THANKSGIVING CHECKLIST



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MENU PLANNING	- Decide on the Thanksgiving menu
	- Plan dishes that can be prepared ahead of time
	- Make a detailed shopping list for ingredients
GROCERY SHOPPING	- Purchase non-perishable items
	- Buy ingredients for make-ahead dishes
	- Get beverages, snacks, and paper goods
CLEANING	- Deep clean the house, especially common areas
	- Organize and declutter spaces
	- Clean and stock guest bathrooms
FOOD PREPARATION	- Start preparing dishes that can be made ahead
	- Begin thawing the turkey if frozen
	- Prep ingredients for main dishes and sides
TABLE SETTING	- Check tableware and utensils
	- Plan table decor and centerpieces
	- Ensure you have enough seating
GUEST ARRANGEMENTS	- Confirm the number of guests
	- Communicate dietary restrictions/preferences
	- Arrange sleeping arrangements for overnight guests
CLEANING	- Dust and tidy guest areas
	- Vacuum and mop floors
	- Touch up high-traffic areas
LAST-MINUTE PREP	- Double-check the menu and schedule
	- Set the table or arrange serving dishes
	- Charge camera/phone for capturing moments
RELAXATION	- Take a break and rest
	- Practice deep breathing or meditation
	- Express gratitude for your effort