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Assemble Green Clean Kits

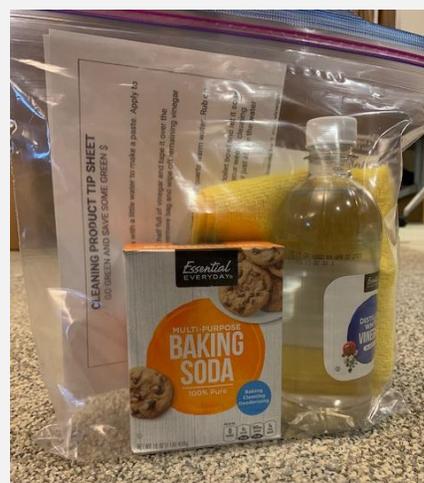
Green Clean Kits consist of basic items readily available at your local grocery store. SNAP (commonly known as food stamps) does not cover non-food essentials such as cleaning products. Donating Green Clean Kits provides an eco-friendly alternative for individuals and families and helps them allocate resources to other essential needs.

Instructions

1. Choose how many kits to assemble
2. Purchase supplies for your kits (see item list below)
3. Reproduce the Green Clean Tip Sheet for inclusion in each kit (see page 2)
4. Assemble your packs by placing all items into a gallon Ziploc bag
5. Contact VolunteerUnited@gtcuw.org for drop-off location instructions

Green Clean Kit Items

- Baking soda
- Vinegar
- 2 Cleaning Cloths
- Green Clean Tip Sheet (pg. 2)
- Place all items into a gallon Ziploc bag



Questions? Contact VolunteerUnited@gtcuw.org

CLEANING PRODUCT TIP SHEET

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Kitchen/ Bathroom Mix baking soda with a little water to make a paste. Apply to surfaces and rinse with clear water.

Showerhead Fill a small plastic bag half full of vinegar and tape it over the showerhead. Let it sit an hour, then remove bag and wipe off remaining vinegar from the showerhead.

Windows and Mirrors Mix $\frac{1}{4}$ cup white vinegar with 2 quarts warm water. Rub on window or mirror with dishtowel until dry.

Toilet Bowl Disinfectant Pour 2 cups white vinegar into toilet bowl and let it soak overnight before flushing. Including this vinegar soak in your weekly cleaning regimen helps keep away water rings that typically appear just above the water level.

Drain Cleaner Use a funnel to pour $\frac{1}{2}$ cup baking soda followed by 1 cup vinegar into the drain. When foaming stops, run hot water to flush the drain. Wait five minutes and run cold water down the drain. This technique clears blockages and washes away odor causing bacteria.

Oven Cleaner Combine baking soda with warm water to make a paste, spread paste inside the oven and let it sit about 8 hours, then wipe the baking soda out. Clean with dish soap and water and rinse with clear water.

Kitchen Odors Mix $\frac{1}{2}$ cup white vinegar with 1 cup water in a pot. Boil until the liquid is almost gone. You'll be breathing easier in no time.

Hardwood Floors Mix 1 cup white vinegar in 2 gallons warm water. Dip mop in mixture (keep mop damp, not wet).

Painted Walls Mix a drop of dish soap in warm water.

Mildew Mix 1 cup vinegar and 1 cup salt.