

## SHOPPING LIST

### Materials

- Replacement Vanity
- Widespread faucet
- Pop-up drain
- Plumber's putty
- Light fixture
- Towels
- Flashlight
- Pipe compound/Teflon tape

### Tools

- Safety glasses
- Level
- Power drill
- Screwdriver
- Needle-nose pliers
- Adjustable wrench
- Basin wrench
- Putty knife

### Additional Bath Updates

- Fresh coat of paint
- Towel bars
- Toilet paper holders
- Switch plate
- Wall mirror
- Shower head

## NOTES & IDEAS

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## INSTALL EASY BATH UPDATES

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## LET'S UPDATE WITH STYLE.

Follow the simple DIY steps in this workshop to transform your bath in just one weekend - to reduce downtime while adding functionality and a fresh, new look.

### INSTALL A NEW VANITY

- ✓ Remove your existing vanity.
- ✓ Replace with either a free-standing or wall-mounted vanity, depending on your decor. If replacing a free-standing with wall-mounted vanity, be prepared to patch and paint exposed walls and flooring.
- ✓ Position the countertop to make sure it will line up with existing water lines.
- ✓ Check that the cabinet is level, and shim if needed.
- ✓ Remove the sink/countertop and place upside down on sawhorses.

### INSTALL THE FAUCET

- ✓ Consider ordering a vanity with a pre-installed countertop.
- ✓ Make sure the faucet and vanity you purchase are compatible. A wide-spread faucet will fit a vanity top with three pre-drilled holes.
- ✓ Apply plumber's putty to lip of drain, faucet spout and handles. Tighten rings but don't overtighten. If your sink and countertop are already attached, tighten from below with a basin ring.
- ✓ Thread and center the tee so the outlets are approximately parallel to the back wall and line up with the faucets on either side.
- ✓ Tighten the spout using a basin wrench.
- ✓ Place the faucet valves in the sink. Slide the washer over the threads. Tighten the valve nut until snug.



### INSTALL THE POP-UP DRAIN

- ✓ While the countertop and sink are upside down on two saw horses, insert the lift rod through the hole in the spout.
- ✓ Connect it to the pivot rod with the spring clip. You may need to adjust which hole you use in the lift rod so that the drain will close properly.
- ✓ Turn the thumb screw to lock it in place.
- ✓ Spread a bead of adhesive caulk on top of the base cabinet. Flip the sink over onto the bead and press down to form a tight seal.
- ✓ Tighten the collars on the p-trap to reconnect the drainpipe. If the drainpipes don't match perfectly, cut the sink's pipe or extend it with a coupling.
- ✓ Reconnect the waterline by opening the valve.

### INSTALL A BATH VANITY LIGHT

- ✓ Turn the power off at the service panel.
- ✓ Remove the bulb and decorative plate from the existing light's mounting bracket.
- ✓ Assemble the new lighting fixture according to manufacturer's instructions.
- ✓ Remove wire connectors and separate wires, then remove screws and mounting plate
- ✓ Install and secure the new mounting plate to the junction box.
- ✓ Connect the wires according to manufacturer's instructions.
- ✓ Attach the fixture to the mounting plate.
- ✓ Turn the power back on.