

# Kitchen Planning Guide

## FAMILY AND LIFESTYLE

- Number of family members: \_\_\_\_\_
- Number and approximate ages of family members:  
 infants     young children     teens  
 20 to 30 yrs     31 to 40 yrs     41 to 50 yrs  
 51 to 60 yrs     61 to 70 yrs     70+
- If your family has young children, will they be using the kitchen frequently?     Yes     No
- How long do you plan on living in the home you are remodeling/building?  
 1 to 5 yrs     6 to 10 yrs     11 to 20 yrs     20+
- Where does your family eat its meals?  
 Kitchen     Dining Room  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Where will your family eat after you remodel/build?  
 Kitchen     Dining Room  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- Do you require a kitchen table or would you be willing to explore other options if a design could be improved?  
 A kitchen table is required  
 A kitchen table is preferred but open to other options  
 A kitchen table is not necessary
- What other activities will take place in your new kitchen?  
 Laundry     Homework     Watching TV  
 Paying Bills     Sewing     Computer Center  
 Other: \_\_\_\_\_
- After your remodel/build will you entertain frequently?  
 Yes     No  
 If Yes...  
 What is your entertainment style?  
 formal     informal  
 Do you have  large or  small gatherings?  
 Do your guests help you in the kitchen when you entertain?  Yes     No
- How do you shop?  
 For the week     Buy in bulk and freeze  
 For each meal     Buy non-perishable items in bulk  
 If you buy in bulk, do you require storage in the kitchen for all or most of these items?  
 Yes     No

## COOKING STYLE

- Who is the primary cook? \_\_\_\_\_
- Is the primary cook  left handed or  right handed?
- How tall is the primary cook? \_\_\_\_\_
- What is the primary cook's cooking style?  
 Gourmet Meals     Family Meals  
 Quick & Simple Meals  
 Bringing Meals Home     Baking
- What does the primary cook prefer?  
 No one else in the kitchen while preparing meals.  
 A helper in the kitchen when preparing meals.  
 Family or friends visiting during meal preparation.
- Does the primary cook have any physical limitations?  
 Yes     No
- Who is the secondary cook? \_\_\_\_\_
- Do the secondary and primary cook prepare meals together?  
 Yes     No
- Is the secondary cook  
 left handed or  right handed?
- How tall is the secondary cook? \_\_\_\_\_
- What are the secondary cook's responsibilities?  
 Preparing side dishes     Clean up  
 Assist in preparing main course
- Does the secondary cook have any physical limitations?  
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## GENERAL

- Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_
- Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- Fax: \_\_\_\_\_
- New Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_
- City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_
- Builder Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_
- Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- Fax: \_\_\_\_\_
- Architect Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_
- Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- Fax: \_\_\_\_\_
- Interior Designer Name (if applicable): \_\_\_\_\_
- Contact Name: \_\_\_\_\_
- Phone: \_\_\_\_\_
- Fax: \_\_\_\_\_