The Ultimate Apartment Turnover Checklist

SMARTLAND®

Step 1: Trash Out	Step 2: Repair	
Identify any items left behind	Standard Turnover	
Identify any items left behind. Step 3: Paint Paint and prep the unit Paint and prep the unit.	Patch any holes in the wall. Look for any cracks or leaks (especially Confirm all appliances are working; if n Replace lighting (bulbs, not necessarily Tighten any lose hardware; replace any Repair any clogs or leaks in the plumbin Confirm smoke and CO detectors still v Replace the air filters. Be sure that there are no broken windo Conduct preventative pest control as a	not, repair as needed. If fixtures). Ithat is missing. Ing, (check kitchen and bath drains, toilets, and laundry.) Indicate the properties as needed. In succeeding the properties as needed. In succeeding the properties as needed.
Step 4: Deep Clean		
Living Room / Bedrooms	Laundry/Bathrooms	Kitchen
Light fixtures (inside, outside) Ceiling fans (top, bottom) Cobwebs (walls, ceiling, closets) Closet shelves/cabinets Trim (windows, doors, walls) Windows Blinds Doors/handles Baseboards Floor heaters (vacuum and clean covers) Light switches, thermostats Vacuum, wash carpets Wash floors	Light fixtures (inside, outside) Cobwebs (ceiling, walls, cabinets) Ceiling vents Windows/blinds Cabinets—interior (drawers and corners) Cabinets—exterior (check fronts, tops, sides) Mirror/medicine cabinet (clean interior and exterior, shelves) Countertops/sink (polish) Grout/mold Paper/towel hangers Doors, handles, plugs Floor heaters (vacuum, wash covers) Baseboards	Light fixtures (inside, outside) Cobwebs (ceiling, walls, cabinets) Ceiling fans (top, bottom) Windows (tracks, frames, glass) Blinds (dust, clean) Cabinets—inside, drawers Cabinets—outside (above, underneath, sides, front) Walls/plugs Countertops Sink/faucet (clean and polish) Disposal (confirm it works, clean) Doors/handles Sliding glass doors (both sides and tracks)
Basement	Floors/corners	Floor heaters (vacuum, clean covers)
Light fixtures (inside, outside) Cobwebs/dust Windows, doors, plugs Washer/dryer (see laundry above) Sink/faucet Sweep/vacuum all floors	Toilet (inside/around cover) Behind toilet (floor and baseboard) Shower track/frame Shower tub/walls Washing machine (soap compartment, inside rubber boot, around cover/door) Washing machine—exterior (leave door open) Dryer—exterior clean/check filter and lint trap	Baseboards—under cabinets (clean) Microwave—interior and door Microwave—exterior (top, underneath, handles) Stove hood (clean interior and exterior, underneath) Dishwasher—interior door (corners, ledges) Dishwasher—inside (walls, underneath, around filter)
Garage		Dishwasher—exterior Refrigerator—inside (drawers, shelves)
Light fixtures (inside, outside) Cobwebs Clean doors, knobs Clean trash receptacles (inside, outside) Sweep	Balcony Light fixtures (inside, outside) Sliding glass doors (clean inside/out, tracks) Cobwebs (doors, lights) Sweep	Refrigerator—exterior (top, sides, underneath) Wash floors

Step 5: Replace locks and keys

Prepare the unit

Replace locks and keys