

# CARING FOR YOUR RIGID BOARD VINYL FLOOR.



Never try to slide heavy objects across the floor or place the objects where they might prevent the flooring from expansion & contraction.



Before placing any chairs or furniture on your new Rigid Board Vinyl floor always check the condition of the feet, and affix felt pads to prevent any potential cuts or scratches. Use a protective mat for furniture or chairs with castors.



Never push, pull, or drag furniture across Rigid Board Vinyl floors. Always lift and carry.



Remove dust, sand, and grit particles by sweeping or vacuuming your floor regularly with the hard floor attachment. Don't use a vacuum with a beater as it may scratch your floor or dull the floor finish.



When sweeping or vacuuming does not remove the dirt - mop the floor with clean warm water.



If water alone does not clean the surface, use one teaspoon of dish washing liquid to 500ml of warm water and apply with a soft sponge. Rinse thoroughly with fresh water to remove any residue.



Be careful not to allow too much water to seep between the joins as it could emulsify the adhesive.



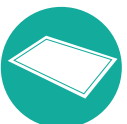
Use ice to harden tough substances like wax or chewing gum, and then gently scrape with a plastic scraper or a credit card being careful not to scratch the surface and wipe the area clean with a soft, slightly damp cloth.



Keep your pets nails trimmed to prevent them from scratching your floor.



With its smooth surface structure, Rigid Board Vinyls cannot absorb dirt or dust, however, use protective window coverings to block fade-causing UV rays and excessive heat from direct sunlight, and rearrange rugs and furniture periodically to help your floor age evenly.



Finally, think prevention. Place non staining, walk off mats at every outside entrance to your room. This will help keep sand and grit from being tracked onto your floor in the first place. Just be sure to avoid using rubber backed mats as they can damage and potentially discolour your floor.



Ideally your Rigid Board Vinyl flooring should be professionally cleaned once a year, maximum 18 months to maintain your warranty.

**STAIN AID.**

For advice regarding stains on your flooring, view our comprehensive guide on our website: [topcarpetsandfloors.co.za/flooring-maintenance/](http://topcarpetsandfloors.co.za/flooring-maintenance/)