
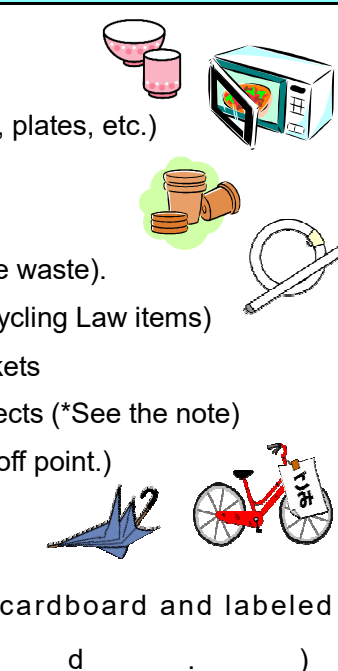

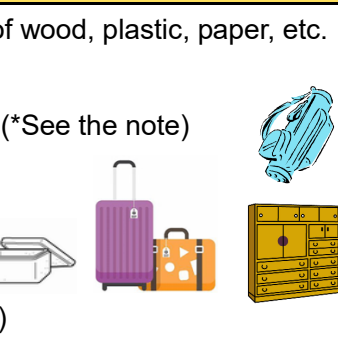

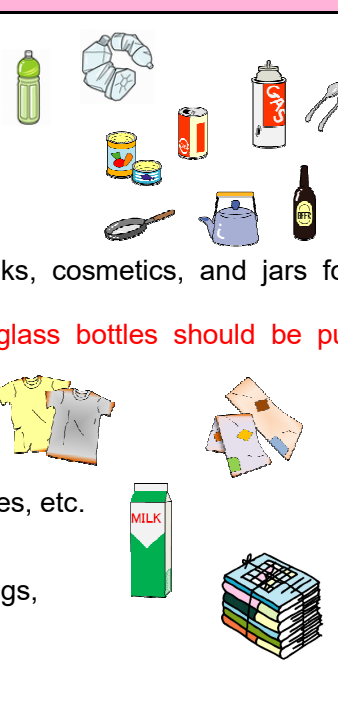




Takatsuki city How to Sort and Dispose of Household Waste



Revised in Dec.2025

Please properly sort your waste and place it in (semi-)transparent bags by 8:00 a.m. on collection day. **No early drop-offs (the day before) allowed.**

