## CHECKLIST

## MOVING HOME



## 4 WEEKS UNTIL MOVE

Boxes	Start collecting boxes and any packing materials
Make a date	☐ Confirm settlement date with your real estate agent
Book the move	☐ Hire a removalist, trailer or truck for your move-in date
Clean property	□ Book a cleaner
	□ Book a gardener
Start packing	☐ Items you don't use regularly
	☐ Items to sell
	☐ Items to donate
Make a list	Create an inventory of your items, especially fragile and anything that may need special handling
Storage	☐ Book storage facilities if necessary
3 WEEKS UNTIL MOVE  Change your Address	☐ Drivers Licence
Change your Address	
	☐ Medicare
	□ Bank
	□ Superannuation
	☐ Insurances (Car, Home, Heath, Life etc)
	Council
	☐ Toll Tags
	☐ Pet Microchip/Vet
	☐ Memberships
	You can use Australia Post's Mail Redirection service if you don't get a chance to update your addresses everywhere.
2 WEEKS UNTIL MOVE	
Disconnect your services	□ Electricity
	☐ Insurance
	☐ Telephone
	□ Gas
	□ Internet
	□ Pay TV

Arrange	☐ Babysitter for moving day for your child or pet on the day of your move
	☐ Rubbish pick up with the council
	☐ Parking permits with your new council
	☐ Settle any outstanding accounts
1 WEEK UNTIL MOVE	
Inspection	☐ Arrange a pre-settlement inspection of your new home
Rubbish	☐ Take any rubbish to your local tip or arrange a skip bin
	☐ Dispose of flammables
Return borrowed items	☐ Library books and DVDs
Clean out	☐ Fridge
Cancel or redirect	☐ Newspaper delivery
	☐ Groceries/meal home delivery services
Gather documents	Pack all important documents and valuables in one place to carry with you during the move
MOVING DAY	
Items you are moving yourself	☐ Medications
	☐ Important documents
	☐ Valuables
	☐ Phone charger
Final check	☐ Do a final check to make sure you have everything
Turn off	□ Gas
	□ Electricity
	□ Water
	☐ All switches
Return all keys to Real Estate	☐ House keys and spare copies
Leave a note	☐ With your forwarding address to the new occupants
Say goodbye	☐ To your neighbours
	☐ Local vendors

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