

The Ultimate Moving Guide Checklist



8 Weeks Before you move

- Create a Moving Binder or Digital Folder
- Print Your Moving Checklist & Add It to Your Binder
- Organize Documents & Determine Additional Binder Sections
- Create Your To-Do & Appointment List
- Identify What Kind of Move You're Doing & Establish a Budget
- Start Researching Moving Companies & Obtaining Quotes
- Create a Room-by-Room Inventory & Identify Items that Require Special Care
- Start Packing Your First Box
- Back-Up Your Files
- Sell or Donate Unwanted Items
- Request Time Off from Work
- Do a Deep Clean
- Communicate with Your Landlord (if necessary)

6 Weeks Before you move

- Continue Researching Moving Companies
- Begin Collecting Moving Boxes
- Implement an Effective Box Labeling System
- Photograph Valuables & Wiring Setups
- Address Any Minor Repairs
- Secure a Storage Unit (if necessary)

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4 Weeks Before you move

- Confirm Your Moving Company Choice
- Secure Moving Insurance
- Arrange Travel Plans & Route
- Purchase Packing Supplies
- Visualize Your New Home
- Tune Up Your Vehicle
- Coordinate Services for Your New Home
- Refill Your Prescriptions

2 Weeks Before you move

- Address Change & Mail Forwarding
- Manage Memberships & Subscriptions
- Confirm Moving Dates
- Commence Packing
- Find New Healthcare Providers
- Plan for Meals
- Arrange a Moving Party & Child/Pet Care
- Update License & Insurance
- Transfer Prescriptions

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1 Week Before you move

- Disassemble Large Furniture
- Begin Cleaning
- Finish All Packing Before Moving Day
- Gather Keys & Garage Door Openers
- Schedule Your Final Walk-Through
- Prepare a 24-Hour Moving Kit
- Document Your Empty Home
- Withdrawal Cash
- Clean Your New Home
- Plan Your Unpacking Process

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Moving Day

- Rise & Shine
- Clear a Path
- Verify Paperwork
- Be Present During Loading
- Sign the Movers' Inventory List
- Perform Your Final Walk-Through
- Tip Your Movers
- Unpack the Essentials

1 Day After You Move

- Go Grocery Shopping
- Set Up Bedrooms & Bathroom
- Change Your Locks
- Check Your Utilities
- Familiarize Yourself with HOA Policies
- Greet Your New Neighbors
- Plan a Housewarming Party
- Leave a Moving Review

2 Weeks After you move

- Finish Unpacking
- Create Spare Keys
- Check the Status of Your Security Deposit
- Send Thank You Notes
- Schedule a Vet Visit for Your Pet
- Preserve Your Moving Binder
- Host a Housewarming Party
- Sit Back & Relax

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