

# Questions?

Visit **Saskatoon.ca** and click on "C" for Curbside Swap or contact your Community Association.

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## FAQs

### What if there isn't a swap in my neighbourhood?

Even if there isn't a swap happening in your neighbourhood you can pick up items from participating neighbourhoods. You can also contact your Community Association to see if it may be possible to host a swap in the future.

### Wondering what to do with items not collected during the swap?

- Give them to a charity or local thrift store
- Post them on a free classifieds website, such as Kijiji
- Visit the Saskatchewan Waste Reduction Council's recycling database to find out if your unwanted items can be recycled.
- Drop your items off at the landfill. Entry and disposal charges apply.

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# Get ready to swap, Saskatoon!

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## What is Curbside Swap?

Do you have any unwanted but usable items lying around your house? Swap them! Various neighbourhoods across Saskatoon will be hosting Curbside Swaps this summer and fall, which allow residents to give away unwanted items and also find new treasures! On your neighbourhood's designated Curbside Swap date, simply mark items you wish to give away as "FREE" and set them out on your curb for others to collect and/or hit the streets and pick up items from your neighbours' curbs. Curbside Swaps help us to reuse items that are in good condition, which keeps them out of our landfill and reduces our community's environmental footprint.

## How it works

Starting at 9:00 a.m. on the swap date, place your unwanted items out on your curb, making sure they're clearly marked as "FREE." After that, all swap items are up for grabs for neighbours and other Saskatoon residents. The swap ends by 6:00 p.m. when it's time to return any unclaimed items back into your home.

## What items can be swapped?

### ACCEPTABLE ITEMS:

- Appliances
- Bicycles
- Tools
- Furniture
- Books/movies/CDs/DVDs
- Kitchen utensils
- Building material
- Computers and electronics
- Yard and garden equipment
- Clothes
- Usable paint
- Sporting goods
- Musical instruments
- Plants, potted trees, etc.
- Other durable goods

### UNACCEPTABLE ITEMS:

- Garbage or recyclables
- Chemicals of any kind
- Weapons of any kind
- Food items
- Mattresses
- Dangerous/illegal items
- Car/booster seats
- Baby gates and walkers
- Cribs/cradles

For more information on unacceptable items visit the Consumer Products Safety Bureau website.

## Guidelines



Clearly mark all items that you wish to swap as "FREE" and remove any items you wish to keep from your lawn and curb



Do not block roads/sidewalks with items



Obey all traffic laws and watch for children



Do not drive/walk on other people's lawns



Do not discard items on someone else's lawn/curb