

Please respect our staff if they turn away certain items, they are helping us to save more money for pets and their people!

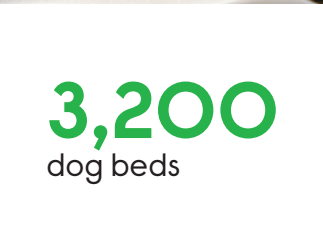
It costs Woodgreen **£48,000** every year to dispose of donations we can't sell.

With that money we could provide...



**3,400**

lifesaving heat pads for cold, abandoned pets



**3,200**  
dog beds



Emergency funds for  
**530**  
pet owners in need

Scan the QR code or visit [woodgreen.org.uk/our-shops](http://woodgreen.org.uk/our-shops) to check accepted items.

**Bringing a large donation?** Please find your local shop's number online and call ahead before visiting.



## Donations we love are...



COMPLETE

Full sets, in working order



CLEAN

Not soiled, rusty or mouldy



QUALITY  
CONDITION

Good enough to sell



**woodgreen**

Helping pets and their people

# Donations Guide

Learn which items we **love** receiving...

... and how to reuse those we **can't** accept








## We're so grateful for your generous donations.

However, certain laws and restrictions mean we can't accept some items. If we're left with these items, we have to pay to get them taken away... money we would rather put towards helping pets and their people!

We know all donations are made in the hope of helping, so we know you will want to help us (and the planet!) by reusing these items in different ways.

Donations we can't accept...	...and how you can reuse them!
 <p>Clothes hangers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Return wire hangers to dry cleaners</li> <li>Return hangers to the store they come from</li> <li>Share on giveaway sites like Freegle, Freecycle or Olio</li> <li>Dispose of at your local Refuse and Recycling Centre</li> </ul>
 <p>Non-working small electrical items</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Repair at a local repair café <a href="http://therestartproject.org/parties/">therestartproject.org/parties/</a></li> <li>Recycle at John Lewis and Currys (no new purchase needed)</li> <li>Dispose of at your local Refuse and Recycling Centre</li> </ul>
 <p>White goods</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Share on giveaway sites like Freegle, Freecycle or Olio</li> <li>Book a bulky waste or fridge freezer collection from your local council</li> </ul>

Donations we can't accept...	...and how you can reuse them!
 <p>Duvets and pillows</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recycle at select Dunelm stores <a href="http://dunelm.com">dunelm.com</a> (bed linen and textiles are accepted at these stores too)</li> <li>Share on giveaway sites like Freegle, Freecycle or Olio</li> <li>Use filling for crafting projects, you could even use it as padding for your dog's bed!</li> </ul>
 <p>Bikes</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Repair at a local repair café <a href="http://therestartproject.org/parties/">therestartproject.org/parties/</a></li> <li>Donate to <a href="http://thebikeproject.co.uk">thebikeproject.co.uk</a></li> <li>Dispose of at your local Refuse and Recycling Centre</li> </ul>
 <p>Large furniture</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Donate to British Heart Foundation <a href="http://bhf.org.uk">bhf.org.uk</a> (free collection)</li> <li>Share on giveaway sites like Freegle, Freecycle or Olio</li> <li>Book a bulky waste collection from your local council</li> <li>Ask shop assistants about take-back schemes when buying large furniture</li> </ul>
 <p>Car seats, booster seats, cycle helmets</p>	<p>Dispose of at your local Refuse and Recycling Centre</p>

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 <p>Mattresses</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Donate to British Heart Foundation <a href="http://bhf.org.uk">bhf.org.uk</a> (free collection)</li> <li>Share on giveaway sites like Freegle, Freecycle or Olio</li> <li>Ask shop assistants about take-back schemes when buying a new mattress</li> <li>Book a bulky waste collection from your local council</li> </ul>
 <p>Broken toys and baby equipment</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Repair at a local repair café <a href="http://therestartproject.org/parties/">therestartproject.org/parties/</a></li> <li>Dispose of at your local Refuse and Recycling Centre</li> </ul>
 <p>Prescription glasses</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recycle glasses and sunglasses at <a href="http://specsavers.co.uk">specsavers.co.uk</a></li> <li>Post glasses, sunglasses, goggles to <a href="http://recycline.co.uk">recycline.co.uk</a></li> </ul>
 <p>Damaged ceramics, glass vases</p>	<p>Repair at a local repair café <a href="http://therestartproject.org/parties/">therestartproject.org/parties/</a></p>
 <p>Paint pots, gas cannisters, fire extinguishers</p>	<p>Dispose of at your local Refuse and Recycling Centre</p>