

THE TOOLS YOU WILL NEED

Don't be daunted by the pile of tools, you won't need to buy them all. Some will already be in your shed or tool box. Some you can borrow from friends, neighbours or relatives. Some are available on daily hire from Beaumont Tiles.

Tools

- Bucket
- Clean rags
- Sponge
- Spirit level
- Paint brush
- Tape measure
- Pencil
- Tile jacks (if tiling walls - optional)
- Tile cutter (available for hire from Beaumont Tiles)
- Adhesive mixer (optional)
- Tile nippers
- Knee pads
- Cross spacers
- Notched trowels (6mm notch for wall tiles and 10mm notch for floor tiles)
- A small trowel (called a gauging trowel)
- A grout float (or handyman grouter)
- Angle grinder and diamond cutting blade. (optional)
- Battery drill or electric drill (optional)
- Drill bit (optional)



TIP

Some other tools that you may find handy are;

- A carborundum block is useful for smoothing down cut edges
- A home-made plumb bob (a piece of string with a heavy washer on the bottom will do) for wall tiling
- Some pieces of straight timber (to provide a base for wall tiling and to use as a measuring rod)
- Some string