

All donations must be cleaned and dried before donating to us. Please wrap up and label any sharp objects like knives or exacto blades! Empty any liquids or other substance into your proper waste bins before bringing your donations to us. We cannot accept any type of household hazardous waste including but not limited to light bulbs, garden fertilizers, solvents, household cleaners. When donating to the Depot please come during the scheduled donation hours on Monday, Friday or Saturday between 12pm and 2pm. Leaving items at the dock when it is closed is hazardous to the community and is illegal. If you come by while the dock is closed please take your items back home until you are able to come when we have our scheduled open hours. If you have any questions you are more than welcome to give our store a call or email us at donations@creativereuse.org

Accepting

Arts & Crafts Supplies

Antique or Vintage items (pre-1990's)

Cameras & Components (no broken cameras unless they are vintage)- No stray cables/cords/chargers/batteries

Toilet Paper/Towel Cardboard Rolls, Paper Bags with Handles, bottle tops, green strawberry baskets, glass bottles and jars in small amounts, film canister containers, corks, and egg cartons.

Frames (well made/non broken frames only), Artwork, Canvases

Furniture: Wooden, Small (less than 48"w x 24"d x 30"h): End Tables, Nightstands, Bookshelves, Drawers, Patio, Rockers, Framed Mirrors, Chairs, Carts (Please email ahead so we can approve before donation)

Garden Supplies--tools, pots, lawn decor, flower foam
Holiday Decor (Halloween and Thanksgiving)

Home Decor (vases, vintage glassware sets, etc.)

Jewelry, Watches, Jewelry Bits

Kitchenware (quality, vintage, unique, or handmade)
Please no broken or chipped dishes!

Leather

Magazines: National Geographics, Art Magazines, Image Heavy. (No cooking magazines or anything text heavy)

Musical Instruments (acoustic/electric), Musical Instrument Accessories, Sheet Music

Paper (no scrapbooking or large paper at this time)

Paints: Acrylic, Watercolor, Oil, Fabric, Spray Paint, Glazes, Crafts Paints. Please no house paints!

Party Supplies (in season only)

Photographs

Feathers, Fake Plants & Flowers

Board Games and Puzzles

Typewriters (non-electric only)

Yarn and Cone thread - no yarn scraps or unfinished knitting projects

Sewing Patterns, needles/pins, embroidery hoops, crochet hooks, velcro, elastic, lace

Currently Not Accepting

Candles/Candle Holders/Candle Making supplies

Containers: Tins (taking vintage and unique only), Empty recyclable boxes (taking unique/Cigar Boxes only), plastic containers/takeout containers.

Stationary (unless it's vintage or part of a set/still in its packaging)

Fabric scraps/ Clothing scraps

No large shovels

Christmas, Valentines Day, New Year, Easter, 4th of July
Holiday Supplies

Lamps

Ink Cartridges

Small Working Appliances-- sewing machines, soldering irons, craft appliances.

Binders

Blank CD stacks

Media (CDs, DVDs, Audio Cassettes, Records, even 8-Track tapes)

Office Supply (binders, small pads of paper, large hole punches, notebooks)

Greeting Cards

Gift Wrap

Poster Board, Foam Core, Mat Board

Scrapbooking Gear (paper, paper slicers, kits, etc..)

Magazine holders

Art/mosaic/home tiles

Small Working Appliances-- sewing machines, hair dryers, soldering irons, craft appliances.

Teaching Materials (Large cork/whiteboards, incomplete learning kits, curriculum/textbooks - can be traded through the East Bay Depot green ed Facebook group).

Toys

Calanders (will take 2021/2022 calanders only).

Teaching Materials (Math/counting manipulatives, expo markers, flash cards, small whiteboards, educational posters, stickers, educational games/toys, rulers, yardsticks, lakeshore items)

Childrens Books

Scissors

Stickers

Postcards and vintage stationary

tape - maksiing/packing/duct/scotch

Shells

Woven/Wicker Baskets (Must be in decent shape)

Ribbon

Folders (manila, subject/classroom folders) - Nothing ripped or written on please.

Rubber Bands

Books (will take childrens books)

Knitting Needles

Never Accepting

Bedding & Pillows

Binding Machines

Building Materials

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Clothes/Shoes

Containers: Plastic, Tupperware, Tins

Curriculum (teaching curriculum can be traded in our Facebook group starting in June)

Curtains/Curtain Rods

Dishes (solo plates/cups/mugs, plastic dishware, dish racks, etc.)

Drafting Tables

Electronics: not limited to: Loose Cords and Cables, Phones, Computers, TVs, Monitors, Toasters, Rice Cookers, Coffee Makers, DVD Players, Heaters, Routers, Printers/Scanners, Phones, Fans, Shredders, Vacuums, etc.

Encyclopedias & Outdated Text Books

Fabric Scraps (anything under 1 yard or torn to pieces/ seam ripped clothing)

Fireplace Tools

Furniture larger than 48"w x 24"d x 30"h, anything particle board, upholstered, Ikea

Glass (Broken or Loose Sheets)

Hardware (Brackets, Switchplates, Hinges, Loose screws/nails/bolts, tools, etc.)

Hazardous/Flammable materials (House paint/varnish, fuels, solvents, dead batteries, chemicals or chemistry sets, etc.)

Healthcare Items: Crutches, Walkers, Intubators, Braces, etc.

Media: VHS, Home-recorded Media (VHS or cassettes), Tapes without Cases

Oversized Plastic Toys

Paper or Fabric Products with Mildew or water Damage

Projectors and Projector Screens

Small Working Appliances-- hand mixers, blenders, hotplates, irons

Slide Carousels

Spray Cans of any kind (spray paints, aerosal cans)

Sports Items (Golf Clubs, Used Helmets, Ice Skates,
Weight Sets)
Stuffed Animals
Styrofoam & Packing Peanuts
Suitcases
Tile (Bathroom, Patio, etc.)

We have a list of alternative places to donate to whenever we currently cannot accept something. We have the pdf available to download on our material donations page of our website. If you cannot find one that is available for you now, please visit stopwaste.org and you can search donation drop offs in your local area. We appreciate all your help in caring for our planet and recycling and reusing what you can. Stay Creative!