

Trash Field Guide

Soft Plastic

Flat and flexible plastic pieces.

Where it comes from: wrappers like cling film or plastic wrap, grocery bags, and candy or chip wrappers.



Hard Plastic

Hard, jagged edged plastic pieces.

Where it comes from: can be broken pieces of any plastic object like water bottles, toys, or plastic containers.



Foam

Black, white, or gray squishy plastic pieces.

Where it comes from: packaging inside boxes or mail.



Others

This includes all other human-made objects like glass, rubber, metal or cardboard.

It can also include items that are not trash, like rocks, shells, wood, kelp, and feathers!

