

Waste Words

Do you know the meanings of these waste words?

Reduce

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Reuse

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Recycle

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Waste

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Litter

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Fly tipping

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Incineration

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Landfill

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Compost

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Try to match these words to the correct meanings on the right.

Reduce

Large amounts of waste that are dumped illegally

Reuse

Stuff you do not want anymore

Recycle

Small items of waste that are thrown on the ground

Waste

Heap of old plants and grass cuttings that rots down to make new soil

Litter

Rubbish being made into new products (e.g. old cans melted down to make new cans)

Fly tipping

Large hole used for burying rubbish

Incineration

Using your rubbish again (e.g. washing your plastic bottle and filling it up again)

Landfill

Make less rubbish (e.g. buy things with less packaging)

Compost

Burning rubbish in a special furnace