

Reuse Centre



The Reuse Centre accepts various items from Edmonton residents free of charge and makes them available to organizations and individuals for reuse. The Reuse Centre is unique as it deals with items that are not accepted for reuse elsewhere.

The Centre has three main goals:

- To promote the idea and benefits of reuse.
- To provide affordable items to organizations and individuals.
- To divert waste from landfill.

Accepted Items

The Reuse Centre **accepts** a variety of items such as arts and craft supplies, office and school supplies, paper and plastic products and much more. Please note that all items must be clean and in good condition. Items are only accepted during hours of operation.

The Reuse Centre **does not accept** furniture, toys, clothing, electronics, appliances or construction materials. Many charities accept these items; please take them to the charity directly. For a listing of charities that accept these items, visit the Reuse & Recycling Directory at www.edmonton.ca/reusedirectory or call 311.

Hours of Operation

Sunday	CLOSED
Monday	CLOSED
Tuesday	12 pm - 6 pm
Wednesday	12 pm - 6 pm
Thursday	12 pm - 8 pm
Friday	12 pm - 6 pm
Saturday	10 am - 4 pm

Closed on statutory holidays

Prices

Organizations and individuals can purchase items at the Reuse Centre for a nominal fee.

- \$5** per purchase (up to 50kg)
- \$50** annual membership (non-profit organizations only, 25 visits)

Reuse Centre

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Edmonton, Alberta T6C 2X9
(corner of 83 Street & Argyll Road)

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See inside for a detailed list of items accepted at the Reuse Centre.

Items accepted at the Reuse Centre

Arts & Crafts Supplies

- Artist canvases **NEW!**
- Basket fillers
- Baskets (wicker only)
- Beads
- Bingo dabbers (full only)
- Bows
- Canvases
- Cellophane
- Chalk
- Clay (modeling, pottery & play-doh)
- Cookie cutters
- Corks
- Craft kits
- Crayons (pencil & wax)
- Easels **NEW!**
- Feathers
- Floral arranging supplies (holders, picks, etc.)
- Flowers (artificial only)
- Foam core
- Glitter
- Glue (white, sticks & craft)
- Googly eyes
- Magnets
- Moulds
- Packing peanuts
- Paint (acrylic, craft & watercolour only)
- Paint brushes (arts & crafts only)
- Pastels
- Pine cones
- Pipe cleaners
- Pom-poms
- Ribbon (fabric, gift & raffia)
- Rubber stamps & ink pads
- Scissors
- Scrapbooking supplies **NEW!**
- Seashells
- Sponges
- Stencils
- Stickers
- String
- Styrofoam (balls, cubes & sheets only)
- Wax
- Wire (craft only)
- Wreaths

Home Décor

- Carpet samples (small)
- Countertop samples
- Flooring samples
- Paint swatches
- Tiles (small only)
- Upholstery samples
- Wallpaper (samples & rolls)

Media

- Cables (computer, phone & TV only)
- Cassette tapes (commercially recorded only)
- Computer disks (3.5")
- CDs & DVDs (incl. empty cases)
- Photo slides
- Projection screens **NEW!**
- Records
- USB memory sticks **NEW!**
- Video cartridges
- Video tapes (commercially recorded only)

Metal

- Aluminum pie plates & tart shells
- Beer-bottle caps **NEW!**
- Frozen-juice lids
- Keys
- Pull tabs (from beer or pop cans)
- Small hardware (brackets, nails, screws, etc.)
- Tins (Altoid, coffee, cookie & cylinder, with lids)

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(all items must be **clean** and in **good** condition)

Needle Craft Supplies

Supplies for crochet, cross-stitch, embroidery, knitting, macramé, needlepoint, quilting, sewing & rug hooking

- Batting
- Burlap
- Buttons
- Elastic
- Fabric (minimum 0.25 meters)
- Fasteners (snaps, hooks, buckles, etc.)
- Faux fur
- Felt
- Lace
- Leather (usable pieces only)
- Neck ties
- Needles (crochet, knitting, sewing, etc.)
- Patterns
- Pins (straight & safety, place in container)
- Sequins
- Spools
- Straps
- Thread
- Velcro
- Vinyl (usable pieces only)
- Wool
- Yarn
- Zippers

