



# MOVING CHECKLIST

MOVE DATE \_\_\_\_\_

<b>Pre-Move Planning</b> (8-12 Weeks Before Moving)	✓
<b>Notifications and Documentation</b>	
Notify your landlord or real estate agent.	
Request time off work for moving day.	
Obtain medical, school, and veterinary records.	
Transfer or cancel memberships and subscriptions.	
<b>Organize and Declutter</b>	
Start sorting and decluttering your belongings.	
Hold a garage sale or donate items you don't need.	
Begin using up perishable food and cleaning supplies.	

<b>Preparing for the Move</b> (4-6 Weeks Before Moving)	✓
<b>Packing Supplies</b>	
Gather packing supplies: boxes, tape, bubble wrap, markers, etc.	
Create a labeling system for boxes.	
<b>Packing Strategy</b>	
Pack non-essential items first.	
Label boxes by room and contents.	
Create an inventory list of packed items.	
Separate valuable and important items to move personally.	
<b>Notify Services and Utilities</b>	
Schedule disconnection of utilities (electricity, water, gas, internet).	
Arrange connection of utilities at your new home.	
Notify post office of address change.	
Update address for banks, credit cards, insurance, and other services.	



<b>Final Preparations</b> (2-3 Weeks Before Moving)	✓
<b>Final Packing</b>	
Pack remaining items, leaving out essentials for the last few days.	
Clearly label boxes with fragile items.	
Prepare a box of essential items for the first few days (toiletries, clothes, basic kitchen items).	
<b>Home Maintenance</b>	
Clean the house thoroughly or hire a cleaning service.	
Complete any minor repairs.	
Arrange for carpet cleaning if necessary.	
<b>Prepare Your New Home</b>	
Ensure utilities are connected.	
Clean the new home before moving in.	
Plan the layout of your furniture in the new home.	

<b>Moving Week</b> (1 Week Before Moving)	✓
<b>Confirm Arrangements</b>	
Confirm details with the moving company.	
Verify time and date of move with helpers.	
Ensure all paperwork is in order.	
<b>Pack Essentials</b>	
Pack a suitcase with clothes and essentials for each family member.	
Prepare a folder with important documents and keep it handy.	
<b>Final Checks</b>	
Defrost and clean the refrigerator.	
Dispose of any hazardous materials properly.	
Return any borrowed items (library books, rented equipment, etc.).	



<b>Moving Day</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Supervise the Move</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Be present when the movers arrive.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Do a final walk-through of the house to ensure nothing is left behind.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Inventory Check</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Check the inventory list as items are loaded.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Ensure valuables and essential items are secure and with you.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Provide movers with specific instructions as needed.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Post-Move Tasks (After Moving In)</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Unpack Essentials First</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Start with the essentials box.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Set up beds and basic kitchen items.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Organize one room at a time.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Administrative Tasks</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Update your address with the DMV, IRS, and other important entities.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Register your vehicle if moving to a new state.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Settle In</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Explore your new neighborhood.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Find local services (grocery stores, healthcare, schools).	<input type="checkbox"/>

<b>Follow-Up</b>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
<b>Moving Company Review</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Review the service provided by the moving company.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Keep receipts and documentation for tax purposes.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Home Maintenance and Improvements</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Make a list of any immediate repairs or improvements needed.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Set up a maintenance schedule for your new home.	<input type="checkbox"/>
<b>Enjoy Your New Home</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Take the time to personalize and decorate your new space.	<input type="checkbox"/>
Host a housewarming party once you're settled in.	<input type="checkbox"/>