

Cleaning and Maintenance

Residential Vinyl

A regular cleaning and maintenance programme will help to ensure your new flooring stays in good condition over a longer time period.

Initial Clean

- When the installation is complete, clean your Robert Malcolm vinyl floor using warm water and a neutral pH detergent, available from your local flooring retailer.

Maintenance

- Regularly sweep your floor with a soft broom, or vacuum floor to remove dirt and grit and to prevent scratches.
- Wipe up any spills immediately – if left on floor some materials can migrate into the wear layer and cause permanent stains.
- Wash your vinyl using warm water and a neutral pH detergent.
- For textured surfaces a manual in-depth clean is recommended at appropriate intervals, using a neutral pH floor cleaner, warm water and a nylon brush. After scrubbing remove dirty water, rinse with clean water and dry with a floor cloth.

Special Instructions

- Steam mops of any kind should not be used on this flooring – using them will void the manufacturer's warranty.
- Rubber can permanently stain any vinyl floorcovering. Do not use rubber mats, furniture feet or wheels.
- Use felt pads on all chair and table legs – do not use rubber protectors.
- Dirt-stop mats should be placed at all external doors and kept clean.
- Do not drag heavy appliances across the flooring.
- Avoid using waxes, polishes, aerosol sprays or silicon based products to clean your floor, as these may result in the vinyl becoming slippery.

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