

THINGS TO DO

to prepare for your move into your new home

Tips to make your move as stress free as possible

- Investigate and research moving companies or truck rental companies.
- Compare quotes to ensure you get the best price.
- Once you have done that book early so not to be disappointed and miss the date that you require.
- Donate or throw away items that you don't need.
Don't move items that you don't love.
- Notify Canada Post of your address change.
- Inform the following companies of your new address.
 - Cable and phone providers.
 - Your insurance and utility company.
 - Doctor and dentist office.
 - Your banking provider.
 - Newspaper and magazine providers.
- Should you have children notify the school to arrange the transfer.
- Order boxes and moving supplies or speak to local shops to enquire about free boxes.
- Prepare a detailed map and directions for your movers including cell phone that you can be reached at if required.
- Make arrangements for the moving elevator for both move in/outs.
- Start packing early – pack items that will not be required. Label or number the boxes to make the unpacking easier.
- Make arrangements for the care of children and pets during the move.
- Keep toiletries and medication separate for easy access.
- Set aside any boxes/items that require special care and should be moved separately.
- Do a final check of residence to make sure you don't leave anything behind.
- Make sure you arrive at your new apartment before the moving company.
- Check with your apartment Manager to perform a walkthrough and receive your new suite keys.