

6+ Months Before You Move

- Lock in your move date early. Schedule your move and services as soon as possible to ensure availability.
- Ask about packing and unpacking services to make moving easier.
- Consider storage for items you're not taking and keep them safe in our secure facility.
- Prepare a detailed inventory to support moving insurance and ensure peace of mind.
- Check passports to make sure all travel documents are valid and up to date.
- Start immigration or visa applications early to avoid delays.

2 - 3 Months Before You Move

- Arrange utilities at your new home and schedule the cancellation of accounts at your current home for the day after your move.
- If relocating to a new city, notify schools, physicians, dentists, veterinarians, and other relevant contacts.
- Begin sorting your belongings. Decide what to move, sell, or donate to charity.
- Gather sufficient cartons and packing materials. Ferguson can supply everything you need, and supplies can be ordered [here](#).
- Reserve an elevator in your building for moving day, if applicable.

1 Month Before You Move

- Begin packing your belongings. Ferguson can assist if needed.
- Return all borrowed items, such as library books, and check with dry cleaners, storage facilities, and repair shops for any remaining items, especially if relocating far away.
- Arrange for a babysitter or pet sitter on moving day.
- Schedule house cleaning to take place after you move out.

Final Week

- Back up your computer files before packing your computer systems.
- Clean out your refrigerator and defrost freezer.

Move Day

- Show the movers through your home, pointing out any items that require special care.
- Conduct a final walkthrough to check all cupboards, behind doors, storage areas, and the garage.

