

WORKSHEET: BATHROOM GOALS PG. 1 OF 4

After completing the Day in the Life of Your Bathroom Questionnaire, consider what bathroom features you need and want, your priorities and the life expectancy for this bathroom. This worksheet will help you think about what you want your bathroom remodel to accomplish.



Q & A

What do you like about your current bathroom?

What features are you missing in your bathroom?

What doesn't work with the current layout?

Is your bathroom's cabinet storage sufficient for your needs?

What energy-efficient or water-saving features are you interested in adding?

What would your ideal bathroom look like? Would it have a contemporary feel? Or would it be more rustic or traditional? Do you like specific styles, such as Asian or Arts and Crafts?

What colors do you envision in your bathroom? Do you prefer traditional white or bold colors?

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PRIORITY
LIST(S)

Rank these common reasons for remodeling in order of priority for you:
(e.g., 1 being the most important and 8 being less important)

- increase resale value
- add space
- reconfigure cabinets and storage
- improve layout
- update fixtures or style
- incorporate technology
- improve energy and water efficiency
- add spa/retreat space
- other _____
- other _____
- other _____

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Create a “want” list of features that appeal to you.

- Luxury shower
- Steam shower
- Heated floors
- Separate room for the toilet
- Vanity with sit-down dressing table
- Combined master bathroom/dressing room
- Laundry area
- Double-sink vanity
- Television, stereo and other media
- Coffeemaker, beverage center
- Soaker tub with air jets or pedestal tub
- A dedicated tub/shower room
- Energy-efficient or water-saving features

Want:

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Q & A

Will you do any parts of this project yourself or do you prefer to work only with professionals?

Do you plan to serve as the general contractor, or will you hire a designer and/or project manager to oversee the project?

How quickly do you want to finish this project? What is your timeline?

Is your main goal to increase resale value or to update for your personal needs?

How much do you feel comfortable spending on the project? (Add a good 20 percent more than this for overages.)

Compare your completed Day in the Life of Your Bathroom Questionnaire and this worksheet.

Note areas where your answers match or do not match. For example, if your bathroom gets a lot of traffic from family members and guests and you're thinking of upgrading your toilet, a low-flow toilet may be a smart investment. Use these exercises to choose features for your bathroom remodel.