Office & School Supplies

- Binders (no logos, not damaged)
- Binding items (coils, etc.)
- Calculators (working only)
- Chalkboards **NEW!**
- Classroom decorations **NEW!**
- Clipboards
- Corkboards **NEW!**
- Desktop organizers **NEW!**
- Dividers (tab & binder)
- Duo tangs
- Erasers (chalk board, dry erase & pencil)
- Folders (file & hanging)
- Geometry sets **NEW!**
- Hole punches
- Holders (business card, CD & DVD, magazine, pen, name tag, etc.)
- Index cards
- Labels
- Lanyards
- Markers (highlighter, Sharpie, dry erase, etc.)
- Notebooks
- Note pads
- Page protectors
- Paper clips
- Pencil cases
- Pencil sharpeners
- Pencils
- Pens
- Post-it notes
- Push pins & thumbtacks
- Register rolls
- Rubber bands
- Rulers
- Staplers & staples
- Tape (duct, masking, packing, scotch, etc.)
- Tape dispensers **NEW!**
- Transparencies
- Whiteboards **NEW!**

Paper Products

- Bookmarks
- Boxes (gift, packing & shoe only)
- Campbell's labels
- Calendars (with pictures only)
- Cardboard tubes (paper towel & wrapping paper only)
- Coasters (cardboard only) **NEW!**
- Coffee filters (new only) **NEW!**
- Cupcake liners (new only) **NEW!**
- Doilies (paper only) **NEW!**
- Envelopes (regular & oversized, new only)
- Gift bags
- Greeting cards (new & used)
- Maps
- Mat boards
- Moving boxes
- Paper (all types, usable only)
- Photographs (scenic only)
- Poster boards
- Postcards
- Postage stamps
- Posters
- Stationery
- Tissue paper
- Wrapping paper

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Plastic

- Bread-bag tags
- Bubble wrap
- Film canisters (with lids)
- Ice-cream pails
(4-litre, with lids)
- Laundry-soap scoops
- Margarine containers
(with lids, 1 & 2 pound only)
- Milk-jug lids
- Milk crates **NEW!**
- Prescription bottles
(with lids, no labels)
- Six-pack rings (from pop or beer cans)
- Strawberry baskets (green) **NEW!**
- Yogurt containers (with lids,
690 and 750 gram only)
- 5-gallon pails (CLEAN only) **NEW!**

Wood

- Chopsticks (new, wooden only) **NEW!**
- Clothespins
- Dowels
- Hockey sticks (incl. broken)
- Popsicle sticks
- Wood (small blocks & boards only;
max. length 4 feet)

Various Other Items

- Alarm clocks (battery operated) **NEW!**
- Artificial Christmas trees
(complete and tied up or in box) **NEW!**
- Artificial fruit **NEW!**
- Badminton birdies **NEW!**
- Bags (cloth, paper & Ziplock)
- Bells
- Board games
- Books (adult & children's fiction
& non-fiction, current textbooks only,
no encyclopedias)
- Bungee cords **NEW!**
- Candles & candle holders
- Coins (souvenir and foreign) **NEW!**
- Coin rollers **NEW!**
- Disposable plates, cups
and cutlery (UNUSED only) **NEW!**
- Dressmaking
tailor/dress forms **NEW!**
- Egg cartons
- Figurines **NEW!**
- Glow sticks **NEW!**
- Glue guns (working) **NEW!**
- Handtools (small only) **NEW!**
- Hangers (wire only, please bundle)
- Hockey pucks **NEW!**
- Jars (baby food & canning only, with lids)
- Jewelry (incl. broken)
- Jewelry gift boxes
- Key chains
- Kites **NEW!**
- Lamp shades
- Lapel pins
- Locks **NEW!**
- Magazines (craft, National Geographic,
nature, fitness, etc., no catalogues or
free publications)
- Magnifying glasses **NEW!**
- Mannequins
- Marbles
- Medals
- Models (car, plane etc.) **NEW!**
- Party decorations
- Photo albums & album pages
- Photo negatives **NEW!**
- Picture frames (with or without glass)
- Ping Pong balls **NEW!**
- Plant pots (ceramic & clay only)
- Playing cards
- Prize ribbons
- Promotional buttons
- Puzzles (incl. incomplete)
- Sandpaper **NEW!**
- Seasonal decorations
(Valentine's Day, Easter, Canada Day,
Halloween, Christmas, etc.)
- Shelf liner
- Storage bins
- Straws (unused) **NEW!**
- Tablecloths (paper and vinyl only) **NEW!**
- Tennis & golf balls
- Toolboxes **NEW!**
- Trophies
- Vases
- Wall clocks (battery operated) **NEW!**
- Watches (incl. broken)

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