

WEB SITES

Acme How To

www.acmehowto.com/home.php Step-by-step troubleshooting and repair of common household problems from plumbing and appliance repair to insect control.

DIY Network

www.diynetwork.com Video downloads are available. Lots of pictures for remodeling ideas.

Do It Yourself

doityourself.com Hundreds of home improvement and repair topics with step-by-step instructions. Includes home decorating, too.

HGTV

www.hgtv.com HGTV's web site includes information from its many do-it-yourself and home design programs. Lots of designer rooms to peruse.

Home Maintenance and Repair

www.msue.msu.edu/hmr

Full text articles on topics of home maintenance and repairs.

How to Clean Anything

www.howtocleananything.com Cleaning tips for in and around the house.

Todays Homeowner

www.todayshomeowner.com Home improvement advice with Danny Lipford includes videos and articles.

Taunton

www.taunton.com Selected articles from Fine Woodworking, Fine Homebuilding, Fine Cooking, Fine Gardening, and Threads

Toiletology 101

www.toiletology.com Almost everything you ever wanted to know about your toilet.

This Old House

www.thisoldhouse.com Complete instructions for home repair and improvement projects, as well as an online video library where experts solve everyday homeowner problems. Site also includes material calculator to estimate the amount of paint, wallpaper, insulation, air conditioning, or flooring needed for a project

Better Homes and Gardens

www.bhg.com Lots of decorating ideas and tools. Especially noteworthy are the tools that allow you to arrange-a-room, color a room, or plan a garden.

Browse the Shelves

Listed below are the Dewey decimal numbers for the following subject categories.

621.319	Electric Wiring
621.38	Small Appliance Repair
635	Gardening
643.7	Home Repair and Improvement
644	Energy Conservation
684.83	Woodworking
684.1	Furniture Building
690-690.837	House Building
690.89	Outdoor Structures
693.1	Masonry
694	Carpentry
696.1	Plumbing
698	Tiling
698.1	House Painting
698.9	Flooring
712.6	Landscaping
717	Outdoor Structures
728.37	House Plans
745.23	Decorative Painting
747	Interior Decoration

Magazines

To help with design, building, maintaining and decorating your home.

Architectural Digest
Better Homes and Gardens
Boston Consumer's Checkbook
Fine Homebuilding
Fine Woodworking
Good Housekeeping
HGTV Magazine
House Beautiful
This Old House

BOOKS

A sampling of the many books in our collection.

Cleaning and Clutter Control

Kondo, Marie. *The Life-Changing Magic of Tidying Up* [648 KON]

Lippincott, Lorilee. *The Simple Living Handbook* [648.8 LIP]

Mellen, Andrew. *Unstuff Your Life!* [648.5 MEL]

Reich, Barbara. *Secrets of an Organized Mom* [648.5 REI]

Stewart, Martha. *Martha Stewart's Homekeeping Handbook* [640 STE]

Improvements and Remodeling

Kitchen & Bath Renovation Guide [643.3 KIT]

Complete Guide to Finishing Basements [643.5 BLA]

Bradley, Bridget. *Bathrooms* [643.7 COM]

McGillivray, Scott. *How to Add Value to Your Home* [643 MCG]

Improvements and Remodeling –CONTINUED

Peterson, Chris. *Kitchen Ideas You Can Use*
[747.797 PET]

Construction and Design

Exterior Planner [690.8 EXT]

Here's How—Trimwork [694.6 Her]

Harley, Bruce. *Insulate and Weatherize*
[693.83 HAN]

Litchfield, Michael. *Renovation* [643.7 LIT]

Schoenherr, Matthew. *House Transformed: getting
the house you want with the house you have*
[690.837 SCH]

Solakian, Susan. *Homeowner's Guide to Managing
a Renovation* [643.7 SOL]

Scutella, Richard. *How to Plan, Contract,
and Build Your Own Home* [690.837 SCU]

Simpson, Scot. *Complete book of Framing* [694.2
SIM]

Walker, Les *Designing a House* [728.37 WAL]

Home Repair

Book of Home How-To [643.7 BOO]

*Complete Guide to Wiring: current with 2014-2017
electrical codes* [621.3192COM]

Ferington, Esther. *You Can Build: Plumbing*
[696.1 FER]

Smith, Nicole. *How to fix absolutely anything*
[643.7 HOW]

Decorating

Becker, Holly. *Decorate* [747 BEC]

Bonney, Grace. *Design Sponge at Home*
[747 BON]

Starmer, Anna. *Color Scheme Bible* [747.94 STA]

Going Green

Freed, Eric. *Green Sense for the Home* [643.7FRE]

Johnson, Bea. *Zero Waste Home* [640 JOH]

Johnston, David. *Green from the Ground Up*
[690.837 JOH]

Scheckel, Paul. *Homeowner's Energy Handbook*
[696 SCH]

Sandbeck, Ellen. *Organic Housekeeping*
[648.5 SAN]

Williams, Dee. *Big Tiny* [BIO Williams]

Videos and DVDs

A number of home improvement videos and DVDs are available in the non-fiction section of our video and DVD collection on the main floor. Topics include flooring, HVAC, remodeling, storage ideas, building a deck, preventative home maintenance, decorating, furniture refinishing, basement and garage conversion and stonemasonry.



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Construction, Design, and Decorating

