

JUST BECAUSE YOU DON'T EAT IT ALL, DOESN'T MEAN IT HAS TO GO TO WASTE.

Contrary to popular belief, not all biodegradable waste should end up in a landfill. In fact, by composting organic materials, we can reduce landfill space, cut methane emissions that cause climate change, lessen leachate that has the potential to contaminate groundwater, return nutrients to the soil and even generate energy to power our city. Here's a handy guide to all the organic waste that can go into your black compost bin.



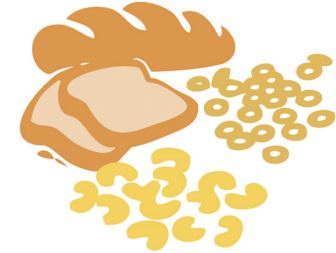
Soiled paper like plates, paper towels, napkins and pizza boxes



Dairy products, eggs and their shells



Coffee grounds, filters and tea bags



Pasta, bread, cereals and rice



Fruits and vegetables



Meat, poultry and fish



Sauces, soup and gravy



Cake, cookies, candy



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