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Check out the videos on how to put out garbage in Yokkaichi City, which are easy to understand even for international residents. These are now shown in 8 languages. Access the videos via the QR code on the right. <https://www.city.yokkaichi.mie.jp/seisakukankyou/>

2024 (Reiwa 6) April

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
	1 Combustible garbage	2	3 Crushable garbage	4 Combustible garbage	5 PET bottles	6
7 Combustible garbage	8	9	10	11 Combustible garbage	12 Recyclables	13
14 Combustible garbage	15	16	17 Crushable garbage	18 Combustible garbage	19 PET bottles	20
21 Combustible garbage	22	23	24	25 Combustible garbage	26 Recyclables	27
28 Combustible garbage	29	30				

May

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
			1 Crushable garbage	2 Combustible garbage	3 PET bottles	4
5 Combustible garbage	6	7	8	9 Combustible garbage	10 Recyclables	11
12 Combustible garbage	13	14	15 Crushable garbage	16 Combustible garbage	17 PET bottles	18
19 Combustible garbage	20	21	22	23 Combustible garbage	24 Recyclables	25
26 Combustible garbage	27	28	29 Crushable garbage	30 Combustible garbage	31 PET bottles	

October

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
		1	2 Crushable garbage	3 Combustible garbage	4 PET bottles	5
6 Combustible garbage	7	8	9	10 Combustible garbage	11 Recyclables	12
13 Combustible garbage	14	15	16 Crushable garbage	17 Combustible garbage	18 PET bottles	19
20 Combustible garbage	21	22	23	24 Combustible garbage	25 Recyclables	26
27 Combustible garbage	28	29	30 Crushable garbage	31 Combustible garbage		

November

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
					1 PET bottles	2
3 Combustible garbage	4 Combustible garbage	5	6	7 Combustible garbage	8 Recyclables	9
10 Combustible garbage	11	12	13 Crushable garbage	14 Combustible garbage	15 PET bottles	16
17 Combustible garbage	18	19	20	21 Combustible garbage	22 Recyclables	23
24 Combustible garbage	25	26	27 Crushable garbage	28 Combustible garbage	29 PET bottles	30

June

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
2 Combustible garbage	3	4	5	6 Combustible garbage	7 Recyclables	8
9 Combustible garbage	10	11	12 Crushable garbage	13 Combustible garbage	14 PET bottles	15
16 Combustible garbage	17	18	19	20 Combustible garbage	21 Recyclables	22
23 Combustible garbage	24	25	26 Crushable garbage	27 Combustible garbage	28 PET bottles	29
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July

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
	1 Combustible garbage	2	3	4 Combustible garbage	5 Recyclables	6
7 Combustible garbage	8	9	10 Crushable garbage	11 Combustible garbage	12 PET bottles	13
14 Combustible garbage	15	16	17	18 Combustible garbage	19 Recyclables	20
21 Combustible garbage	22	23	24 Crushable garbage	25 Combustible garbage	26 PET bottles	27
28 Combustible garbage	29	30	31			

December

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
1 Combustible garbage	2	3	4	5 Combustible garbage	6 Recyclables	7
8 Combustible garbage	9	10	11 Crushable garbage	12 Combustible garbage	13 PET bottles	14
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22 Combustible garbage	23	24	25 Crushable garbage	26 Combustible garbage	27 PET bottles	28
29 Combustible garbage	30	31				

2025 (Reiwa 7) January

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
			1	2	3	4
5 Combustible garbage	6	7	8	9 Combustible garbage	10 Recyclables	11
12 Combustible garbage	13	14	15 Crushable garbage	16 Combustible garbage	17 PET bottles	18
19 Combustible garbage	20	21	22	23 Combustible garbage	24 Recyclables	25
26 Combustible garbage	27	28	29 Crushable garbage	30 Combustible garbage	31 PET bottles	

August

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
				1 Combustible garbage	2 Recyclables	3
4 Combustible garbage	5	6	7 Crushable garbage	8 Combustible garbage	9 PET bottles	10
11 Combustible garbage	12	13	14	15 Combustible garbage	16 Recyclables	17
18 Combustible garbage	19	20	21 Crushable garbage	22 Combustible garbage	23 PET bottles	24
25 Combustible garbage	26	27	28	29 Combustible garbage	30 Recyclables	31

September

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
1 Combustible garbage	2	3	4 Crushable garbage	5 Combustible garbage	6 PET bottles	7
8 Combustible garbage	9	10	11	12 Combustible garbage	13 Recyclables	14
15 Combustible garbage	16	17	18 Crushable garbage	19 Combustible garbage	20 PET bottles	21
22 Combustible garbage	23	24	25	26 Combustible garbage	27 Recyclables	28
29 Combustible garbage	30					

February

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
						1
2 Combustible garbage	3 Combustible garbage	4	5	6 Combustible garbage	7 Recyclables	8
9 Combustible garbage	10	11	12 Crushable garbage	13 Combustible garbage	14 PET bottles	15
16 Combustible garbage	17	18	19	20 Combustible garbage	21 Recyclables	22
23 Combustible garbage	24	25	26 Crushable garbage	27 Combustible garbage	28 PET bottles	

March

Sun.	Mon.	Tue.	Wed.	Thu.	Fri.	Sat.
2 Combustible garbage	3	4	5	6 Combustible garbage	7 Recyclables	8
9 Combustible garbage	10	11	12 Crushable garbage	13 Combustible garbage	14 PET bottles	15
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Place each specific type of garbage at the designated collection point **no later than 8:30 a.m. on the designated day**. Please note that wrongly sorted garbage and any garbage placed out at the incorrect time/day/location will not be collected. Please check with the community association of your area for the location of the collection point, collection time, and other related information. (For information on how to contact your area's community association, please inquire at the Citizen's Center.)

