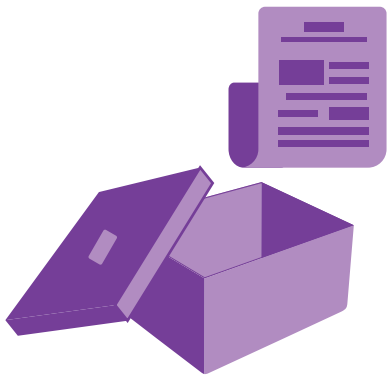


Handy household hacks

Try these simple household tips to help you get organized and save time, too. ¹



Get rid of plastic container odor by stuffing in a page of newspaper overnight.

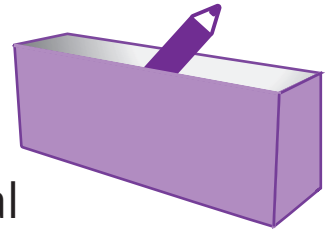
Use an empty cardboard bottle holder as a picnic caddy for utensils and seasonings.



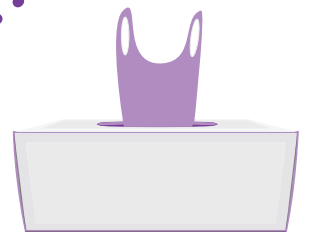
Put a few rubber bands around your glass of ice cold water to keep it from slipping out of your hands.



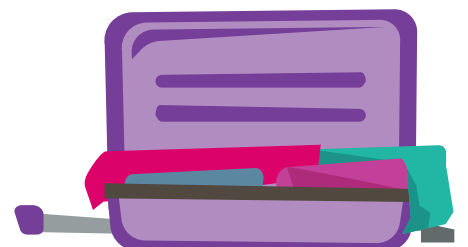
Cut off empty cereal box tops and bottoms and use as bins for pencils, rubber bands or twist ties in your drawers.



Use an empty tissue box as a dispenser for your plastic grocery bags.



Pack pairs of shoes in shower caps to keep them away from clean suitcase items.



¹ realsimple.com. Accessed August 2017.