

Spring Cleaning Checklist

Giving your home a spring clean is the perfect opportunity to freshen it up and get rid of clutter. It's so easy to forget the little things – that's why we've made a spring cleaning checklist.

YOU WILL NEED:

- ✓ Broom
- ✓ Duster
- ✓ Scrubbing brush
- ✓ All-purpose cleaner
- ✓ Window cleaner
- ✓ Bucket
- ✓ Cloths/sponges
- ✓ Hoover
- ✓ Mop

Print it out and stick it on the fridge!

Hallway

- Dust ceiling corners, vent and curtains
- Wipe down skirting boards
- Vacuum and sweep
- Bang out welcome mat

Bathrooms

- Dust ceiling, corners and vent
- Clean windows and dust blinds
- Replace toilet brush
- Clean out bin
- Deep clean toilet, bath/shower and sink
- Shine/clean taps
- Wash and polish mirrors
- Clean out bathroom cabinet/drawers
- Mop floor

Kitchen

- Clean out fridge
- Clean out cutlery draw, clean and dry
- Wipe down cabinets, top of the fridge and light switches
- Deep clean freezer
- Deep clean microwave
- Deep clean bin
- Deep clean oven and stove
- Run dishwasher on an empty cycle
- Wipe down walls, especially near the bin
- Clean/shine sink
- Mop floor

Living room

- Dust ceiling, corners, vent and curtain rod
- Hoover curtains and dust blinds/window sill
- Wipe down ceiling/walls and light switches
- Move furniture to hoover underneath
- Clean windows
- Wipe down skirting boards
- Wash throws and rugs

Bedrooms

- Organise drawers
- Dust ceiling corners, vent, curtains
- Hoover curtain and dust blinds/window sill
- Wipe down ceilings/walls, doors and light switches
- Move furniture to hoover behind
- Flip/rotate mattress
- Clean windows
- Wipe down skirting boards
- Wash bed linens and throws
- Tidy and organise wardrobe

TIP: If your bin smells a bit whiffy dust half a cup of baking powder into the inside and fill it up with water. Once you rinse the smell should be gone!

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TIP: Squirt a pea sized amount of toothpaste onto an old toothbrush and use it to cover the taps. Leave it to get to work for 5 minutes and then use the toothbrush to scrub it off.

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TIP: Get rid of soap scum from bathroom tiles by mixing 1 part salt to 4 parts vinegar – use the solution to scrub between the tiles and then wipe clean.

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TIP: Put a lemon in a bowl of water in your microwave and put it on for 30 seconds. It will be super easy to get the grease off your microwave and it will smell lemon fresh.

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