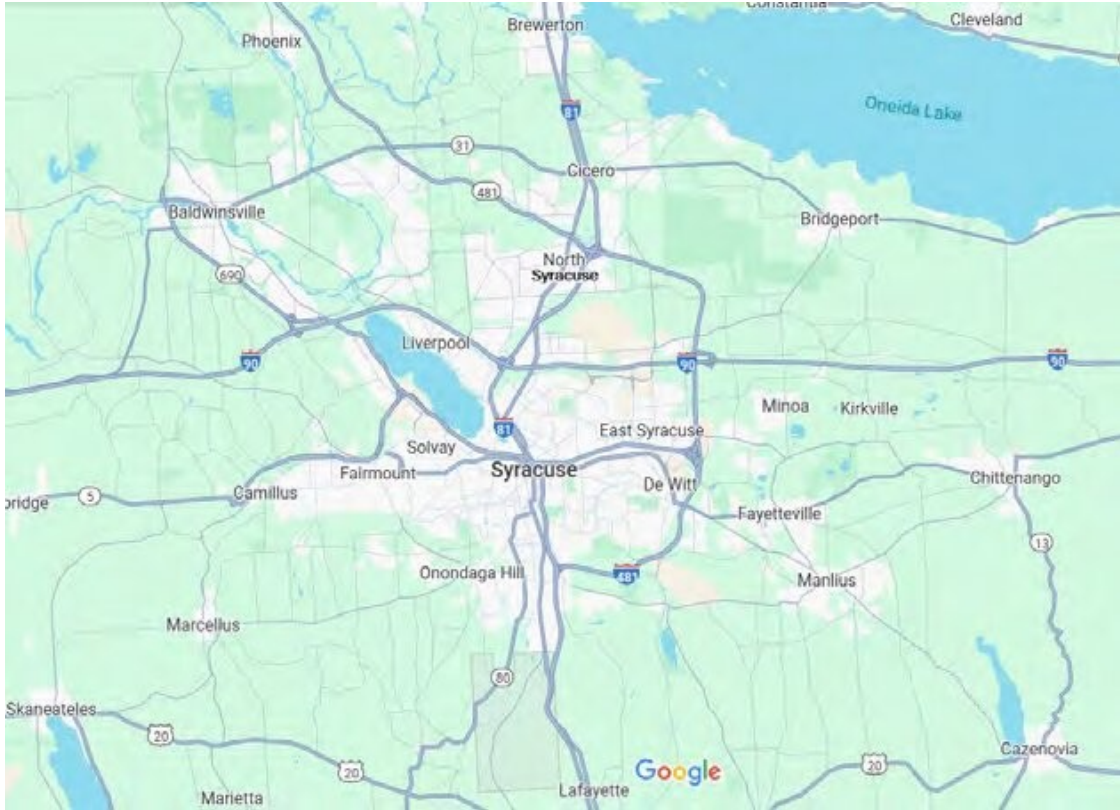




MOVING CHECKLIST & TIMELINE

Your week-by-week guide from "we're moving" to "we're home"



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Your Moving Timeline

Moving is one of life's most stressful events — a little structure makes all the difference. Use this timeline to stay on track from the day you know you're moving through your first weeks in the new home.

8 Weeks Before

- ☐ Research and book your moving company or reserve a truck rental
- ☐ Start a folder (physical or digital) for moving-related paperwork and receipts
- ☐ Begin decluttering room by room — sell, donate, or toss what you won't need
- ☐ Request time off work for moving day if needed
- ☐ Start using up food in the freezer and pantry

6 Weeks Before

- ☐ Order moving boxes, tape, and packing materials
- ☐ Research schools, doctors, and services in your new area
- ☐ Start collecting medical, dental, and school records you'll need to transfer
- ☐ Look into homeowners or renters insurance for the new address
- ☐ If moving out of state, research vehicle registration and driver's license rules

4 Weeks Before

- ☐ Begin packing non-essential items and out-of-season belongings
- ☐ Label boxes clearly by room, with a brief description of contents
- ☐ Notify your post office of your change of address
- ☐ Update your address with banks, credit cards, and subscriptions
- ☐ Give notice to your current utility companies (electric, gas, water, internet)
- ☐ Schedule utility setup at your new home
- ☐ Arrange care for kids or pets on moving day

2 Weeks Before

- ☐ Confirm moving day details with your mover or truck rental company
- ☐ Cancel or transfer newspaper, lawn care, gym memberships, and local subscriptions
- ☐ Pack a "first night" box — toiletries, chargers, medications, a change of clothes
- ☐ Set aside important documents (passports, birth certificates, closing paperwork) to carry personally
- ☐ Confirm your closing date and final walkthrough time

Moving Week

- ☐ Finish packing everything except daily essentials
- ☐ Defrost and clean out the refrigerator/freezer a day or two before the move
- ☐ Withdraw cash for movers' tips or last-minute expenses
- ☐ Charge your phone and any portable chargers
- ☐ Confirm move-in access at the new home (keys, garage codes, elevator reservations if needed)

Moving Day

- ☐ Do a final walkthrough of the old home — check closets, cabinets, attic, and garage
- ☐ Take meter readings and photos of the empty home for your records
- ☐ Leave a clean home for the new owners or tenants
- ☐ Keep moving day paperwork, keys, and payment ready for your movers
- ☐ Do a walkthrough of the new home before unloading, noting any issues

After the Move

- ☐ Unpack the essentials box first, then work room by room
- ☐ Register to vote at your new address
- ☐ Update your driver's license and vehicle registration if you've changed states
- ☐ Update HR at work with your new address
- ☐ Locate the water shutoff, breaker box, and furnace filter in your new home
- ☐ Introduce yourself to the neighbors!
- ☐ Explore your new community — check out local parks, restaurants, and events

We're Here Every Step of the Way

Whether you're relocating across town or across the country, we're happy to help with vetted local vendor recommendations, school and neighborhood guidance, or just a friendly answer to a random moving question.

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