



Care & Maintenance Guide

Natural Stone

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- Use dish-soap and water on a cloth or the soft side of a sponge for daily cleaning.
- If you are using a cleaning product, be sure that is meant for natural stone (i.e. Weiman Granite & Stone Cleaner).
- We recommend having your natural stone countertops cleaned & re-sealed every 6 months to 1 year. If you are applying the sealer yourself, be sure to use a product that will seal your countertops, not just clean/polish. A lot of products are advertised to protect your natural stone countertops but only a sealer will truly work (i.e. Weiman Granite & Stone Sealer).
- Soapstone: Soapstone maintenance is completely different than any other natural stone. Soapstone can be oiled using mineral oil or waxed using a special dry wax product. Application of these items is done at the customer's liking. When soapstone is oiled/waxed it is at maximum color vibrancy. If it becomes scratched, which it easily does, simply use fine sand paper to rub out the scratch and re-apply oil/wax to even the countertops color. Over time, the stone will become saturated with the oil/wax and it will start to hold the vibrant coloration for longer periods of time.

Don't:

- Do not use Windex, Clorox or any other product not meant for stone.
- Do not put excess weight on un-supported overhangs as natural stone may crack/break in un-supported areas due to immense pressure.
- Although natural stone is strong, we do not recommend using your stone countertops as a cutting-board as scratches and/or other possible damage may occur. Using an actual cutting-board will ensure that your new countertops remain in excellent condition.



Quartz & Engineered Stone

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Don't:

- Do not use Windex, Clorox or any other product not meant for stone.
- Although quartz & engineered stone is heat resistant, we do not recommend placing extremely hot objects on the surface for long periods of time. Using a coaster or other types of padding to reflect the heat will ensure that your new countertops remain in excellent condition.
- Although quartz & engineered stone is strong & scratch resistant, we do not recommend using your quartz/engineered stone countertops as a cutting-board as scratches and/or other possible damage may occur. Using an actual cutting-board will ensure that your new countertops remain in excellent condition.

Should you have any questions and/or concerns, or should any incident occur, please do not hesitate to contact your salesperson or the main office.

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