

STONE INSTALLATION TIPS



1. All work should be done in accordance to the current Terrazzo Tile and Marble Association of Canada (TTMAC) installation manual.

2. Use only cement board on interior wall areas.

3. Install stone with a white rapid set type mortar ONLY. Use ARDEX N23 -Stone Mortar (a single component system) as supplied by Stone Tile. Available in white and grey

4. All stone must be back buttered with fresh mortar.

5. All materials must be inspected prior to using.

6. Installers must work from multiple boxes /crates at a time to ensure even colour/shade distribution.

7. All stones should be dry laid to ensure proper colour and shading range distribution. This step is outlined to ensure even colour and shading distribution throughout.

8. All lighting fixtures must be kept a minimum of 610 mm away from the walls.

9. All natural stone installations must be cleaned and sealed. For ease of grout clean up, a coat of sealer prior to grouting will help. We recommend using 511 Impregnator Sealer by Miracle Sealants (read and follow all manufacturer's instructions).

10. Only grout using an epoxy grout in wet areas and shower floors.

