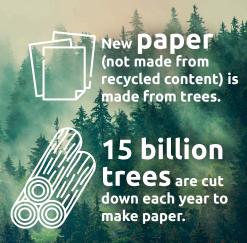
the average family creates over 1,600 kg of household waste every year

365kg per family is sent to landfill in the UK every year

768kg per family gets recycled in the UK every year

467kg per family is treated / incinerated / used for back filling e.g. road bases every year



We need trees to absorb carbon dioxide and produce the oxygen we need.



Glass and metal are made from natural materials.



Both take a lot of energy to make into packaging.

Your Packaging: Make good choices now!

At current rate, landfill will be full by 2030



Only
10 - 30%
of packaging sold
contains recycled
materials.

Plastic is generally made from fossil fuels – crude oil, which take millions of years to form. If we carry on using new plastics at the same rate, we will run out of crude oil in 40–50 years



Recycling doesn't solve all problems, but it really does help



Recycle as much as possible from the kitchen, bathroom, snacks and drinks.



Some scientists have estimated that the average person might eat





We are running out of natural resources to make new packaging and damaging our environment by littering.

Help to protect our planet, we can all make a difference.