

A quick check goes a long way



Before you donate your pre-loved items, please take a moment to read our handy guide about the items we can accept.

Men's, women's and children's clothing, shoes and accessories:

- Clean and undamaged – no stains or tears
- No branded uniforms



Children's toys and nursery furniture:

- Clean, undamaged and CE marked
- Complete with all pieces intact



Household items, electricals, furniture, fabrics, china and pottery:

- Small electricals in good working order, ideally in their original packaging
- Carefully wrapped fragile items
- Clean and undamaged linen, curtains and blankets
- All upholstered items must have a fire safety label attached. (Pre-1950's upholstered furniture is exempt and may be donated). Items must also be free from rips and tears that expose the inner fabric, as this means it will no longer meet fire safety standards.



Books and media:

- Books of all genres – undamaged, pages intact
- Comics
- CDs and DVDs
- Vinyl records



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How your donation makes a difference



Donations are dropped off

You can drop off your donations at your local Acorns charity shop.

Please refer to the donation guide on the front of this flyer, or visit acorns.org.uk/donations for details on what we can accept.



Donations are sorted

Every donation is carefully sorted by our amazing team of staff and volunteers.

Please remember, items unsuitable for sale may cost us money to dispose of.



Donations are sold

Good quality donations are then sold in our charity shops.

Items that have seen light use (such as missing buttons or small holes) can still be sold in our *Not New, Not Perfect* range.



Hospice funding

The funds raised in our charity shops help provide vital care and support for local children with short lives and their families.

Thank you for helping us make the most of every donation, raise vital funds for care and reduce waste.