

Granite Care Guide

PRESERVING THE STRENGTH AND BEAUTY OF NATURAL STONE



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Granite is a natural stone known for its durability, strength, and timeless beauty. Each slab has its own color, pattern, and natural character.



DAILY CLEANING

Clean with warm water, mild dish soap, and a soft microfiber cloth. Dry with a clean towel. For deeper cleaning, use only pH-neutral stone cleaners.



WHAT TO AVOID

Avoid vinegar, lemon juice, bleach, ammonia, glass cleaners, oven cleaners, strong degreasers, abrasive powders, steel wool, rough sponges, and acidic products. Do not cut directly on granite or place hot items directly on the surface.



SPILLS & STAINS

Clean spills quickly, especially oil, wine, coffee, tomato sauce, citrus juice, vinegar, alcohol, and colored liquids. Blot with a clean cloth instead of spreading. Granite is resistant, but it can still absorb liquids if the sealer is worn.



SEALING

Granite should be sealed after installation and resealed as needed. To test the sealer, place water on the surface for 15 minutes. If the stone darkens, it may be time to reseal.



BEST PRACTICES

Use coasters, cutting boards, trivets, and soft cloths. Protect edges, corners, seams, and sink cutouts.

With proper care, granite can remain beautiful and durable for many years.

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CARE & MAINTENANCE OVERVIEW

Granite is a natural stone valued for its durability, strength, and natural beauty. With the right care, it can remain elegant and long-lasting in countertops, islands, bathrooms, floors, laundry areas, and commercial spaces.

For daily cleaning, use warm water, mild dish soap, and a soft microfiber cloth. Dry the surface with a clean towel to help prevent water spots and residue. Avoid acidic products, abrasive cleaners, harsh chemicals, and strong degreasers, as they can affect the finish over time.

Granite should be sealed after installation and resealed as needed to help reduce absorption. Although granite is highly resistant, sealing does not make it completely stain-proof, heat-proof, scratch-proof, or damage-proof. To preserve the surface, always use cutting boards, trivets, coasters, and protect edges, corners, seams, and sink cutouts from strong impact.

CARE ESSENTIALS



Preserve the beauty of your surface



Maintain the original finish for years



Use the right products and techniques



Care today, enjoy for years



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SEALING & PROTECTION

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BEFORE YOU CLEAN

Before using any cleaning product, always make sure it is safe for granite or natural stone. Granite is durable, but improper products can weaken the sealer, dull the finish, or leave residue on the surface. When in doubt, follow the manufacturer's care instructions or contact a Pacific Shore Stones specialist for guidance before applying any cleaner or treatment.

With regular cleaning, quick spill removal, proper sealing, and daily protection, granite can maintain its strength, beauty, and performance for many years.