FALL HOME MAINTENANCE CHECKLIST

12 tasks before winter - vitaldwelling.com

ROOF & GUTTERS

- [ ] Clean gutters and flush the downspouts
- [ ] Check the roof from the ground for lifted or missing shingles

EXTERIOR WATER

- [ ] Disconnect, drain and store all garden hoses
- [ ] Shut off exterior faucet valves, drain the lines, add faucet covers

WINDOWS & DOORS

- [ ] Dollar-bill test on every exterior door
- [ ] Replace worn weatherstripping; re-caulk cracked window seals

HEATING

- [ ] Replace the HVAC filter (write the size here: _____)
- [ ] Run the heat for 15 minutes - book a tune-up if anything fails

SAFETY

- [ ] Test every smoke and CO detector; replace batteries or old units
- [ ] Clean the dryer vent line end to end

PLUMBING & PATIO

- [ ] Insulate exposed pipes in unheated spaces
- [ ] Touch your main water shut-off - know exactly where it is
- [ ] Seal pavers if due; clean and cover patio furniture

Full guide + video: vitaldwelling.com/fall-home-maintenance-checklist