cadmium] batteries to shops.

TYPE A RECYCLABLE REFUSE IS COLLECTED IN MY NEIGHBORHOOD EVERY (NUMERAL) **DAY**

DEPOSIT REFUSE BY 8:00AM ON COLLECTION DAY

Corrugated Cardboard

Newspaper

Paper Cartons (Milk • Other Beverages)

Used Clothes (Made out of Cotton, Synthetic Fiber and Wood)

(Rinse the cartons)

The newspapers, corrugated cardboard and paper cartons crosswise respectively.

Note:

Paper Cartons - Rinse, cut open, dry and tie them up. Aluminum foil-coated cartons containing sake are burnable refuse.

Used Clothes - Place in a sealed transparent or semi-transparent bag. Dirty clothes, padded clothes and small pieces of cloth are burnable refuse.

TYPE B RECYCLABLE REFUSE IS COLLECTED IN MY NEIGHBORHOOD EVERY **&** (NUMERAL) **WEDNESDAY**

DEPOSIT REFUSE BY 8:00AM ON COLLECTION DAY

Magazines
Leaflets (Flyers delivered with newspapers)
Unwanted Books
Folding Cartons (Candy Boxes • Wrapping Paper)

Tie them together. (Folding cartons should be cut open.)

Note:

Vinyl and wax-coated products, oil papers, photographs, waterproof papers, thermal papers, carbon papers and stuffed animals are unrecyclable. Dispose of them as burnable refuse.

OTHER PLASTIC MATERIALS ARE COLLECTED IN MY NEIGHBORHOOD EVERY **DAY**

DEPOSIT REFUSE BY 8:00AM ON COLLECTION DAY

Egg boxes • Plastic Containers • Cup Noodle Containers • Containers of Lactic Acid Beverage, etc

Refuse with this mark are

Outer Package of Plastic • Lids • Fruit Nets • Styrofoam Packaging Materials

Bottles

Package of Pills

Dispose of materials in the city designated bag. (Collection using the city designated bag started from April 1, 2022)

- ① Dispose of materials labeled with the Pla Mark.
- ② Do not double bag
- ③ Dispose of contaminated items as burnable refuse.
- ④ Rinse with water and wash out stains

Note:

If the materials with the Pla Mark are not cleanable, dispose of them as burnable refuse. Do not use too much water to rinse in order to

PET BOTTLES ARE COLLECTED IN MY NEIGHBORHOOD EVERY **&** (NUMERAL) **DAY**

DEPOSIT REFUSE BY 8:00AM ON COLLECTION DAY

Only PET Bottles with this mark are

Soft Drinks: Carbonated Drinks • Juice • Oolong Tea • Tea • Coffee • Sports Drinks • Mineral Water • Green Tea etc.
Alcoholic Drinks: Sake • Shochu [White Distilled Liquor] • Whisky • Sweet Sake for Food Seasoning etc.
Condiment: Soy Sauce • Dressing (Oil-Free Only)

Dispose of PET as illustrated as

Deposit directly into a garbage container without using a plastic bag.

- ① Dispose of lids as other plastic materials refuse.
- ② Rinse with water.
- ③ Flatten as much as possible.
- ④ Remove labels and dispose of them as other plastic materials refuse.

Oversized Refuse (A fee is charged)

Follow either of the two procedures below in order to dispose of oversized refuse. "Oversized refuse" has a length, width or height of more than 40cm, or a weight more than 5kg.

■ Make an arrangement with the city's collection service.

① Phone the Nishinomiya Waste Disposal Call Center (*Nishinomiya Gomi Denwa Uketsuke Center*) at 0798-33-6776. The amount of refuse acceptable for one household at one time is equivalent in volume to approximately two study desks.



QR code of the LINE app

Business Hours: Mon. – Fri. 9:00am ~ 5:30pm (including legal holidays)

*It is possible to apply from the LINE app too. (Up to two items) (24 hours)

② Tell your name, address, telephone number, and what kind of and how many items to be collected and ask how many "oversized refuse disposal tickets" (*sodaigomi shori ken*) you need to buy. Each ticket costs 300 yen. The number of tickets to be stuck on refuse is determined by its size, weight and difficulty of its disposal, ranging from one to twelve (300 yen to 3,600 yen).

* If you are applying from LINE app, follow the instructions on the LINE chat screen.

③ Buy the tickets at a shop designated as a Nishinomiya City oversized refuse disposal tickets dealer. These dealers include convenience stores, Co-op Kobe stores, supermarkets, rice stores within the city, a shop in the Nishinomiya City Hall, city branch offices, civic service centers, the Wakatake Living Culture Center and the 1st Area Cleaning Division.

④ Write your reservation number (*uketsuke bango*) on the tickets, stick them on the refuse and place the refuse in a designated place by 8:30am on the appointed day. The city provides service in the order of receipts. The crew may be able to pick it up a few days after your call.



Electric Appliances Furniture Carpets・Bedclothes Bicycles

※Oversized refuse is not collected on Saturdays and Sundays.

