

Premeditated Cleaning & Organizing

August Checklist

- Start switching out summer and winter clothes.
- Gather outgrown summer clothing/shoes, take to donation center.
- Clean out entry closet/mudroom closet.
- Pull out backpacks and lunchboxes, wash or sanitize if needed.
- Go through lunch box accessories, organize a spot for them.
- Create a lunch assembling spot that is easy for the kids to use.
- Clear a spot in the fridge for lunch items/after school snacks.
- Descale the coffee pot, wipe the outside down thoroughly.
- Dust off, reorganize small appliances like pressure cookers.
- Slide out appliances and sweep/mop underneath.
- Create a homework station.
- Organize and store school supplies for easy access.
- Reassess chores and schedules, grab new calendar if needed.
- Scrub kids bathroom top to bottom.
- Clean kids bathroom well, reorganize their personal items.
- Scrub and vacuum between/under cushions in living room.
- Wash throw rugs throughout the house in hot water.
- Change out AC filters, dust vents.
- Wipe down interior walls and doors to remove dirt and fingerprints.
- Gather outdoor cushions and other items to ready for storage.
- Sweep and wash off front entry, put away summer decor.
- Give interior of your car some attention, empty out the trunk.
- Wash the outside of the car, let the kids help.