








Plastic Recycling Codes

Code						 NO Styrofoam	
Abbreviation	PETE	HDPE	PVC or V	LDPE	PP	PS	Other
Full name	Polyethylene Terephthalate	High Density Polyethylene	Vinyl or Polyvinylchloride	Low Density Polyethylene	Polypropylene	Polystyrene	A mixture or combination of resins
Is it Recyclable by Kent County?	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes Except Styrofoam	Yes
Typical containers	Plastic soft drink, water, sports drink, beer, catsup, mouthwash and salad dressing bottles. Peanut butter, pickle, jelly and jam jars. Oven-able prepared food trays.	Milk, water, juice, cosmetic, shampoo, dish and laundry detergent bottles. Yogurt and margarine tubs. Grocery bags.	Clear food and non-food packaging, some plastic squeeze bottle, cooking oil, peanut butter jars, detergent and window cleaner bottles.	Grocery bags, squeezable bottles, e.g. honey, mustard. NO Film Plastic	Catsup bottles, deli soup, syrup, baby bottles, yogurt containers, margarine tubs, medicine bottles.	Yogurt cups, bottles, food and non-food packaging and cases. NO Styrofoam packaging meat trays, egg cartons, cups, plates.	Baby bottles, sport water bottle, three and five gallon reusable water bottles, some citrus juice and catsup bottles.