

Spring Cleaning Checklist

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 declutter each room and deep clean carpets, baseboards, vents, appliances, and ceiling fans
 rotate seasonal clothing and donate unused items
 wash bedding and replace heavy blankets with cooling linens
 vacuum/flip mattresses
 wash interior/exterior windows and reinstall screens
 replace HVAC filters and test air conditioning – schedule an inspection or maintenance, if neede
 change smoke detector batteries
 adjust ceiling fans to rotate counterclockwise
 inspect for leaks, cracks, water damage, or missing shingles
 inspect for signs of pests and spray for rodents/insects as needed
 clean up debris in yard and landscaping – remove branches, leaves, and dead plants
 assess lawn needs such as fertilizer, weed management, reseeding bare patches, and aeration
 test lawn mower and garden equipment – schedule maintenance as needed
 trim trees and shrubs – except those which bloom on old wood
 plan and plant your garden, landscaping, and flower pots for the season
 add mulch to garden beds
 clean and arrange outdoor furniture and repair/replace as needed
 power wash decks, patios, walkways, siding, fences, outdoor rugs/mats, and garbage cans
 stain or seal decks and fences, if needed
 clean gutters/downspouts
 clean and organize garage and/or shed
 open pool – remove debris, clean, inspect/test equipment, test/balance the water
 deep clean the grill and refill propane or charcoal

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