



CUSTOMER MOVING AND PACKING CHECKLIST.





MOVE SMARTER WITH 87 MOVERS – PACKING CHECKLIST

A simple, customer-friendly guide you can actually use.

6–8 Weeks Before Your Move

- ☐ Walk through your home and declutter—donate, toss, or keep.
- ☐ Measure doorways, stairs, and rooms in your new place.
- ☐ Start a small “moving folder” on your phone or laptop.
- ☐ Take photos of valuables for your records.
- ☐ Begin gathering supplies.

4–6 Weeks Before Your Move

- ☐ Start packing the easy areas: guest rooms, seasonal items, décor, books.
- ☐ Make a simple inventory list.
- ☐ Notify schools and start updating your address where needed.
- ☐ Confirm utility transfers for both homes.

3-4 Weeks Before

- ☐ Pack living room décor, media, and non-essential electronics.
- ☐ Pack extra bedding, off-season clothing, and anything stored under beds.
- ☐ Start using up freezer and pantry items.
- ☐ Confirm utility transfers for both homes.

2 Weeks Before

- ☐ Pack kitchen items you won't need over the next two weeks.
- ☐ Wrap fragile items carefully (dishes, glasses, serving ware).
- ☐ Pack bathroom backups, decorative items, and non-essential office items.
- ☐ Back up important computer files.

1 Week Before

- ☐ Finish packing kitchen and bathroom items (leave just a few essentials).
- ☐ Pack garage, outdoor items, and tools.
- ☐ Prepare your "essentials" bag: chargers, toiletries, medications, 1-2 outfits, documents, laptop, snacks, and basic tools.
- ☐ Back up important computer files.

2-3 Days Before

- ☐ Pack the last items except your absolute daily essentials.
- ☐ Empty the fridge and freezer.
- ☐ Do laundry and take out trash.
- ☐ Set aside items that need special care so our movers can prep them properly.

Not comfortable packing TVs, artwork, mirrors, or other delicate pieces? Our team can step in with expert "last-mile" packing just for those items so you don't have to worry about how to protect them.

Moving Day

- ☐ Dress comfortably and keep your essentials bag with you.
- ☐ Do a final walkthrough: closets, cabinets, storage areas, garage, attic, and basement.
- ☐ Show the movers special-care items and the load/unload path.
- ☐ Before leaving, lock up, turn off lights, take photos, and leave keys as directed.



Helpful Extras from 87 Movers

Full Packing & Moving Support

Whether you need full-home packing or help with specific rooms, fragile items, or heavy furniture, 87 Movers has you covered. Our experienced team packs, lifts, and moves with precision, keeping your move organized, efficient, and stress-free.

FREE Moving Consultations

Not sure where to begin or which services fit your move best? One quick call with our team will help plan your move and create a clear, efficient strategy tailored to your needs.

Flexible Scheduling & Support

Moves rarely follow a perfect schedule. That's why 87 Movers offers flexible timing and clear communication before, during, and after your move. We work around your timeline to make sure everything arrives safely and right on time.

Customer Care You Can Count On

At 87 Movers, customer satisfaction comes first. We handle every move with professionalism, attention to detail, and respect for your belongings. From the first quote to the last item delivered, our goal is a smooth, reliable, and genuinely positive moving experience.



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Labeling System Guide

Color Code by Room

- Green = Kitchen
- Blue = Master Bedroom
- Red = Living Room
- Yellow = Kids' Rooms
- Purple = Bathroom
- Orange = Garage/Storage
- Pink = Office

Label Each Box With

- Room destination (in large letters)
- General contents
- Box number (for inventory)
- "FRAGILE" or "THIS SIDE UP" if needed



Pro Tip: Pack one "open-first" box per room. Mark it clearly so you're not hunting for basics on night one.

Symbol System

- ★ = Unpack first (priority)
- ☾ = Not urgent
- 🍷 = Fragile/Handle with care
- ↑↑ = This side up

Packing Tips to Remember

- ☀️ **Heavy items in small boxes** (books, tools, canned goods)
- ☀️ **Light items in large boxes** (linens, pillows, lampshades)
- ☀️ **Pack heavier items at bottom**, lighter on top
- ☀️ **No box over 50 pounds** (if you can't lift it comfortably, it's too heavy)
- ☀️ **Fill empty spaces** to prevent shifting
- ☀️ **Take photos of electronics** before disconnecting
- ☀️ **Pack plates vertically like** records with padding
- ☀️ **Use suitcases for heavy items** (they're designed for it!)
- ☀️ **Don't empty drawers with light items** (secure with stretch wrap)
- ☀️ **Keep cleaning supplies separate** for final clean

Notes

NEED HELP? **87 MOVERS** HAS YOU COVERED.

From expert guidance to hands-on moving support, we're here when you need us.

One conversation is all it takes to move forward with confidence.

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