

# Know your packaging symbols

You may have noticed more symbols appearing on product packaging. It's important to know what they mean, so you can choose the best products to buy and dispose of the packaging appropriately. Here is a simple explanation of some common symbols.

## Disposal



### Compostable

You can compost this packaging in either a home or industrial compost. It will biodegrade within 180 days in an industrial compost and within 365 days in a home compost. However, we don't sell compostable products at Bygreen.



### Recyclable

You can recycle this packaging in your home recycling bin. Clean off any food, grease, oil or other mess before placing it in the bin.

## Product Materials



### Responsibly sourced paper and wood

These wood or paper-based products are made from materials sourced from companies that use sustainable practices to help protect our forests.



### Sugarcane fibre/bagasse

Sugarcane fibre or bagasse is a by-product of sugar refining. You can recycle a product with this packaging in your home recycling bin if it doesn't have food residue on it.

## Product Features



### Customisable

This symbol indicates that our design team can customise the product to add your custom branding or create a unique solution just for you.



### Hot or cold use

Packaging with this symbol is ideal for hot or cold food. At Bygreen, this packaging is strong, dependable and grease-proof.



### Microwave and oven safe

You can use this packaging safely in a microwave or oven.



### Freezer safe

You can use this packaging safely in the freezer. However, you should test the packaging first to ensure the type of food you're freezing doesn't affect the structural integrity of the packaging once it's thawed.