

COMPOST - PRIMARY HANDOUT

# This And That

**This is a list of the different things that can be composted safely in your home composter**

FOOD

Apples & Apple Peels  
Bananas & Peels  
Beans  
Beets  
Berries  
Bread  
Broccoli  
Cabbage  
Carrots  
Celery Tops  
Citrus Rinds  
Coffee Grounds (and filter)  
Corn Cobs (chopped)  
Cucumber  
Egg Shells (crushed)  
Grapes  
Grapefruit  
Lettuce  
Lemon  
Melon  
Onion  
Oats  
Pears  
Pineapple  
Potato  
Pumpkin/Squash  
Tea Leaves & Tea Bags  
Tomato  
Turnip  
Zucchini

OTHERS

Apple Pomace  
Bird Cage Cleanings  
Bone Meal  
Corn Stalks  
Cotton Rags  
Feathers  
Felt  
Flowers  
Garden Wastes (trimmings, plant remains)  
Grape Plant Waste  
Grass  
Hair  
Hay  
Leather  
Leaves  
Composted Manure  
Muck (marsh & swamp mud)  
Peanut Hulls  
Peet Moss  
Pine Neddles  
Rope  
Sawdust  
Seaweed  
Soil  
Straw  
String  
Weeds  
Wood Ash  
Wool Rags