SIMPLIFY YOUR PAPERWORK

KEEP FOR 1 MONTH

- Receipts (file any deductible items)
- Bank statements
- Deposit/ATM slips

KEEP FOREVER

- Birth certificates
- Marriage/divorce paperwork
 - Mortgages
- Vehicle Paperwork
 - Passports
- Investment statements -Wills
 - Current insurance policies
 - Medical records
 - Home improvement receipts
 - -Major purchase receipts
 - Education records
 - -Pension & retirement records
 - Contracts
 - Property agreements

KEEP FOR 1-3 YEARS

- Mortgage statements
- -Insurance documents - All business + incom
- related documents
 - -Proof of deductible purchases
 - -Checkbook ledgers
 - -Paycheck stubs
- -Charitable contributions

KEEP FOR 7 YEARS +

- Medical bills + statements
 - Contracts
- Real estate tax
 forms + records
- Mileage records
 - Tax return paperwork
 - W-2 and 1099s
- Cancelled checks
- Any receipts used