## CARE INSTRUCTIONS FOR GRANITE

Please note this is just a standard guideline. Ask your installer for more detail.

## **Daily Cleaning**

- If your granite is properly sealed, use a soft cloth to dust the surface, or wipe it down with plain water or a mild soap. If your granite needs extra cleaning, use a specially formulated stone cleaner with a neutral ph.
- To prolong the need for resealing granite, use a wax-based product or Mr Min approximately twice a week.
- Granite can stain due to their porous nature, so it is best to clean off stain substance as soon as possible.

## How to prevent damage to your stone

- Avoid using metal knives or utensils directly on the stone.
- Use hot pads or trivets for pans, crockpots, and electric skillets.
- Avoid pressure or force on your stone countertops, as the stone can chip or crack.
- Do not forcefully scrub any area of the countertop.
- Do not allow water to pool around sinks and faucets areas for prolonged periods of time.
- You most likely need to reseal your granite countertops at least once a year.
  However, these factors could affect how often you need to apply a new protective layer to your stone surfaces. Granite has unique maintenance requirements based on their porosity.

Do not use...

Abrasive cleaners

Cleaning products containing acids

