

Moving into your first home?

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Moving in day

- Kettle + tea/coffee/milk/sugar/biscuits
- Mugs & teaspoons (disposable is good)
- Loo rolls
- A hand towel
- Liquid soap
- Cleaning materials & cloths
- Bin bags
- Light bulbs
- Tool box
- Voile panels or even an old sheet/blanket in lieu of curtains
- Vase (someone is bound to give you flowers!)
- Takeaway menus

Bed & Bath

- Bed/mattress
- Duvet & pillows
- Bedding (2 sets)
- Towels (2 sets each person, plus 2 bath mats)
- Bathroom accessories

Living, cooking & dining

- Saucepans
- Kitchen knives
- Utensils
- Washing up bowl & draining board rack
- Bucket & mop
- Kitchen bin
- Tableware & cutlery (4 place settings)
- Mugs & glasses
- Table & chairs
- Folding chairs
- Sofa

You've probably got a "to do" list as long as your arm, but we'd like to extend a helping hand, if you'll excuse the pun.

If you're only equipped with what friends and family can loan or offload on to you in the way of household necessities, we'd like to offer a list of essentials and a little advice that we hope will ease you gently into domestic bliss.

John Lewis