

What can you Compost at GHBC?

- ⇒ All fruits and vegetables (corn cobs, mango seeds, banana peel, avocado pits, coconut shells, apple cores, etc.)
- ⇒ Bones of fish, chicken and meat
- ⇒ Biodegradable Products
- ⇒ Cardboard (with grease) & brown paper bags
- ⇒ Chopsticks (wood– not plastic)
- ⇒ Coffee grounds and filters
- ⇒ Cooked Foods (includes cooked in oil)
- ⇒ Corks (real cork– not plastic)
- ⇒ Dairy products (cheese, milk, yogurt, etc.)
- ⇒ Dryer lint
- ⇒ Egg shells, eggs
- ⇒ Fabric such as wool, 100% cotton, 100% linen, hemp, leather and silk (no polyester blends)
- ⇒ Feathers
- ⇒ Flowers (including plants)
- ⇒ Freezer burned foods
- ⇒ Hair and nail clippings
- ⇒ Garden litter & sweepings
- ⇒ Grains (pasta, rice, farro, bread, etc.)
- ⇒ Hemp materials
- ⇒ Houseplant trimmings
- ⇒ Leaves and pine needles
- ⇒ Meat and Fish (raw or cooked)
- ⇒ Nuts, nut shells and seeds
- ⇒ Paper towels and paper plates
- ⇒ Pencil shavings
- ⇒ Tea leaves and tea bags without staples
- ⇒ Tissue paper and wax paper



The following is NOT compostable

- ∅ Aluminum foil
- ∅ Animal or human waste
- ∅ Aquarium water and sludge
- ∅ Batteries
- ∅ Broken glass
- ∅ Candles, crayons and wax
- ∅ CDs and DVDs
- ∅ Charcoal ash
- ∅ Chemicals
- ∅ Cigarette butts
- ∅ Coal, treated wood and wood ash
- ∅ Cosmetics
- ∅ Diapers
- ∅ Diseased plants & invasive plants
- ∅ Electronics (recycle)
- ∅ Foil wrappers and shiny packaging
- ∅ Glass bottles (recycle in resident disposal room)
- ∅ Herbicides
- ∅ Glossy slick colored paper
- ∅ Inorganic materials (polyester, rubber, etc.)
- ∅ Kitty litter
- ∅ Lightbulbs
- ∅ Magazines, newspaper and paper (recycle)
- ∅ Medical waste and medicine (special disposal)
- ∅ Metal cans (recycle)
- ∅ Paint
- ∅ Plastic coated cardboard
- ∅ Pesticides
- ∅ Plastic bags (recycle in Business center)
- ∅ Plastic bottles and boxes (recycle)
- ∅ Plastic items (cups, toys, etc.)
- ∅ Razor blades
- ∅ Rubber bands & twist ties
- ∅ Soiled bandages and used tissues

