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Where Does the Rubbish Go?



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Do you put your rubbish in a bin?
Do workers take it away?
Do you know what happens
to your rubbish?



This rubbish is waiting
to be collected.

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Rubbish

Rubbish is anything
you do not want anymore.
Food and old clothes
can be rubbish.
Old newspapers, bottles, and cans
can be rubbish, too.



clothes



paper and cardboard



food



plastics



glass



metal



toys

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A Landfill

When you put out your rubbish,
a truck takes it to a landfill.
A landfill is a place
where most rubbish goes.
Rubbish rots away at a landfill.
Machines push dirt
over the rubbish
to help it rot away.



This bulldozer is pushing the rubbish.

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Paper

Workers take paper
to a recycling depot.
They put the paper in a machine.
The machine wets the paper.
It hits the paper
to get the ink out.
It rolls the paper flat.
It dries the paper.
The old paper
is made into new paper.