# THE PRODUCTIVE MOM

6 STRATEGIES TO GET ORGANIZED AND GET MORE DONE WITHOUT THE STRESS

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Use this simple checklist to help you know what to clean and when. It's broken down into daily, weekly, monthly, and yearly tasks.

#### Daily Tasks

- Wash dishes
- □ Clean up spills when they happen
- □ Wipe down kitchen counters
- □ Sweep high traffic areas
- Pick up things that are out of place
- □ Take out the garbage (as needed)
- Make the beds
- Do a load of laundry (or have a dedicated laundry day)
- □ Straighten out surfaces (like end tables)
- Organize mail



#### Weekly Tasks

- Dust
- Clean bathrooms
- Do laundry (unless you choose to do a little each day)
- Put away laundry
- Wash bedsheets
- Mop and vacuum
- □ Kitchen deep clean (including cleaning out old food from the refrigerator)
- **u** Cut the grass

#### Monthly Tasks

- Check smoke alarms
- Dust hard to reach places like ceiling fans
- □ Knock down cobwebs
- Organize kitchen cabinets
- □ Wash your bedding (like comforters and duvets)
- □ Wipe down inside and outside of the refrigerator
- Deep clean bathrooms
- □ Wash toys (when applicable)
- □ Wipe down windows (as needed)



#### Yearly or Seasonal Tasks

- Clean out closets (pass on clothes you don't wear, or kids have outgrown)
- □ Wash pillows and stuffed animals
- □ Vacuum mattresses
- □ Clear outside gutters
- □ Move furniture and clean under it

