Your Checklist of First Apartment Essentials

Moving into your first apartment is definitely exciting. But there are some necessary purchases that you need to make, so that you can settle down comfortably at your new place.

When it comes to deciding what to buy, most people tend to over estimate what they really need. Many time they end up going on a shopping spree and still sometimes miss-out their basic necessities.

So, here's the Checklist of First Apartment Essentials to help you identify the necessity items. Categories such as Kitchen, Bathroom, Bedroom, Basic Furniture etc. will help you stay more organized and within your budget.

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Basic Furniture	Kitchen 1	Kitchen 2	Kitchen 3
Living Room ☐ Sofa ☐ Chair ☐ End Table ☐ Coffee Table ☐ Floor Lamp **Dining Area** ☐ Table ☐ Chairs (2-4) **Office Area** ☐ Desk ☐ Chair ☐ Lamp ☐ Bookcase **Bedroom** ☐ Bed ☐ Dresser ☐ Table Lamp	**Dining** ☐ Dinnerware ☐ Tea Cups ☐ Coffee Mugs ☐ Serving Platter ☐ Serving Bowl ☐ Glassware **Cutlery** ☐ Chef's Knife ☐ Slicing Knife ☐ Steak Knife ☐ Utility Knife ☐ Knife Block ☐ Knife Sharpener	**Appliances** ☐ Coffee Machine ☐ Kettle ☐ Food Processor ☐ Hand Mixer ☐ Blender ☐ Toaster/Oven ☐ Microwave **Miscellaneous** ☐ Cork Screw ☐ Spatula ☐ Food Containers ☐ Can Opener ☐ Tongs ☐ Cutting Board ☐ Colander ☐ Veggie Peeler ☐ Fire Extinguisher	**Cookware/Baking** ☐ Cookware set ☐ Sauce pan ☐ Omlette pan ☐ Stockpot ☐ Pot lids ☐ Pyrex Set ☐ Cake/Pie Pan ☐ Loaf & Muffin Pan ☐ Mixing Bowls ☐ Measuring Cups ☐ Measuring Spoons **Linen** ☐ Dish Rags/Towels ☐ Tablecloth ☐ Pot Holders ☐ Oven Mats ☐ Placemats ☐ Curtains/Rod
Laundry	Cleaning	Other Essentials	
☐ Laundry Detergent ☐ Drying Rack ☐ Clothing Basket ☐ Iron ☐ Iron Board	☐ Broom ☐ Dust Pan ☐ Mop ☐ Bucket ☐ Garbage Can ☐ Garbage Bags ☐ Dusters ☐ Cleaners ☐ Vacuum	☐ Flashlight ☐ Batteries ☐ Storage Boxes ☐ Hangers ☐ Drawer Organizer ☐ Storage Trunk ☐ Stacking Bins ☐ Surge Protector ☐ Extension Cord ☐ Smoke Detector	☐ Carbon Monoxide ☐ Detector ☐ Television ☐ Curtains ☐ Home Insurance