

First 30-Days Checklist

Five Things to Do After Moving Into Your New Home

Buying a home is definitely an exciting time! Once you've moved in, your mind might be filled with thoughts of fun tasks like buying new furniture or checking out your new neighborhood. But, be sure you add these important items to your list to make the transition into your home as safe and enjoyable as possible.

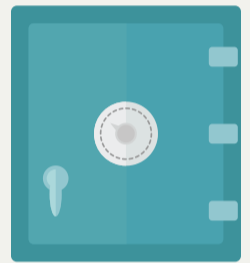
CHANGE THE LOCKS



Don't forget the garage, pool room and storage sheds. Make an extra copy of all keys and give them to a trusted neighbor or family in case of emergency. Remember to change garage and gate codes too!

STORE IMPORTANT DOCUMENTS

Ensure all important documents are in one location - a fireproof safe is ideal. Also, scan and store them in a secure place online as well.



PREPARE FOR EMERGENCIES

Create an emergency kit and make sure everyone knows where it's located. Also, create a plan with family so if there's an emergency everyone feels prepared.



MEET YOUR NEIGHBORS

Exchange numbers, ask them about local gems, offer to water their plants if they're away and ask them to keep an eye on your home if you go on vacation.



ADJUST THE TEMPERATURE

Check your hot water heater settings especially if you have small children. Consider adjusting to 120 degrees or lower to reduce the risk of accidental hot water burns.



We hope that this checklist removes stress from your move and replaces it with a sense of security and preparedness.

Now, it's time to have some fun in your new digs!

