Cleaning Supplies Kitchen Clean Up Trash container, extra bags. De-clutter basket for non-kitchen items. Gather all of your needed supplies in one container or cabinet. Dish soap Fill your sink with hot, soapy water. All-purpose cleaner, baking soda Scrape off all the dishes into the trash or garbage disposal. Dishrag or sponge Place dishes that need to soak into the water. Scrubber for stuck-on food Clear excess trash from floor, counters, and cabinets. Broom, mop, or vacuum Remove items that don't belong in kitchen and put in clutter countdown basket. Put out-of-place kitchen items back where they belong. Load the dishwasher or wash by hand. **Nightly Nudge** Wipe down countertop, appliances, and sink. Put away all food. Sweep and spot clean with rag, mop, or vacuum. Put clean dishes in the cabinet, Empty trash (keep extra garbage bags at bottom of trash). dirty dishes in the dishwasher, and run the dishwasher. Soak any large pots or pans. Better yet, wash and put away. Return kitchen items to designated spot. Wipe down the sink, counters, table, and stove. Take out trash if overflowing.