Burnable waste (Twice a week) Collected on every <input type="text"/> & <input type="text"/>	Notes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○Kitchen waste (raw waste, etc.) ○Small plastic/resin containers or products, stuffed animals, leather products such as shoes, bags, and others. <i>(For a large quantity of each, dispose of them as bulky burnable waste)</i> ○Disposable paper diapers, paper pet litter 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇Drain moisture from kitchen waste. ◇Crash or bend the tops of bamboo skewers and wrap them in paper (as their sharp tops are hazardous). ◇Soak up cooking oil, etc. with cloth or paper. ◇Remove wastes from diapers before disposal. ◇<i>Raked leaves and weeds are sorted as bulky burnable waste.</i>
Non-burnable waste (Once a month) Collected on the <input type="text"/> th <input type="text"/> of every month	Notes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○Spring mattresses, spring sofas, and recliners ○Electric massage chairs ○Unrecyclable glass (plate glass, heat-resistant glass, glass cups, vases, plates, etc.) ○Lighting fixtures, light bulbs and batteries ○Ceramics, bath mats made of diatomaceous earth ○Metals (excluding metal kitchenware, which is to be sorted as recyclable waste). ○General electrical appliances (excluding PCs and Home Appliance Recycling Law items) E.g. microwave ovens, rice cookers, heaters, electric carpets or blankets ○Kitchen knives, razors, box cutters, scissors, and other sharp metal objects (*See the note) ○Bicycles (Return e-bike batteries to the retailer or to a designated drop-off point.) ○Umbrellas ○Stainless steel laundry poles (not including their concrete bases) ○Thermometers (Mercury thermometers should be wrapped in cardboard and labeled " <small>水銀 体温計</small> ") 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇Bicycles shall be labeled "ごみ". ◇Remove "kerosene and batteries" from oil heaters. (To prevent accidental fires in garbage trucks) ◇Kitchen knives, razors, and other items that may cause injury should be wrapped in paper and labeled "危険". ◇Button batteries should be collected at a retailer or a partner store (collection point). <div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; margin: 5px 0;"> <p>*Please check the website of the Japan Battery Association (see QR code on the right) for a list of stores that participate in the button battery recycling program.</p>  </div> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇Infectious waste, such as injection needles, must be returned to medical institutions. ◇Please refer to the back for small rechargeable batteries.
Bulky burnable waste (Once a month) Collected on the <input type="text"/> th <input type="text"/> of every month	Notes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○Bulky burnable products or packaging materials that are combinations of wood, plastic, paper, etc. ○Styrofoam, shredded waste ○Wooden furniture such as wardrobes, cupboards, and also tatami mats (*See the note) ○Plastic or rubber products, including storage bins, helmets, hoses, etc. ○Futons, rugs, blankets, curtains, carpets, etc. ○Plastic suitcases, golf bags, and travelling bags ○Garden waste (leaves, weeds, and branches, wood chips (up to 5 bags)) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇Tie up futons, carpets, etc. with string. ◇Trim wood scraps and branches to a maximum size of 10cm in diameter and 50cm in length. ◇Cleaning equipment must be labeled as "ごみ" for disposal. ◇Cut tatami mats into quarters or smaller.
Recyclable waste (twice a month) Collected on the <input type="text"/> th & <input type="text"/> th <input type="text"/> of the month	Notes
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○Plastic bottles (labeled ) ○Cans <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cans: Aluminum, steel, and food tins (under 30 cm). • Spray cans and tabletop stove gas cylinders • Metal kitchen items: includes kettles, pots, pans, cutlery, and bowls. ○Glass bottles: Includes beverages, condiments, alcohol, health drinks, cosmetics, and jars for preserved fruits (e.g., plum wine). <i>The above-mentioned plastic bottles, cans, metal kitchen items and glass bottles should be put together in a (semi-)transparent bag.</i> □Scrap fabric and old clothing: includes shirts, pants, skirts and towels □Paper recyclables <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Standard paper: Newspapers, flyers, magazines, cardboard, dictionaries, etc. • Paper cartons: Milk and juice cartons (must be non-aluminum lined) • Miscellaneous paper: Includes wrapping paper, paper boxes, paper bags, envelopes, toilet paper cores 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◇ Recyclable waste is collected at a different time. (Pickup times differ for plastic bottles, cans, glass bottles, scrap fabric and paper recyclables.) ◇ Rinse cans, bottles, milk cartons, plastic bottles, etc. with water before disposal. ◇ Remove all lids, caps, and labels from bottles. Dispose of plastic caps and labels as burnable waste, and metal lids as non-burnable waste. ◇ <u>Empty spray cans fully before disposal. If the can is equipped with a gas release cap, use it to vent any remaining propellant safely.</u> ◇ Please dispose of enameled kitchenware on non-burnable waste collection days. ◇ Plastic bottles can be also collected at participating stores. ◇ Please bundle scrap fabric and paper recyclables with string or place them in a disposal bag. ◇ During rainy weather, please hold your scrap fabric and paper recyclables until the next collection day, or place them in clear plastic bags to keep them dry.
<p>Japanese text only</p> <p>See more details about how to sort and dispose of household waste on the Takatsuki City website or in the app. To get the app, search and download the "Takatsuki City Garbage App" (高槻市ごみアプリ) from the App Store for iPhone or the Google Play Store for Android.</p> <div style="display: flex; justify-content: space-around; align-items: center;"> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>For iPhone users</p> </div> <div style="text-align: center;">  <p>For Android users</p> </div> </div>	
<p>★Improper waste disposal causes fires in garbage trucks! (Empty all gas lighters and aerosol cans before disposal. For lithium-ion batteries, refer to the section entitled 'Disposal of small rechargeable batteries' on the back.)</p> <p>★No Commercial waste allowed. Household trash only. Any violation will be subject to penalties.</p>	

* Some of the illustrations used here are from the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry's website. (<https://www.meti.go.jp/policy/recycle/main/data/illust/index.html>).

Items collected upon request

●Special Waste (One-time excess waste generated due to moving, clearing up homes, tree pruning, etc.) **※No collection or transport on weekends.**

[Fee] ¥2,720/m³ *Standard Disposal Rates: ¥130 per 45-Liter Unit.

Apply 7-10 days prior to your desired date of collection. (The collection time cannot be specified.)

Take waste to the point accessible by the collection truck. (We don't carry waste out of houses.)



●Waste from community cleanups (Collection of waste from community clean-ups organized by residents' associations, etc.)

[Free Service] To schedule a collection, provide the following details: Type of waste, number of bags, collection location, representative's contact details (Name, address, phone number), and number of participants.

●Deceased animals, such as a dogs or cats. ***No collection or transport on Saturdays and Sundays**

	Classification		Fee (per remains)	Contact details
Unclaimed animal remains	Incineration in an incinerator	Collection	Free	For inquiries, call ☎ : 072-669-1153 Business hour 7:45-16:15 *Closed on Saturdays, Sundays, and during the year-end and New Year holidays
Pet remains	Incineration in an incinerator	Collection/transport by the city	¥1,040	
	Cremation at the city's pet crematory	Collection/transport by the city	¥2,610	

