



All about Plastic



Did you know! Plastic is made from chemicals from oil!

1. Plastic makes up 11% of our household waste.
2. Plastic things which are thrown away and get dumped in landfill sites never rot away.
3. It is more difficult to recycle plastic than any other material because there are several different types. Each type needs to be recycled separately.
4. The amount of plastic used to make things has been reduced from 12g to 5g in order to use less plastic.
5. Many items are out of recycled plastic, including bin liners, Garden furniture, video and CD cases and even fleece jackets.
6. Plastic can not be recycled everywhere at the moment.
In any case we should all try to reduce the amount of plastic we buy and reuse as much as possible.

Properties of Plastic

1. Plastic is a wonderful material because it is formed in lots of different ways.
2. Plastic can be strong and hard such as chairs.
3. Plastic is an electrical insulator.

Different kinds of Plastic

There are five different kinds plastic here are the five, nylon, polythene and polystyrene Perspex or acrylic.

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