



# FIRST APARTMENT CHECKLIST

## TO BUY LIST

- Mattress
- Bedroom furniture as needed
- Sheet set
- Duvet/comforter/quilt
- Pillows
- Coat hangers
- Laundry basket/bag
  
- Couch
- Coffee table
  
- Shower curtain & hooks
- Towels and facecloths
- Toilet paper
- Hand soap, shampoo, body wash
- Plunger
  
- Dishes & utensils
- Kettle
- Toaster
- Microwave
- Dish towels
- Dish gloves
- Dish soap
- Dish drying rack
- Food storage containers
- Ice cube trays
  
- Essential tools: screwdriver, hammer, pliers
- Batteries, surge protector bars
- Measuring tape
- Broom and dust pan
- Mop or Swiffer
- Multi-purpose cleaner
- Paper towel
- Garbage bags
- Sponges
- Toilet scrubber
  
- Band-aids
- Antibiotic ointment
- Advil/Tylenol
- Thermometer

## TO DO LIST

- Deep clean entire apartment before moving furniture in
- Schedule utilities if not included
- Get an extra set of keys
- Introduce yourself to close neighbours (can be intimidating, but you'll be glad you did!)
- Check smoke detectors
- Look up trash pickup days
- Research and book your movers (or, persuade loved ones with the promise of pizza and cold drinks)
- Book the elevator through the property manager if required
- Update your address with school/employer
- Update your address as needed for subscription services/with family and friends
- Get familiar with the area - find local grocers, restaurants to check out, etc.

## NOTES

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