my home inventory checklist

Unexpected things happen — and it's wise to be prepared just in case. Having an accurate record of your stuff on hand can make the claim process faster and easier in the event your home is damaged or destroyed. It's also a helpful way to gauge an adequate amount of protection on your homeowners policy.

Do you have a record of all your stuff?

Compiling an inventory of all your possessions may seem like a daunting undertaking, but doing so will be well worth it in the end. And as always, Esurance has your back so that you don't have to face it alone. We've created this detailed inventory form to help ensure your list of household items is complete, accurate, and secure.

When putting your inventory list together, be sure to include:

- ✓ The value of each item in each room
- ✓ The serial number whenever possible
- ✓ The date you bought the item
- ✓ Photos or video to verify inventory documents
- ✓ Receipts for your items

Remember to take note of any high-ticket items to make sure you have sufficient coverage — including (but not limited to), fur coats, jewelry, artwork, collectible items, musical instruments, or tableware.

Furthermore, it's important to make duplicates (even triplicates) of each document, and keep your copies in a safe place — preferably in 2 or more secure locations outside of the home.

Living Room	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Air Conditioning Units			
Art (wall décor, paintings, pictures, posters)*			
Bookcases/Books			
Bric-a-brac			
Cabinets (contents therein)			
Carpets/Rugs			
Closet Items			
Desks			
Fireplace Accessories			
Furniture			
Lamps/Light Fixtures			
Organ/Piano*			
Shelves			
Tables			
Window Treatments (curtains, draperies, blinds)			
TOTAL			

Dining Room	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Air Conditioner Window Units			
Art (wall décor, paintings, pictures, posters)*			
Bookcases/Books			
Bric-a-brac			
Buffet			
Cabinets (contents therein)			
Carpets/Rugs			
China (glassware, silverware, etc.)*			
Crystal*			
Dining Room Set			
Table Linens (napkins, cloths)			
Wall Shelves			
TOTAL			

Family Room/Den

	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Air conditioner Window Units			
Art (wall décor, paintings, pictures, posters)*			
Bookcases/Books			
Bric-a-brac			
Cabinets (contents therein)			
Card Table			
Carpet/Rugs			
Chairs			
Closet Items			
Couch			
Desk			
Entertainment Center (contents therein)			
Fireplace Accessories			
Lamps/Light Fixtures			
Organ/Piano*			
Tables			
Televisions			
Wall Shelves			
Window Treatments (curtains, draperies, blinds)			
TOTAL			

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Kitchen/Laundry Room

	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Kitchen Appliances (toaster, coffee maker, juicer)			
Books			
Bric-a-brac			
Cabinets (contents therein)			
China (silverware, glassware, etc.)*			
Crystal*			
Cutlery			
Dishes			
Dishwasher			
Dryer			
Freezer (contents therein)			
Ironing Board			
Linens			
Microwave			
Pots/Pans			
Refrigerator (contents therein)			
Stove			
Tables			
Washing Machine			
TOTAL			

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Bathrooms 1 and 2	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Art (wall décor, paintings, posters, pictures)			
Bric-a-brac			
Cabinets (contents therein)			
Clothes Hampers			
Electronic Appliances (hairdryers, razors, toothbrush)			
Furniture			
Linens (towels, cloths, bedspreads)			
Medicine Cabinet Items			
Mirrors			
Personal Care Items			
Shower Mats/Rugs			
Toiletries			
Window Treatments (curtains, draperies, blinds)			
TOTAL			

Hallways	**# of Items**	**Year Purchased**	**Original Price**
Art (wall décor, paintings, posters, pictures)			
Bric-a-brac			
Cabinets (contents therein)			
Carpets/Rugs			
Chairs			
Closet Items			
Lamps/Light Fixtures			
Tables			
Window Treatments (curtains, draperies, blinds)			
TOTAL			

Bedrooms 1, 2, and 3	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Air Conditioner Window Units			
Bedding			
Bed			
Bookcases/Books			
Bric-a-brac			
Bureau (contents therein)			
Carpets/Rugs			
Chairs			
Closet Items			
Dressers (contents therein)			
Lamps/Light Fixtures			
Nightstand			
Sewing Machine			
Tables			
Vanity Set			
Window Treatments (curtains, draperies, blinds)			
TOTAL			

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Attic, Basement, and Garage	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Bric-a-brac			
Dehumidifier			
Furniture			
Gardening Tools			
Grill/BBQ equipment			
Power/Hand Tools*			
Heating Unit			
Ladders			
Lawn Mower*			
Lawn Furniture/Ornaments			
Luggage			
Other Equipment			
Sump Pump			
Tables			
Trunks and Contents			
TOTAL			

Electronics	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price	Serial No.
DVD Players				
Calculators				
Cellphones				
Computers				
Computer Accessories (Scanners, Printers, Fax)				
MP3 player				
Stereo Equipment				
Televisions				
Vacuum Cleaner				
Video Equipment				
Game Consoles				
TOTAL				

Appliances	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price	Serial No.
Dishwasher				
Lawn Mower				
Microwave				
Power Tools*				
Stove				
Toaster Oven				
Washer/Dryer				
TOTAL				

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Clothing and Personal Items	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Coats/Jackets *			
Cologne/Perfumes			
Cosmetics			
Dresses/Skirts			
Jewelry/Watches*			
Neckties			
Shirts			
Shoes/Slippers			
Slacks/Jeans			
Socks			
Sportswear			
Suits			
Sweaters/Blouses			
Underwear/Under Garments			
TOTAL			

Hobbies	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Artwork (art and craft materials)			
Bicycles/Skates			
Boats/Canoes			
Camping Equipment			
Collectible Items			
Exercise Equipment			
Golf Clubs/Carts			
Musical Instruments*			
Photography Equipment*			
Sporting Equipment			
Toys			
TOTAL			

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Home Office

	# of Items	Year Purchased	Original Price
Computer accessories			
Bookcases/Books			
Desk/Chair			
Fax Machine			
Phones			

Home Inventory Totals

	Sum Total of Original Price
Living room	
Family Room/Den	
Dining room	
Kitchen/Laundry Room	
Bedrooms	
Bathrooms	
Attic, Basement, and Garage	
Electronics	
Appliances	
Clothing and Personal Items	
Hobbies	
Home Office	
TOTAL	

Summary

Total of all	

This home inventory template is segmented into the main areas of the house and divided by item type. It's important to note, however, that everyone's home and circumstances are different, and as such, need a personalized approach.

*Speak with one of our licensed agents about high-ticket items.

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