

The Wrap Station Checklist

One Spot for Rolls, Bags, Tape and Ribbon

1. Measure Before You Buy

What	How to measure	Your number
Longest roll	Measure the roll tube end to end in inches	
Number of rolls	Count every roll, half rolls too	
Storage spot	Under bed height, closet rod, door top or corner	
Door gap	Space at the door top, if you use an over-door hanger	

- Most store-bought rolls are 30 inches wide, so check the container length says 30 inches or more.
- Add 2 inches to your longest roll so the lid still closes.

2. Free Fixes First

- Slide a cut paper towel tube sleeve or a rubber band around each roll so it stops unrolling.
- Stand rolls up in a tall laundry hamper or trash can until you can buy something better.
- Hang a garment bag on a closet rod and slide the rolls in.
- Keep one wrap bin: tape, scissors, tags, ribbon and a pen live together.

3. Build Your Wrap Station

Problem	Try this	Check first
No closet space	Under-bed bin	Bed clearance in inches
Rolls get crushed	Tall upright box or zip bag	Container length against roll length
Gift bags and tissue everywhere	Hanging organizer with pockets	Door or rod it hangs from
Ribbon tangles	Spool rack	Number of spools

4. After the Holidays

- Tape the end of each roll before you put it away.
- Sort by occasion: holiday, birthday, plain.
- Throw out crushed scraps and keep paper you will really use.

■ Write the roll length on the container so next year is faster.

5. Storage Budget

Item	Budget	Priority (1 to 3)	Bought?
Roll container			
Gift bag and tissue organizer			
Ribbon holder			
Total			