Basement Finishing Timeline & Responsibilities Chart

This is a non-exhaustive chart to help you keep track of what will be going on week to week with an average basement finish. Basements vary wildly with how people want to finish them out. They can range from simply adding on bedroom space, to including bathroom(s), kitchens, home theatres, and more. This is a much rougher draft that will require more fine tuning depending on the project but should still be helpful for you to keep track of what will be happening/needed.

	CONTRACTOR RESPONSIBILITY	HOMEOWNER RESPONSIBILITY
Weeks 1-2	 □ Permits pulled □ Dumpster and Porta John dropped off if needed □ House protection installed (floor protection, dust abatement, etc) □ Demolition of existing space if needed 	If adding a kitchen space or bathroom(s), please refer to kitchen remodel and bathroom remodel charts and follow those timelines with an offset of 1 week. (Week 2 on this is Week 1 on those two)
Weeks 3-4	Any required framing Mechanical inspections Framing inspections Insulation Insulation inspections Mechanicals Rough-in: Electrical Plumbing HVAC if needed	
Week 5	☐ Drywall	☐ Flooring should be chosen☐ Paint colors should be chosen
Weeks 6-8	 Non-carpet flooring installed □ Trim installed □ Cabinets for bathroom/kitchens/custom installed □ Tile installed □ Glass measured if needed □ Paint primer applied 	
Weeks 9-12	Countertops installed Paint finished All mechanical trimouts completed Carpet installed/any flooring finish performed Glass installed Final Inspection performed Final clean out and dumpster removed	





Selection Sheet: Please refer to the kitchen and bathroom remodel sheets to fill out pertinent information. We will make a custom selection sheet for your basement remodel if needed.

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