

Scrapstores are a fantastic resource for materials for creative training activities. They are generally run by charities that collect safe waste from business which can re-used as a low cost creative resource by their members. Clean reusable scrap materials (which are hard to recycle so would otherwise be landfilled) are collected from businesses and sold at really affordable rates to community groups, schools, and individual members.

Scrapstores are an amazing source of all sorts of creative materials such as foam, plastic pots and tubs, netting, fabric, books, CDs, cardboard tubes, sheets of die cut plastic, containers, offcuts of paper, card and textiles, paint, canvas, posters, wallpaper, string, ribbon and all manner of useful bits and pieces—perfect for helping people to learn through creative activities.

Scrapstores give you the chance to support a local charity resource and help to re-use waste while accessing materials for creative activities at a fraction of the price you could find them anywhere else. There are around a hundred independent scrapstores across the UK.

To find your local scrapstore visit the Scrapstore Directory at

<https://www.reusefuluk.org/scrapstore-locations>

