

# 5 Tips to Spring Clean Your Wardrobe

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With warmer months just around the corner, now is the time to spring clean. Whether you want to clear some of the winter clutter or just feel like a change in scenery, spring cleaning can make it happen. Now is the perfect time to clean out your wardrobe.

## **Tip 1:**

If you are storing away your winter clothes, consider using large plastic storage containers that feature snap-on lids. These can be found in the housewares department at most stores and are very inexpensive. Storage containers are very important to keeping your clothes dust and discoloration free, which may otherwise be a problem if they are left hanging in the closet from one season to the next.

## **Tip 2:**

When packing your clothes, roll them instead of folding. This not only eliminates creases and wrinkles, but also saves a lot of space. You will be able to pack a lot more clothes with this technique.

## **Tip 3:**

Label your clothing containers as 'spring,' 'autumn' and 'winter' and 'summer'. This will help you to easily locate your clothes inside the wardrobe.

## **Tip 4:**

If you have any clothing that you don't plan to wear or simply have outgrown, consider donating them to a local goodwill or other non-profit organization. Rather than tossing them out, your clothes can provide revenue for a worthy cause

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## **Tip 5:**

If you are looking to clear out some knick knacks or perhaps even some Holiday decorations in order to make room for new ones, consider a trip to the local trash'n'treasure market. Everyone is looking for a bargain and they just may be looking for something that you no longer wish to own. Otherwise, you can always sell items at Internet auction sites, including [gumtree.com.au](http://gumtree.com.au) and [ebay.com.au](http://ebay.com.au)

## **And lastly....**

With all of the changes that you're making, it may be time to switch to a lightweight handheld vacuum cleaner. This will save lugging around a heavier model to vacuum the shelves and floor of your wardrobe and cupboards. There's no use in completely wearing yourself out during spring cleaning, so try to make it as easy as possible.



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