

Preparing Your Home

Now that you've selected your new flooring, we will schedule a professional installation. To make this installation as smooth as possible, we have prepared a pre-installation checklist. Here you'll find general guidelines that should be followed prior to the installation of your new flooring from Templeton's.

Pre-Installation Checklist

- Make arrangements prior to the arrival of the installation crew for removal of old flooring, underlay and staples.
- All furnishings must be removed from the areas of installation.
- Removal and replacement of appliances, pool tables and pianos will be an extra charge.
- We recommend that all painting is complete before your new flooring arrives.
- Rooms and closets that will be resurfaced must be emptied prior to the arrival of the installation crew.
- o Remove and box any valuable items near the area of installation.
- Baseboards and moldings, in most installations, can be left in place, but we cannot be responsible for any damage that may occur.
- Remove all hanging objects in the area of installation.
- o Disconnect and move electronics, appliances or computers.
- Our flooring installers are not licensed to do electrical or plumbing work, if such services are needed please arrange for this work before and/or after the install.
- o We will need access to electrical power in the installation area.
- If you have a preference for the direction of the pattern or layout of your flooring, you will need to discuss it with your Templeton's flooring expert at the time of the purchase. Many of the styles require additional material to achieve the closest match possible.
- o If your installation requires sanding, it is a good idea to cover all cupboards and furniture in the area.

Post-Installation Checklist

- Thoroughly inspect the flooring once the installation has been completed and bring any concerns to their attention immediately.
- o Hinged doors may require trimming by a carpenter for proper clearance once your new flooring is installed.
- Your installation may require touch-up to walls, mouldings and baseboards.
- Every installation has material waste. These leftover pieces are most common in irregular shaped rooms or when stairs and halls are recovered.
- The installation crew will remove all waste pertaining to the installation of your new flooring. It is the customer's responsibility to clean the flooring after installation.