

SPRING CLEANING CHECKLIST

Be sure to finish your spring cleaning, inside and out, before the lazy days of summer hit. Follow our easy checklists below.



INDOOR CHECKLIST

KITCHEN

- Clean out fridge & freezer
- Organize cupboards & pantry
- Deep clean appliances
- Sharpen knives

BEDROOMS

- Sweep & vacuum
- Wipe down furniture
- Go through closets
- Flip mattresses
- Launder bedding

LIVING AREAS

- Check smoke detectors
- Dust & wipe down the area
- Deep clean furniture
- Move furniture & sweep/vacuum
- Launder curtains
- Clean fireplace

BATHROOM

- Deep clean toilet & shower/tub
- Sweep & wipe down
- Clean exhaust fan
- Get rid of old products

GARAGE

- Organize
- Get rid of wanted items
- Sweep & degrease floor
- Inspect garage door

BASEMENT

- Organize
- Get rid of unwanted items
- Check for mold/mildew
- Vacuum & wash vents

OUTDOOR CHECKLIST

DECK

- Check for rotting wood
- Sweep
- Scrub or powerwash
- Stain

WINDOWS

- Wash
- Brush & wipe down screens
- Remove storm windows
- Inspect for chips or cracks
- Make sure they are secure

OUTDOOR SURFACES

- Powerwash siding
- Clean gutters
- Remove sticks/debris
- Replace rock/mulch
- Check driveway for cracks
- Service the lawnmower

GRILL

- Check all functions
- Wipe down/scrub
- Replace propane tank
- Cover

LIGHTING

- Clean fixtures
- Replace bulbs
- Make sure they work properly

TREES

- Trim low-hanging branches
- Check for rotting
- Remove large limbs that could cause damage to your home

You've purged and cleared the clutter—inside and out. What to do with all that stuff you've bagged up or set aside to get rid of? Besides the local donation stand-bys, try apps like [NextDoor](#) or [Freecycle](#) to donate usable items to folks in your neighborhood.

