

Spring Cleaning Checklist

KITCHEN

- Organize drawers and cabinets
 - Utensils
 - Tupperware
 - Small appliances
 - Miscellaneous
- Deep clean stovetop and oven
- Clean out and sanitize fridge shelves
- Organize pantry and throw out expired goods
- Use empty pantry boxes to store smaller items
- Dust high or hidden surfaces
- Wipe down backsplash

LIVING ROOM

- Wipe off remotes
- Dust television
- Wipe down surfaces
- Wash curtains or dust off window shades
- Dust ceiling fans (dust buildup is actually the most common cause of noisy fans)
- Vacuum under furniture

DINING ROOM

- Deep clean rugs
- Deep clean upholstered chairs
- Wipe off light fixtures
- Dust furniture
- Switch out table centerpiece (optional)

BEDROOMS

- Organize clothing in dressers and closets
- Declutter by putting everything away
- Throw away or donate items you no longer need or want
- Vacuum under beds and furniture
- Wash curtains or wipe down shutters
- Wash bedding, including comforters and duvet covers
- Add storage if necessary

BATHROOM

- Sanitize and clean toilets
- Wipe down surfaces and sinks
- Unclog sinks
- Deep clean showers
- Organize cabinets
- Throw away old items you no longer use
- Mop floors
- Wipe down mirrors
- Switch out toothbrushes

TOYS

- Sanitize and clean plastic toys
- Wipe down book covers
- Wash stuffed animals
- Put away some toys and bring out new ones
- Store old or unused toys to donate or use for siblings
- Toss broken toys or miscellaneous parts

OFFICE

- Shred old paperwork
- Put important paperwork in locked cabinet or safe
- Designate a spot for the mail
- Organize and file away paperwork you've accumulated the past year

WHOLE HOUSE

- Wash windows and screens (interior and exterior)
- Wipe down baseboards (use a Magic Eraser for stubborn scuffs)
- Refresh bookshelves, centerpieces and other decor (tips on styling shelves, here)
- Use baskets to add storage to bedrooms and living

FRONT PORCH

- Throw away dead plants
- Plant new flowers
- Freshen outside decor with new pillows