

Kitchen Composting

Turn your food scraps into compost!

Select a kitchen container

You will find a wide variety of above and below counter containers for kitchen composting at your local grocery or drug store. You may also use a paper bag lined with newspaper or a Cedar Grove-approved biodegradable bag.

Review the basics and get started

Consult your food and yard waste guide to determine what can go in your container. ALL food scraps (meat, fish, poultry, bones, vegetable, fruit, bread, pasta, rice, and more) can all be placed in your kitchen composting container. Food-soiled paper like pizza boxes, paper towels/napkins, coffee liners, or tea bags can also be composted.

Take it to the yard waste cart

To avoid odors, empty your kitchen container into your green yard waste cart daily. Sprinkling baking soda in your container every time you deposit food scraps and bagging your food scraps in Cedar Grove-approved bags will also reduce odors.

