

Week One Summary and Assignments Charting a Course for Success

My main objective

• Give you hope and confidence to see that you can do this.

Clutter

We defined clutter as anything that doesn't belong and has been sitting on your surfaces for more than 5 days.

Setting Up the Guidelines for this Week

- Choose one or two areas to work on and then pick up at least 5 pieces of clutter per day.
- Focus on things that have a home but are displaced from it.
- Return them to their home without trying to reorganize the place they belong.
- Resist the temptation to clean the location that you are returning an item to. There will be plenty of reorganization opportunities in the future.

Assignments

- Print off your Chart.
- Choose one or two target areas to enable you to see progress.
- Declutter 5 Find 5 pieces of clutter on your surfaces and take care of them.
- Remember these are things that have a home but are displaced.
- Don't get caught in trying to clean where they go; just return them.
- You can do as many sets of 5 as you want, but you must do one set per day.
- Place an X on the appropriate day and area for each set of 5.
- At the end of the week total up the number of Declutter 5 and circle your total.

You've got this! Thanks, Cheri