



Your Kon Mari Pre Christmas Clear out Checklist! Remember to be ruthless, Spark Joy Check and follow this exact order. Tick off as you go!

1. **Clothes** – Top tip: Check which charities collect your unwanted items, saves so much time taking them there.
  - Tops and bottoms
  - Dresses
  - Socks and Underwear
  - Pyjamas
  - Jackets
  - Handbags
  - Belts and scarves
  - Shoes and boots
  - Jewelry
  - Costumes
  - Gym clothes and swimwear
  
2. **Books** – Top tip: Check what recipes are now online and make a **Pinterest** board or photocopies of your favourites and pass the **cookbook on**.
  - Cookbooks
  - General
  - Kids
  - Magazines
  - Textbooks
  - Phonebooks

**3. Papers** – Top tip - Create a pending folder for the future, somewhere you can leave any paperwork you need to deal with and then file it once you have.

- Receipts
- Bills
- Important documents
- Vouchers
- Instruction manuals
- Cards
- Wrapping paper
- Business cards
- Recipes

**4. Kimono (Miscellany)** – Top tip: Gather all similar items together from all over the house and sort in one go

- Electrical – Dvd's, Cd's, Video games, Cords, Remotes, Coins, Computers, batteries
- Kitchen – Food stuffs, bakeware, glassware, serveware, utensils, cookware
- Kids - Toys, Bath toys, Games and Puzzles
- Office – Pens, Craft supplies, Stationery
- Cleaning – Cleaning products, cloths, mops, brooms, rubber gloves
- Décor – Pictures, candles, cushions, throws, vases, lamps, furniture, sheets, bedding
- Garage – Tools, hardware, Gardening supplies
- Bathroom – Towels, washcloths, products, makeup, medicine, skincare, perfume and aftershave
- Attic – Anything that's left!

**5. Sentimental** – Top tip: Scan anything you can and back it up to a cloud

- Photos
- Journals and diaries
- Souvenirs
- Scrapbooks
- Personal letters
- Heirlooms
- Trophies

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