

SPRING CLEANING CHECKLIST

The Ultimate Guide to a Tidier Home

- Get Organized** Eliminate clutter in each room before cleaning. Sort into piles for donation, garage sale, and garbage.
- Wash Windows** Wash windows with water and a microfiber cloth on a cloudy day to avoid streaks.
- Clean Sliding Door Tracks** Scrub sliding door tracks with a toothbrush, and vacuum any debris. Rinse with a wet sponge.
- Clean Overlooked Surfaces** Wash baseboards, door frames, and walls with warm, soapy water.
- Deep-Clean Carpets** Hire a professional carpet cleaner or rent a deep cleaner to wash carpets annually.
- Clean Under Large Items** Lift furniture and roll up area rugs before vacuuming floors. Additionally, vacuum behind kitchen appliances.
- Refresh Furniture** Polish wood furniture and restore smooth leather with an upholstery cleaner.
- Dust Light Fixtures** Use a microfiber cloth to dust fixtures and bulbs. For ceiling fans, use an extendable duster.
- Transition Wardrobe** Check the batteries in your smoke and carbon monoxide detectors. Purchase a fire extinguisher if you don't have one.
- Clean Window Treatments** Vacuum curtains and draperies with an upholstery attachment.

ROOM-BY-ROOM CHECKLIST

Exterior

- Touch-Up Paint**
- Power Wash**
- Clean Gutters**
- Wash Outdoor Furniture**
- Store and Repair Tools**

Bedroom

- Flip Mattress**
- Wash Linens**
- Clean Area Rugs**
- Wash Pillows**

Bathroom

- Toss Old Products**
- Replace Mat or Liner**
- Wash Shower Curtain**

Kitchen

- Declutter Pantry**
- Clean Cabinets and Drawer**
- Donate Small Appliances**
- Toss Expired Items**
- Clean Fridge**
- Vacuum Under Appliances**