The following items can be placed in the College’s designated recycling bins and are accepted by York Waste’s Recycling Facility:

- Aluminum food and beverage containers with food debris removed. Labels do not need to be removed.
- Glass food and beverage containers with lids and food debris removed: Clear, Brown Green. Labels do not have to be removed.
- Natural and pigmented plastic **narrow-neck** containers with symbols 1,2,3,4,5,6,7 (milk bottles, water bottles, detergent bottles, shampoo bottles, bleach bottles, etc). Lids and food debris removed. Labels do not have to be removed.
- Ferrous (Iron, steel, tin) cans with food debris removed.
- Newsprint – black and white or pigmented. Not bound or placed in bags.
- Construction paper, Kraft paper, cereal Boxes, shoe boxes, or similar.
- Printer paper, computer paper, copy paper.
- Junk Mail.
- Magazines, catalogs.
- Corrugated cardboard that is small enough to fit into the bin/toter and not bound.
- Phone books.

The items below are on a short list of materials not accepted by York Waste’s Recycling Facility:

- Wax coated paper or cardboard.
- Any material with food debris.
- Plastic Bags of any kind.
- Batteries of any kind.
- Styrofoam of any kind.
- Light bulbs.
- Mirrors, window or auto glass, porcelain, ceramics, glass cookware/bake ware, microwave oven trays, drinking glasses, perfume/cologne bottles.
- Wood or Yard Waste
- Unnumbered plastics.
- Coat hangers, Wire.
- Household items such as toasters, cookware, bake ware, electronics, appliances, etc.
- Hazardous or toxic substances.
- Items containing or having debris and residue containing hazardous or toxic substances such as paint cans with wet paint, motor oil containers, gasoline cans, glue, petroleum products, etc.
- Aerosol cans.