



Joy Carpets & Co.

LUXURY VINYL TILE CARE AND MAINTENANCE

Joy Carpets' luxury vinyl tile and plank is more versatile, stylish, and easy to maintain than ever before. Protect your flooring investment by following these easy guidelines.

IMMEDIATELY AFTER INSTALLTION

Following these important steps will ensure proper curing of the product:

- Keep foot traffic to a minimum.
- Wait 24 hours before moving heavy objects to the floor. Insert protective barrier between heavy objects and floor to prevent scratches.
- Sweep floor to remove loose dirt.
- Remove adhesive residue and heel marks by using a cloth and mineral spirits.
- Damp mop.

GENERAL CLEANING GUIDELINES

The amount of foot traffic will determine the frequency of maintenance needed for your floors. A simple maintenance program should include the following:

- Use entry mats to trap dirt, sand, grit and oil that might be tracked onto the floor. Mats are also suggested at heavy pivot points such as in front of the sink or stove (use mats without latex or rubber backings to avoid possible discoloration).
- Remove dirt and grit by sweeping or dust mopping daily.
- Use only non-abrasive, resilient floor cleaners. Follow manufacturer instructions.
- Do not use a vacuum with a beater bar.
- Do not use vinegar as a cleaning agent.
- Wipe up spills as soon as possible.
- Dried spots can be removed by gentle agitation and rinsed with water.
- Use protective pads for furniture and appliances. Heavy items require non-staining cups at least 2" in diameter. Remove small diameter buttons from legs of straight chairs and similar items and replace with metal glides not less than 1" in diameter.
- Avoid exposure to direct sunlight for extended periods.
- Use appropriate safety precautions when walking on wet floors.

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