

# GARAGE SALES

## Hacks for Faster Sales

### Quick Tricks to Sell More Items in Less Time at Your Garage Sale

A successful garage sale isn't just about what you sell. It's about how quickly you can move items off your tables.

With a few simple strategies, you can increase your sales speed and make the most of your event.

#### **ORGANIZE FOR EASY BROWSING**

A cluttered, disorganized sale can slow down shoppers and discourage them from buying.

Arrange items in clear categories — such as clothing, kitchenware and electronics — to help buyers find what they need quickly. Using tables, shelves or racks keeps everything visible and avoids the mess of digging through boxes.

Highlight high-value or in-demand items by placing them near the entrance to catch shoppers' attention. If people see something interesting from the road, they're more likely to stop and browse.

#### **OFFER DEALS THAT CREATE URGENCY**

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faster.

Bundle small items — like five books for \$5 or a set of dishes for one price — to make transactions smoother. For higher-priced items, use “Buy One, Get One” deals to move inventory quickly.

Creating time-sensitive discounts can also boost sales. Offering half-price deals in

the final hour or flash discounts throughout the day can push hesitant buyers to act before items are gone.

#### **MAKE CHECKOUT QUICK AND CONVENIENT**

A slow checkout process can drive buyers away. Keep plenty of small bills and coins in your cash box to avoid

making change a hassle. Consider using a mobile payment option like Venmo or PayPal to accommodate buyers who don't carry cash.

Having bags or boxes available makes it easier for buyers to carry multiple items, increasing the chance they'll purchase more.

If you have extra hands

available, assign someone to help with checkout to keep things moving smoothly.

With a few simple changes, you can speed up your garage sale and keep buyers engaged.

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#### **SELLER'S TIP**

#### **Bundle Small Items**

Group similar low-cost items together—like books, toys or kitchenware—and sell them as a set to encourage buyers to purchase more.

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