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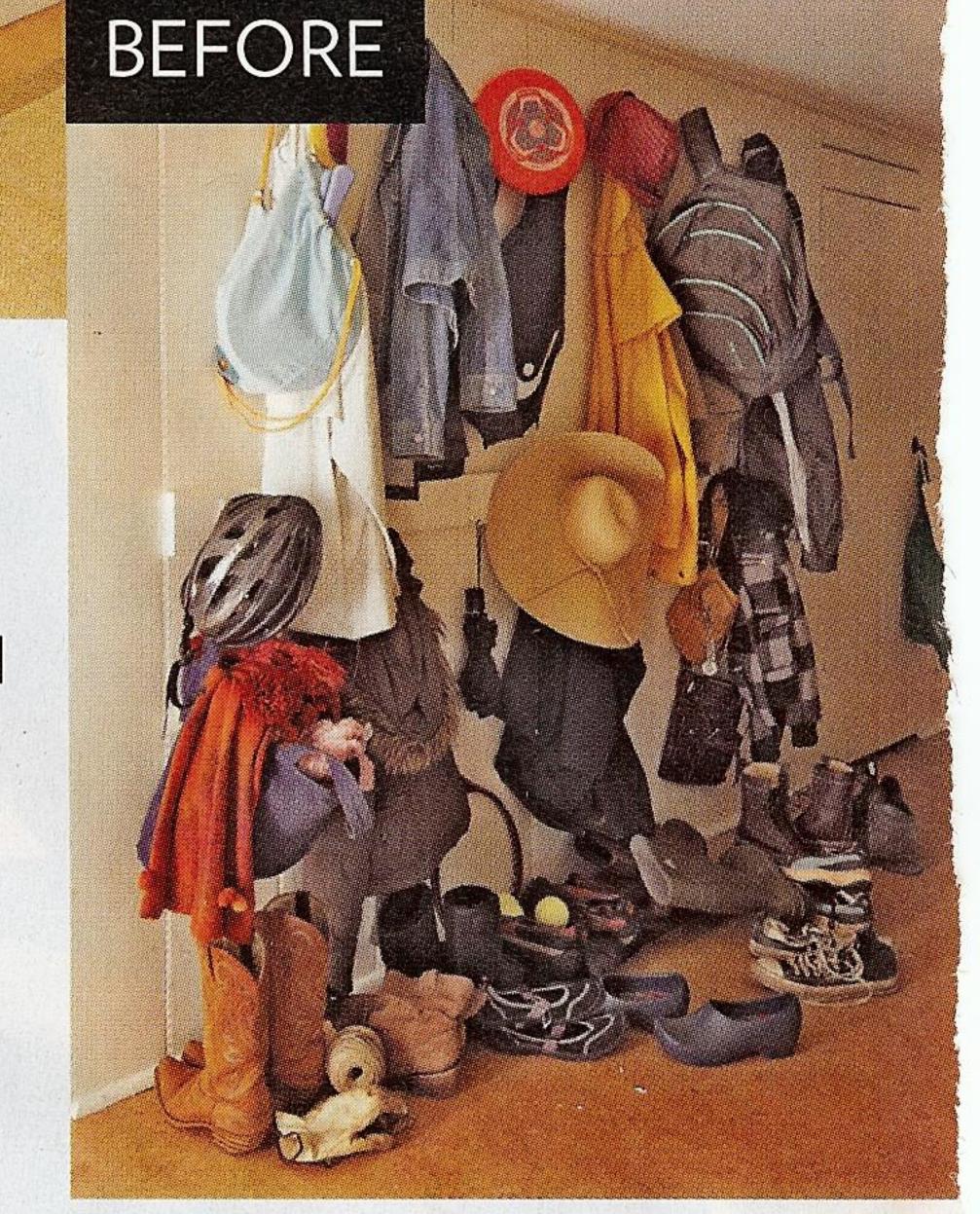
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If your entry is heaped with hoodies and backpacks, make a mudroom by the back door says Kathryn Bechen, author of *Small Space Organizing* (Revell).

- Put up hooks for everyday items—make sure some are low enough for kids to reach. Relocate out-of-season clothes to bedroom closets. For a personal touch, you might add nameplates.
- A bench with cubbies is a place to take off shoes and a convenient dropoff point for grocery bags or books. Toss sneakers and flip-flops in drawers or in baskets underneath.
- Set a boot tray on the floor to collect drips and dirt from wet shoes.
- Use baskets or bins to hold what you can't hang (gloves, dog toys, balls).
- A sisal or indoor-outdoor rug works best in a high-traffic area and is simple to keep clean.



If you have room on

either side, a freestanding

bookcase—even a very

narrow one—can mimic

the look of built-ins and

expand storage space,

says Bechen.

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