

Moving House Checklist 2017

What to do when moving house	✓
Get quotes from removals companies. Try to choose one that is a member of the National Guild of Removers and Storers.	
Check the removal company's contract and your home insurance so you know what to do if your furniture gets damaged during the move.	
Make an inventory of all your belongings and share a copy with your removals company.	
Start packing! Make sure you label each box with its contents or the room it is destined for.	
Cancel deliveries and subscriptions, or contact Royal Mail to have your mail redirected.	
Request final bills for your broadband, TV and phone services.	
Notify your bank of any changes to outgoing payments.	
Take final readings of your utility meters including water, gas and electricity.	
Keep a box of essentials, like the kettle, tea/coffee, milk, toilet roll, washing up liquid, crockery and cutlery, bed linen and important documents.	
Turn off all appliances.	
Keep children and pets busy and safe with their favourite toys during the move, or ask a friend to look after them.	
Contact your estate agent to arrange a time to collect the keys for your new home.	
Take a final look around the property to be sure that you haven't forgotten anything!	



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Who to inform when moving house	✓
Services and utilities	
Gas	
Post Office	
TV licensing	
Water	
Electricity	
TV, phone and internet service providers	
Financial	
Local Council	
Your employer	
Inland revenue	
Credit card companies	
National savings and premium bonds	
Insurance providers	
Pension companies	
Solicitor	
Health	
Dentist	
Doctor	
Motoring	
Vehicle registration	
DVLA	
Vehicle insurance provider	
Others	
Friends and relatives	
Milk delivery	
Schools/colleges	
Subscriptions	
Sports clubs	



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