

LITTLE IDEAS TO SOLVE A BIG PROBLEM

IN THE BATHROOM

Use a bin – keep it next to the loo, so nobody's tempted to flush rubbish.

Wipes and cotton wool – chuck them in the bin along with floss and cotton buds.

Sanitary products – use bags for discreet disposal in the bin. **Then...** put all of these in your black bin bags.

IN THE KITCHEN

Food scraps and grease – put food scraps and small amounts of cooled solidified fat in the food waste caddy.

Use sink strainers – they'll catch all the tiny bits of food that could clog your pipes. Empty them into the food waste caddy or bin when they get full.

Clear used oil – wait until it has cooled, put in a sealed plastic bottle and take to the Household Waste Recycling Centre for recycling.

GET HELP AND IDEAS TO KEEP YOUR PIPES CLEAR

Learn more and get a free sink strainer at keep-it-clear.co.uk

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PLUGHOLES AND
TOILET BOWLS
ARE FOR WATER,
NOT WASTE



HELP STOP
BLOCKAGES AND
SMELLS WHERE
YOU LIVE

 KEEP IT CLEAR

SOME SIMPLE RULES FOR YOUR SINKS AND LOOS

When you put things like food, fat and sanitary products down the drain, they don't disappear. They all meet up in the sewer, get stuck together and cause blockages.

From wipes to paper towels, vegetable peelings, rice and pasta to cooking fat, at any one time there are **1,000s OF TONNES** of waste clogging the sewers under Southend-on-Sea.

Avoiding blocked pipes and bad smells is easy!

Avoid a sink - put only water down the sink
Used water is the only thing that should go down your plughole!



Avoid blocked pipes - bin pads, tampons and wipes
Use your black bags for sanitary waste and only ever flush wee, poo and toilet paper.



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