

Before You Buy Tile: Homeowner Checklist

Organize the decisions and confirmations that matter before placing a tile order.

1. YOUR SELECTION

Project / room

Product or selection name

Color / finish

Size / format

Supplier / retailer

Target order date

Notes

2. CONFIRM THE PRODUCT

- ☐ Exact product and finish identified
- ☐ Physical sample viewed in the project light
- ☐ Wall, floor or wet-area approval confirmed
- ☐ Care and maintenance understood
- ☐ Variation expectations reviewed
- ☐ Trim and grout choices coordinated
- ☐ Installer has reviewed the intended selection
- ☐ Tile quantity confirmed by the appropriate professional
- ☐ Waste allowance confirmed by the appropriate professional

Approval for one size or finish may not apply to every product in the same collection.

3. CONFIRM THE ORDER

- ☐ Current availability and lead time checked
- ☐ Seller's return and cancellation policy reviewed
- ☐ Delivery or pickup plan confirmed
- ☐ Storage location prepared
- ☐ Order details match the approved selection
- ☐ All cartons will be inspected before installation
- ☐ Care and warranty documents will be saved

Questions for the retailer / designer / contractor

PLANNING AID

This checklist is a planning aid, not an estimate, specification or purchasing guarantee. Confirm product suitability, measurements, quantities, availability, policies and installation requirements with the appropriate retailer, manufacturer and qualified professionals before ordering.

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