



MOVING GUIDE AND CHECKLIST

The team at Two Men and a Truck know all about moving, below are some tips that we have put together that you might find useful when moving. If there is anything that you would like to know about moving you can always call one of our friendly operators.

Keep Contact Numbers Close by

Make a note of your booking number and have the Two Men and a Truck number with you in case you need to contact the office.

Keep linen and towels handy

Allocate one drawer of a dresser for sheets and towels so that you won't have to rummage through boxes for these essentials the first night in your new home.

Clean the fridge

After you've thoroughly cleaned and dried the inside of your refrigerator, put a handful of fresh coffee or baking soda in a sock or nylon stocking and place it inside to keep the inside of the fridge smelling good for your new house.

Pack Heavy – Pack Light

Pack heavy items in small boxes and lighter items in larger boxes. Remember that Two Men and a Truck have all packing materials available as well as a packing and unpacking service. We highly recommend that you pack as much as possible into boxes, this saves time and money for when moving day arrives. The more prepared you are the easier the move will be.

Give out your Number

Two Men and a Truck will confirm your move the day before, please make sure you give us a telephone number we can contact you on. It is also a good idea to provide an alternate contact in case you can't be reached.

Protect Your Memories

When packing framed photos or art, place sheets or blankets between them for added protection.

Know how to Pack Plates

Plates should be packed on end vertically, rather than placed flat and stacked.

Pack yourself a Care pack

Pack a box with these types of items and take with you in your car for easy access so that you don't have to worry going to the shop. Toilet paper, telephone and charger, toiletries, snacks, coffee/tea, kettle, soap, torch, screwdriver, pliers, can opener, paper plates, cups, utensils, a couple of pots and pans, canned soup and paper towels.

Remove Bulbs

Remove bulbs before packing your lamps to avoid any breakages.

Put the kids to work

Have children write their names and new address on the cartons from their rooms so they can become familiar with their new address.

Take care of your pets

Keep your pet calm and away from all the activity on moving day by arranging for a friend to watch him or her at their house.

Keep You Plants Safe

When moving plants to your new residence via your car, try not to let foliage rest against the windows, as the leaves will scorch.

Enjoy the Help

Leave the rest to Two Men and a Truck, sit back and relax, and look forward to the new opportunities, friends and experiences that are part of any move.

Two Men and a Truck TOP 15 Tips on Moving Day

1. Charge your mobile phone/s the night before and put the charger in the glove box of your car.
2. Confirm arrangements with the real estate to gain access to your new house. Or try and pick up the keys the day before.
3. Ensure that your solicitor can get hold of you by phone if you are waiting for settlement on your new house (we strongly advise to move the following day of settlement to avoid any extra stress)
4. Label all boxes and stick a fragile sticker on the boxes that require it and brief The Two Men and a Truck Removalists on fragile items.
5. As space becomes clear clean up as much as reasonably possible
6. Turn off hot water and electricity
7. After the house is cleared make detailed inspection all round
8. Read all meters water/gas/other and write down
9. Remove rubbish to tip/collection point (Two Men and a Truck can drop off rubbish at the tip for an extra charge if required)
10. Make sure your care pack is handy
11. Leave keys (labeled) where they can be found safely or drop into real estate
12. Leave house secure windows/doors/garage
13. Inspect the new house, seen for the first time without furniture, take photos of any damage that you did not notice before.
14. Label rooms to enable our removalists to put boxes in correct place
15. Drink plenty of water throughout the day to calm moving nerves and keep hydrated.