

COMPOSTING MATERIALS GUIDE



GREEN MATERIALS (1 part green)

- Vegetable peels
- Coffee grounds
- Tea bags
- Egg shells
- Green grass clippings
- Green plant materials
- Hair or fur
- Chicken, rabbit, cattle & horse manure

BROWN MATERIALS (4 parts brown)

- Dead leaves
- Straw
- Sawdust/pine chips
- Small twigs
- Dead, dried grass
- Dryer lint
- Paper products (cardboard, napkins, coffee filters & shredded newspapers)



DO NOT INCLUDE

- Meat products
- Fats, oils, lard & grease
- Dairy products
- Cat & dog waste
- Diseased plants
- Chemically treated yard clippings or plants
- Black walnut or eucalyptus tree byproducts
- * Limit oak, beech & sweet chestnut leaves