

# D.O. Sustainability

Paints, household chemicals, and motor oil can all be disposed of safely or recycled.  
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## The Zero Hero

In 2013, Western was able to divert 50% of its waste from landfill. By 2022 it plans to become a Zero Waste campus. Find helpful recycling tips in this week's newsletter. Help Western achieve this amazing goal.



## A Box Office Success

Large, corrugated cardboard boxes can be disposed of at any campus recycling station. Simply collapse the box, and place it behind the paper recycling bin for the caretakers to collect.

## Power for the Planet

Batteries are responsible for a majority of the toxic Mercury and Cadmium in municipal dumps. Prevent harmful elements from entering the landfill by disposing of batteries in a designated collection bin.

The Dean's Office battery collection box: main floor of the Western Science Centre next to the elevators.

## How do you take your coffee? Recycled.

12,000 coffee cups are disposed of on campus everyday. Western has expanded its recycling program to ensure that they no longer end up in the garbage, but instead are recycled. Now there is no need to remove the lid. Simply place the entire cup into the containers recycling bin. Help spread the word and keep the cups out of the landfill.

## Plastics Roll Call

Every plastic container is branded with a small recycling symbol and number. Any plastic receptacle with number 1-7 can be recycled on campus.



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