



Vinyl Flooring Care and Maintenance

- Wipe up spills as soon as possible. Remove dried spills with a white cloth and the manufacturers recommended stripper and/or cleaner (for example when purchasing a floor by Mannington uses a cleaning system by Mannington).
- Wash your floor occasionally with a no rinse floor cleaner or the manufacturers recommended cleaner.
- Use manufacturer recommended cleaner/stripper for heavy duty cleaning, and a manufacturer recommended polish as your floor will begin to dull over time.
- **DO NOT** use detergents, abrasive cleaners, or mop and shine as they may leave a dull film on your floor.
- **DO NOT** use paste wax, solvent based polishes, or abrasive scrubbing tools as they may damage your floor.

Protecting Your Vinyl

- Place a walk off mat at all outside entrances to reduce the amount of dirt brought into your home.
- **DO NOT** use rubber or latex backed mats on your vinyl as they contain the chemical antioxidant which may permanently stain your floor. We suggest using a non-staining vinyl backed mat or a woven backed rug that is colorfast. Most products are noted as colorfast by the manufacturer.
- Use floor protectors on furniture to help reduce indentations. As a general rule, the heavier the item, the wider the floor protector needed. Be extra careful with furniture with metal legs or protectors as they can cause deep indentations and rust stains.
- Be careful with furniture that uses rolling casters which may damage your floor. We do not recommend using them, but if you must use the double wheeled type as they are your best option.