

# SpaceGraphs

## Advice and instructions to get your property ready for a shooting with SpaceGraphs

**General cleaning:** the important things are floors (we will wear shoe covers during the service), mirrors, chrome parts and the surfaces of the shower box in the bathrooms.

It is good to check the presence of any cobwebs and all the window panes in case the property is not been inhabited for a long time. Also check out the chrome/steel parts and kitchen linings.

If possible, check that the bulbs are working and they're not too different in color temperature.

In general: spots and halos on shiny or transparent surfaces are very visible in photography.

**Objects in the house:** the main rule is to try to hide most of the things that are usually in sight.

Simplicity helps you see the photos better.

Find a room that will not be photographed or use wardrobes, closets, sideboards to put knick knacks (especially when they are very different from each other), books that don't go into a bookshop, toys, dishes or other kitchen items that create mess, bathroom products, clothes ...

**less is better**, at least for the photos!

**Rooms:** based on the type of service we will provide, we recommend preparing the beds in the best possible way, with neat blankets/bedspreads and pillows without too many folds visible.

If it is a complete service it is likely that we will take care of the bed cover and pillows.

If there are carpets, check that they are in good condition and well cleaned.

Hide anything on bedside tables and other furniture, except lamps and any plants and flowers.

**Bathrooms:** apart from general cleaning, check that the surfaces (mirrors/glass/shower/bathroom fixtures and faucets) are free of stains and halos.

Hide bathroom accessories such as toothbrushes, soaps, cosmetics.

If possible, put a clean change of two normal and two large towels, possibly folded and stacked, in white or beige/gray colors.

**Outside/swimming pool:** for gardens, the most important thing is that the grass has been cut and that there aren't too many dry leaves visible. If there are gazebos, patios or sitting areas, check for cushions and clean chairs and tables. If there are hedges, the ideal is that they are pruned and in order. For the swimming pool, besides cleaning the pool both inside and on the edges, hide the maintenance tools (nets and cleaning robots) and any toys.

If you have sunbeds and deckchairs, place them at your pleasure, and if possible provide a large towel (folded) for each bed/deckchair.

Good preparation is important: in addition to producing better images it will allow to make the service faster and therefore will **save you money**.