

The Living Room Blanket Storage Planner

A Simple Plan to Get Throws Off the Couch and Into a Home

1. Blanket Count: Keep Out or Store Away

A small living room cannot hold every blanket you own. Count what you use each week and keep only those within reach of the sofa.

Blanket type	How many you own	Used each week	Keep out or store away
Everyday throws			
Heavy winter blankets			
Guest blankets			
Decorative throws			
Kids or pet blankets			

- Move out-of-season blankets into a bag under the bed.
- Donate blankets you have not used in a year.

2. Measure Your Living Room Spots

Small rooms leave no room for a wrong guess. Measure each spot once before you order anything.

Spot	What to measure	Your number
Beside the sofa	Free floor width and depth	
Bare wall	Open wall width and height for a ladder	
Bare corner	Floor space for a slim rack	
Front of the sofa or window	Length and depth for an ottoman	
Under the bed or sofa	Gap height for flat storage bags	

- Leave a clear walking path around anything on the floor.
- Check that doors and drawers still open fully.

3. Match the Storage to Your Space

If your living room has...	Try this type	Check first
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Throws piling up on the sofa	Large woven blanket basket	Basket size against floor space
A look you want calm	Lidded rope basket	Basket height beside the sofa
A bare wall	Leaning blanket ladder	Wall width and ceiling height
No spare closet	Folding storage ottoman	Length against the sofa or window
An empty corner	Slim freestanding blanket rack	Corner width and depth
No table by the sofa	Side table with a basket	Table height against the sofa arm
Too many seasonal blankets	Zippered under-bed bags	Gap height under the bed

- Pick one main storage piece and one helper, so the room does not feel crowded.

4. Weekly Blanket Reset Checklist

- Fold every throw and return it to its spot before bed.
- Shake out or wash any blanket that got used a lot.
- Move blankets you did not use into storage.
- Check that nothing blocks the walkway.

5. Blanket Storage Budget

Item	Budget	Priority (1 to 3)	Bought?
Main storage piece			
Basket or bags			
Extra helper			
Total			

- Start with the piece that clears the most sofa clutter.
- Add extras one at a time as the budget allows.