

DE-CLUTTERING BEFORE MOVING

What to toss, donate,
or recycle:



Kid's room:

- Broken or rarely used toys
- Games/puzzles with many missing pieces
- Books and movies they've outgrown
- Clothes they've outgrown

TECH TIP:

Take photos of art the kids have made over the years and only keep a few of the original pieces

Bedroom:

- Tattered sheet sets and blankets
- Funky pillows
- Clothes that you haven't worn/don't fit
- Socks/shoes missing their pair

Kitchen

- All expired food, condiments, and cleaning supplies
- Extra sets of plastic cups, dishware, silverware and cooking utensils

Office:

- Scan documents and receipts onto your computer
- Books you will never read again

TECH TIP:

Instruction manuals for all of your devices and appliances can usually be found online, so recycle the hard copies

Living room:

- DVD and CD cases – put the discs in a binder
- Go through your knick-knacks and collections – Keep only your favorites
- Cut down on framed family photos by scanning them into your computer

TECH TIP:

Make a digital copy of all of your CDs and DVDs and then donate them

Bathroom:

- Old towels, bathmats, and shower curtains
- Expired medicines, products, toiletries, makeup, and cleaning supplies
- Green Tip: Use old towels as cleaning rags

Garage:

- Broken or rarely used tools
- Outdated or weathered holiday decorations
- Items you've inherited, but haven't used
- Broken or rarely used sports equipment
- Old pet toys

