





LEANING INTO A LARGE TOTE

There are two ways to lean into a large tote without using your back.

The first is to use the <u>Lean Bar Technique</u>. Do this by simply taking a wide stance with your legs and bending your knees just a bit. Now you will be able to rotate <u>forward with your hips</u> instead of bending forward with your back. In addition, the <u>tote will be holding you up</u>, not your back as you reach.

The second way is with a <u>Golfer's Bend</u>. Lean into the tote with one thigh while the opposite foot comes off of the floor. Once again you will be able to <u>rotate at the hip instead of bending at the back</u> and the tote will be holding you up, not your back. Try these and see how much easier they will make your work!