Dropping off waste, animal remains to the Energy Center

Classification	Fees and Advance Application			Reception hours and contact details	
Waste	Handling fee	¥40 / 10 kg		Reception hours for the applications: 9:00 - 16:00 (Closed 12:00 - 13:00) Telephone reception hours: 7:45-16:15 ☎ : 072-669-1950, FAX : 072-669-5985 *Closed on Saturdays, Sundays, national holidays, and during year-end and New Year holidays.	
	Application	Advance application is required. Apply by noon of the day before the desired date of dropping off refuse (if it falls on a Saturday, Sunday, or holiday, apply by noon of the preceding weekday), by FAX, or post (Application must arrive by noon of the day before the day you wish to drop off refuse), or on the city's website, '高槻市 簡易電子申込'.			
Remains of Animal/pet	Handling fee	Incineration in an incinerator	Unclaimed animal remains	Free	Hours for Drop-off and telephone reception: Mon.-Fri. 9:00-16:00 (Closed 12:00-13:00) Sat. 9:00-12:00 ☎ : 072-669-4194 *Closed on Sundays and during year-end and New Year holidays
			Pet remains	¥520 / animal	
		Cremation at the city's pet crematory	Decline cremated remains	¥2,090 / animal	
			※Claim cremated remains	¥10,470 / animal	
Application	Not required				

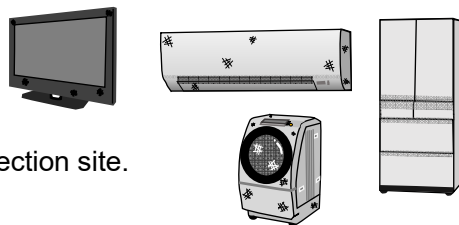
※Ashes will be ready for return one day after receipt. We will schedule a specific pickup time for you during your drop-off.

Items subject to the Home Appliance Recycling Act (ACs, TVs, Fridges & Freezers, Washers & Dryers)

For information on recycling fees and designated pick-up locations, please contact the Home Appliance Recycling Ticket Center, ☎ : 0120-319-640.

○ Retailer Collection

When disposing of an item covered by the Act, please request collection from the retailer where the item was originally purchased or where you are buying a replacement. If the original retailer is unknown or no longer in business, you may contact a major electronics appliance store to request disposal.



Item	Size	Handling fee
Washers& Dryers	No classification	¥3,660
ACs		
TVs		
Fridges/Freezers	Smaller than 250L	¥3,660
	250L or larger	¥5,230

※An additional recycling fee applies.

【Other disposal options】

○ Manufacturer Take-back

1. Pay the recycling fee via bank transfer at any post office.
2. Drop off the item at an authorized manufacturer-designated collection site.

○ Requesting Collection from Takatsuki City

1. Pay the recycling fee via bank transfer at any post office.
2. Submit an application to the Cleaning Affairs Division at least 7 to 10 days before your preferred collection date. 【See Table 1 for collection and transportation fee】

Disposal of small rechargeable batteries

Dispose of small rechargeable batteries that are swollen, deformed, or do not have a recycling symbol as unburnable waste.

※Before disposal, separate the batteries from other non-flammable waste. Insulate the terminals with tape and attach a label clearly marked 'DANGER' (キケン) or 'BATTERY' (バッテリー).

● Uninflated, undeformed batteries bearing the recycling symbol can be recycled at JBRC partner stores (collection points) as usual.



*Use the JBRC store locator to find a nearby collection point. Scan the QR code on the right.



Waste not collected or processed by the city

Waste outside of municipal responsibility	Out-of-city waste, specially controlled municipal waste, industrial waste, and specially controlled industrial waste
Items with standardized processing and recycling systems	Cars (including parts), tires (cars/motorcycles), batteries, motorcycles (including moped motorcycles), fire extinguishers, nickel-cadmium batteries, mercury batteries, pianos, home PCs, Home Appliance Recycling Act items, FRP ships
Items difficult to collect, transport, and dispose of	Solvents and fuels, paints, chemicals, pesticides, medical equipment, fireproof safes, gas cylinders, farming implements, drum cans, garden stones, soil, family Buddhist altars, block fragments, concrete, construction waste, and mobility scooters

For the disposal of used household PCs, please contact the details below

Renet Japan Recycle, Inc.
☎ : 0570-085-800
<https://www.renet.jp>

PC3R Promotion Association
☎ : 03-5282-7685
<https://www.pc3r.jp>

Group recyclables collection: Your assistance is valued

We ask community groups, such as neighborhood associations, children's associations, and senior citizens' associations, to help with the group recyclables collection. Dispose of recyclables not handled by private collectors—such as empty glass bottles—through the Takatsuki City collection service. The city offers incentive grants to encourage the group recyclables collection.

Inquiries

Japanese language support only

★Regarding waste collection, contact the Cleaning Affairs Div. (Office hours: 07:45-16:15) ☎ 072-669-1153

★Regarding dropping off waste, contact the Energy Center (Office hours: 07:45-16:15) ☎ 072-669-1950

★Regarding reducing waste or the Group recyclable collection, contact the Resource Recycling Promotion Div. (Office hours: 08:45-17:15) ☎ 072-669-1886