■ Bring the refuse to the West Municipal Disposal Center (*Seibu Sogo Shori Center*)

Phone the Nishinomiya City Waste Disposal Call Center one day in advance at 0798-22-6600. ※Reservations possible from 10 days before

Hours to contact:

Mon. – Fri. 9:00am~5:30pm (including legal holidays)

Hours to bring:

Mon. – Sat. 8:00am~3:30pm (including legal holidays)

Rates: 300 yen for refuse weighing up to 50kg.

Refuse weighing more than 50kg is charged an additional 60 yen for every 10kg.

※West Municipal Refuse

Disposal Center

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Other Refuse

Return unwanted home appliances that are subjects of the Home Appliance Recycling Law to shops. These include appliances such as air conditioners, television sets, refrigerators, freezers, washing machines and tumble driers.

In general, home appliances applicable to the Home Appliance Recycling Law cannot be collected as oversized refuse. They cannot be brought directly to the Municipal Refuse Disposal Center. Please make a request for disposal to the sales outlet. (A hauling and recycling fee will be charged.) If you are unable to contact the original store of purchase that your home appliance is from due to your moving or the store has closed, make an arrangement with a member store of the Nishinomiya Electrical Appliance Retailers Union, which has a sticker showing "gimugaihin hikitori kyoryoku ten (recycle cooperation store)."



You can also bring the home appliance directly to the designated receiving site. When doing so, it is necessary to purchase the recycling ticket at a post office beforehand.

Designated receiving site: ZENSHO CO., LTD (0798-31-6377)

Inquiries about Home Appliance Recycling Ticket System (*Kaden Recycle Ken Sisutemu*)

Electric Home Appliances Association Home Appliance Recycling Ticket Center (0120-319-640)

Make a request to a manufacturer for the collection of unwanted computers.

A computer with PC recycling mark will be collected and recycled by the manufacturer without additional fee. A computer without the PC recycling mark (handmade, unknown manufacturer) will be collected by PC3R Promotion Association for a fee. (website <https://www.pc3r.jp>, phone 03-5282-7685)



【Collection by nationally certified operator】

Re.Net.jp, recycle co. will individually collect a computer using parcel delivery service.

For more information, visit the website, <https://www.renet.jp/>



Dead Animal and Filth (A fee is charged)

Please contact the Nishinomiya City Call Center at 0798-26-5041 in order to dispose of a dead animal, such as a cat or a dog, bedclothes and bedding of the deceased. The city crews collect them at your house.

Hours to contact:

Mon. – Fri. 9:00am~5:30 pm (including legal holidays)

Note: Dead Animals and Filth are not collected on Saturdays and Sundays.

If you bring them yourself, bring them to the Cleanup Planning First Division on Mon. – Fri. 8:20am~4:50pm (until 4:05pm on legal holidays), and to the West Municipal Refuse Disposal Center on Sat. 9:00am~noon, 1:00 pm~4:30pm.

Disposal of unidentified/stray cats and dogs is free of charge. Please contact the Nishinomiya City Call Center at 0798-26-5041 if you find them.



Please cooperate with the collection of used small household appliances.

Used small household appliances contain rare metal such as palladium and precious metal such as gold and silver.

Please use the 35 collection boxes set at supermarkets, City Hall, City Hall Branch Offices and community centers in Nishinomiya City. (The used small appliances must be smaller than the size of the slot of collection box, 20cmx35cm and must move by batteries.)



Refuse Not Collected by the City

Please follow either of the two following procedures in order to dispose of large quantities of refuse generated by moving, cleaning, commercial activities or to dispose of storerooms/sheds that have a floor space (base) larger than 1.65 m².

■ Bring them to the West Municipal Refuse Disposal Center

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Hours to contact:

Mon. – Fri. 9:00am~5:30 pm (including legal holidays)

Hours to bring: Mon. – Sat. (including legal holidays)

Burnable Refuse 8:00am~4:30pm

Unburnable and Oversized Refuse 8:00am~3:30pm

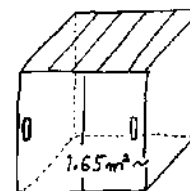
■ Make a request to the Nishinomiya Environmental Support Cooperative (*Nishinomiya kankyo sapo-to kyodo kumiai*) at 0798-36-7806. (A fee is charged)

Household DIY structures, garden waste, cut-down trees should be collected by the Refuse Cooperative.

Following refuse should be disposed of through retailers or building contractors.

Gas Cylinders, Fire Extinguishers, Batteries, Tires, Paints, Chemical Products, Cars, Car Wheels, Fireproof Safes, Pianos, Bathtubs, Air Conditioners of Business use, Oil Drums etc.

Regarding scooters (*gentsuki*) and motorcycles, please contact the Motorcycle Recycle Call Center at 050-3000-0727.



If you need a volunteer interpreter in order to contact above sections, please call Nishinomiya City International Association in advance.

Phone 0798-32-8680/8676

FAX 0798-32-8678

Located at 4th floor of Frente Nishinomiya

Hours: 9:45am~6:00pm except for Tuesdays, holidays, year end and new-year holidays

URL: <https://www.nishi.or.jp/shisei/seisaku/tabunkakyosei/nia/index.html>

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