

SPRING CLEANING



DIRECTIONS: The weather has warmed up and it is time for spring cleaning! Below is a checklist of over 40 kid-friendly tasks to help get your home refreshed.

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| Entry | Living Room/Family Room |
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| Empty out coat closet: take out | Vacuum sofas. Play leap frog on pillows. |
| seasonal items. Donate unneeded items. | Launder throw pillows and blankets. |
| Kitchen | Clean lamps and lampshades. |
| For each cabinet or drawer: remove items, wipe out drawer, place items back neatly. Donate unneeded items. | Sort through books, magazines, and media. Donate unneeded items. |
| Check food expiration dates. | Wash hard toys with warm soapy water. Rinse and dry. |
| Clean and organize pantry. Empty, clean, and organize fridge. | Launder stuffed toys. Donate the toys you have outgrown. |
| Shake crumbs out of the toaster. | Bedrooms |
| ☐ Wipe down any other counter appliances. ☐ Wash counters and back splash. ☐ Clean sink. | For each drawer: remove items and wash drawer. Replace items neatly. Donate clothing that you have outgrown. |
| Shine sink faucet. | Move bed. Sort and put away anything that was under bed—oh the treasures! |
| Wash cabinet doors and knobs. | Sweep or vacuum under the bed. |
| Bathrooms | Sprinkle mattress with baking soda, let it sit briefly. Vacuum it up. |
| Wash outside of cabinets and vanities. | Launder bedding, pillows, and duvet |
| ☐ Clean sink. ☐ Shine faucets. | Garage |
| | Sweep garage |
| Dining Room Wipe down table and chairs. | Sort through toys and sports gear. Donate the toys you have outgrown. |
| Pick spring flowers to display in a vase on the table. | All rooms |
| Laundry Room Wash laundry sink. Shine faucet. Wash lint trap with soap and water, let air dry thoroughly. | Open windows. Dust shelves, furniture, and decor. Sweep, scrub or vacuum floors. Wash curtains. Wash door knobs. Wash switch plates. Wash wall trim. Wash windows and window sills. |