

# Recycling & Refuse Collections Bank Holiday Changes

## Christmas and New Year 2015/16

Usual collection day	Revised collection day
Monday 21 December to Thursday 24 December	No change
Friday 25 December	<b>Sunday 27 December</b>
Monday 28 December	Tuesday 29 December
Tuesday 29 December	Wednesday 30 December
Wednesday 30 December	Thursday 31 December
Thursday 31 December	<b>Saturday 2 January</b>
Friday 1 January	<b>Monday 4 January</b>
Monday 4 January	Tuesday 5 January
Tuesday 5 January	Wednesday 6 January
Wednesday 6 January	Thursday 7 January
Thursday 7 January	Friday 8 January
Friday 8 January	<b>Saturday 9 January</b>

No change to subsequent dates, all collections resume on usual days

(Revised collection days above also apply to **clinical and assisted waste collections**).

**Garden waste collections** will not take place Monday 28 December – Friday 8 January, resuming from Monday 11 January on usual days.

**Decoration-free natural Christmas trees under 6ft can be composted:**

- Take to your local recycling site or, if you pay for garden waste collections, put them out on your usual garden waste collection day from 11 January.

**As a last resort you can send your tree to landfill:**

- Place next to your refuse bin on your usual collection day between **4 - 15 January 2016**.

**Recycling centres** are closed on Christmas Day, Boxing Day and New Year's Day. Open all other days on their usual schedule.

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Somerset Waste Partnership manages waste and recycling services on behalf of Mendip, Sedgemoor, Somerset, South Somerset, Taunton Deane and West Somerset councils.