Please note that improperly disposing of garbage is considered illegal dumping and is a crime. Illegal dumping offenders can be fined **up to 10 million yen and/or imprisoned for up to 5 years**.

Combustible garbage

To combat global warming
Start with what you can do, little by little

Drain kitchen garbage before disposing of it as combustible waste!
By reducing the volume of combustible waste, the volume of waste to be collected and incinerated will be reduced, ultimately leading to a **reduction in CO₂ emissions**.

Kitchen garbage
Solidified cooking oil
Kitchen waste (e.g., food scraps, leftovers)
Shells

Waste paper
Unrecyclable waste paper (e.g., tissues)
Paper cups

Plastics
Plastic wrap and other plastic products
Containers for shampoo, mayonnaise, etc.
Food trays
Floppy disks, CDs, etc.
Synthetic rubber products
Polyethylene buckets
Plastic bags
Containers for tofu
Snack packets
Bento and other containers
Containers for cup noodles, eggs, and "natto"

Other
Cigarette butts
Shoes
Bamboo skewers
Disposable wooden chopsticks
Cut branches of garden trees (each 50 cm or less in length)

For infection prevention
Put used masks, tissue paper, gloves, etc. in a plastic bag, remove the air inside, and tie the mouth.

Crushable garbage
Bulk refuse
Carpets
Umbrellas
Mattress pads
Cooler boxes
Suitcases
Futons
Child car seats
Strollers

Glass and ceramics
Ashtrays, aquariums and other glass objects
Ceramics and glass tableware
Cosmetic bottles

Recyclables

(Separate each item by type as listed below.)

Paper
Newspapers and inserts
Magazines and miscellaneous paper
Cartons (e.g., milk cartons)
Corrugated cardboard

Glass bottles
Beverage cans

Metals
Kitchen knives
Pots and pans
Metal caps
Gas stovetops
Wire hangers
Power cords, extension cords

Fluorescent tubes
Fluorescent tubes (including LEDs)
Light bulbs (including LEDs)
Glow starters

Small electric appliances
Rice cookers
Electric razors
Game consoles
Fan heaters
Microwave ovens
CD radio cassette recorders
Heated tobacco products, e-cigarettes
VCRs

Dry batteries and mercury thermometers
Lithium-ion batteries
E-bike batteries
Button cell batteries
Dry batteries
Motorcycle batteries
Rechargeable batteries
Mercury thermometers

Other
Cloths and clothing
Blankets
Cans for food, milk powder, and snacks and sweets
Bicycles (even those over 1 m in height)

Other
Thermo pots
Telephones
Vacuum cleaners
Electric heater carpets
Washlets
Electric fans
Cameras
Laptop computers
Desktop computers
Mobile phones

Items NOT collected at garbage collection points

- Fireproof safes
- Handcarts
- Electric organs
- Organs, etc.

Bring these directly to the Yokkaichi City Clean Center.

Items NOT collected/handled by the City

- Motorized bicycles/mopeds
- Motorcycles
- Pesticides and other toxic items
- Syringes and hypodermic needles
- Tires
- Oils (kerosene, gasoline, etc.)
- Items under the Act on Recycling of Specified Kinds of Home Appliances
- Propane gas cylinders
- Fire extinguishers
- Paints, etc.

You cannot discard these at garbage collection points. Nor can they be brought directly to the Yokkaichi City Clean Center or to the Yokkaichi City Kusu Sanitation Center.

Any refuse generated by a business must NOT be discarded at the garbage collection point.

Prohibited!

Never mix waste containing mercury (mercury thermometers, mercury sphygmomanometers, etc.) with combustible or crushable garbage!
If mercury enters an incinerator, it will cause a severe operational failure.

Do NOT put spray cans and lighters in the same waste bag.

PET bottles

(Caps and labels are collected as "combustible garbage.")

Only PET bottles marked with the PET material symbol on the label or at the bottom are collectible.

To inquire about disposal of household waste, contact the following:

How to put it out	Garbage collection	Bringing it directly to one of the centers
Life Environment Section, Yokkaichi Municipal Government (Yokkaichi Shiyakusho Kankyou Jigyuu-ka) ☎059-340-3308	North Cleanup Service Center ☎059-331-3228	Yokkaichi City Clean Center ☎059-331-6181

For details on how to properly sort garbage, please see the city's garbage disposal guides or its website.