

# Cheap and Free Second-hand Furniture and Other Household Goods

## Shops:

### Harpenden Reuse Shop

Monday to Wednesday: 10am-6pm, Saturday and Sunday: 10am-6pm. Closed Thursday/Friday

Address Off Dark Lane, Harpenden, United Kingdom, AL5 1QB

Phone 01992 588752

<https://www.facebook.com/HarpendenReuseShop>

HCC – used furniture, electricals

### Emmaus St Albans store

Monday - Saturday 9:00 - 17:00

Address: Crosby Close, St Albans, AL4 0AT

Phone: 01727 817 297

Do electricals (not gas), delivery charges according to postcode

### FReSch

Furniture Recycling Scheme for Hertfordshire

Address: 26-28 Hyde Way, Welwyn Garden City, AL7 3UQ 01707 395635

50% discount to local charities or to people in receipt of means tested benefits. Take proof of benefits and address and they will try to help.

### DEBRA Charity Furniture & Electrical Watford

Address: 49 Queen's Rd, Watford WD17 2QN

Phone: 01923 804241

Do furniture, small electricals but not white goods. Now do clothes for all ages and other bric-a-brac. No discounts. £30 minimum delivery charge but as many items as you want.

### Nine Lives

Address: 25 Wharf Lane, Rickmansworth WD3 1HA, UK

Phone: 01923 718666

Those on means tested benefits may qualify for 50% discount on furniture only

### Trust Furniture Recycling

Address: 67 - 69 Station Rd, Letchworth Garden City SG6

3BJ Phone: 07910 458662

### Garden House Hospice Care Shop (29/6/22 no answer when checking shop details)

Address: 11A Eastcheap, Letchworth Garden City SG6 3DA

Phone: 01462 484645

### British Heart Foundation Watford Shop

Address: 51 High St, Watford WD17 1LJ

Phone: 01923 800868 for clothing;

01923 701900 for furniture & electricals

### British Heart Foundation Hemel Hempstead Furniture & Electrical Store

Address: 147b The Marlowes, Hemel Hempstead, UK, HP1 1BB

Phone: 01442 330670

29/6/22 Need to book collection online

**Alternatives Watford Shop** <https://www.alternativeswatford.co.uk/shop>

Address: 15 Clarendon Road, Watford, WD17 1JR

Phone: 01923 232179

Good quality second hand clothes, equipment, toys and books for babies and children aged 0-5 years and for mums-to-be.

**Alternatives Hemel Hempstead Shop** <https://www.alternativeswatford.co.uk/hemel-hempstead>

Address: Unit 3, 160 Marlowes, Hemel Hempstead, Herts, HP1 1BA

Phone: 01442 264 222

Good quality second hand clothes, equipment, toys and books for babies and children aged 0-5 years and for mums-to-be.

## Online:

**FreeCycle** - <https://groups.freecycle.org/group/StAlbansUK/posts/all> - All free items. Search without joining. Sign up to respond to posts

**Freegle** - <https://www.ilovefreegle.org/> Similar to Freecycle

**Gumtree** - <https://www.gumtree.com/for-sale/st-albans> - Some free items, search and respond without joining up

**Ebay** - <https://www.ebay.co.uk/> Search without joining

**Emmaus e-bay** - <https://www.ebay.co.uk/str/emmaushertfordshire>

**Reuse** - <https://reuse-network.org.uk/>

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**Facebook group – St Albans Reuse Project** – Closed group, request to join (15,000+ members in Jun 22)  
**St Albans Carpets and Flooring Reuse** – Closed group, request to join

## Charities / Grants:

**Action for Homeless** - <https://www.actionforhomeless.co.uk/> - help people who have been homeless. Can provide furniture and white goods (also offer food at the weekend and hand out clean clothes and underwear).