

Calm, Tidy and Well Organized!



One of our readers has sent in a good example of de-cluttering and organizing a cabinet.

Here's the before.



And here's the after.



Look how a little investment into some storage tricks for the cabinet have made all the difference!

Congratulations
On a job well
done!!!



Stay Organized!

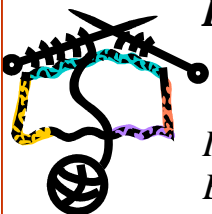
How do you stay organized? First, everything has a place and everything is in its place. Give everything a home: realize "most used" items need to be where they are easy to retrieve. Store like items together—when separated, you will tend to forget you have them.

Bring something in—take something out! This works well in the clothes closet, but also in other areas of the house.

Stay focused on your goals. Evaluate your goals if needed after a certain amount of time.

Share the responsibility. Let other people know your 'de-cluttering' rules.

Think about passing on your treasures now—you can enjoy other people enjoying your gifts.



Knitting It All Up...

It's been a real pleasure to share de-cluttering stories with you and others. I hope the tips and ideas over the last year have helped you or given you inspiration to tackle your clutter. Please fill out the enclosed form and let us know exactly what you have enjoyed or learned from the newsletter. And I will see you soon, Mary

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