



5-S



A process and method for creating
and maintaining a safe, organized,
clean, high-performance workplace

A conditioning discipline for Kaizen

Why Implement 5S?



Creates proper environment for standard work

Prerequisite to perfect quality

Encourages visual control

Helps identify waste

Places high value on safety

Promotes employee satisfaction

Step 1: Seiri – Segregate & Discard

Step 2: Seiton – Arrange & Identify

Step 3: Seiso – Clean & Inspect Daily

Step 4: Seiketsu – Revisit Frequently

Step 5: Shitsuke – Motivate To Sustain

The Essence of Progressive 5S



It's all about Organization and Discipline ... not housekeeping!
There are different expectations & levels of organization for each level.

<i>Level</i>	<i>Key Activity</i>	<i>Key Learning or Discipline</i>
1. Sort	5S Red Tag	Remove unnecessary items
2. Set	Assign & Label	Designate "a home for everything"
3. Sustain	Return	"Put it back" after use
4. Simplify	Productivity	Eliminate the non-value added effort
5. Standardize	Plant-wide	Expand ownership & Leverage the gains

Concentrate Efforts on One Step at a Time