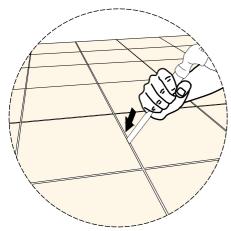


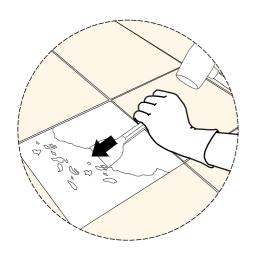
REMOVE GROUT

CAREFULLY REMOVE THE GROUT AROUND THE TILES. USE A GROUT SAW UTILITY KNIVES.



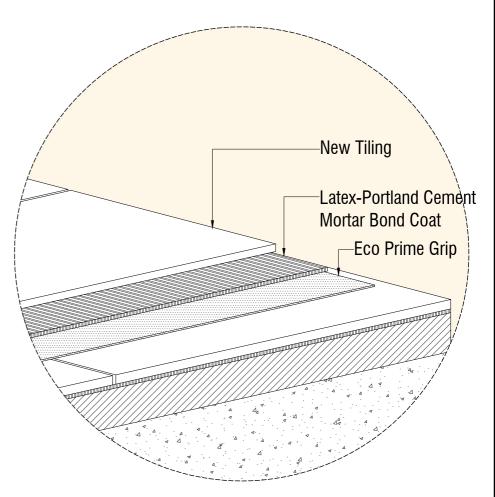
REMOVE OLD MORTAR

CAREFULLY CHIP OFF THE THE OLD MORTAR ADHESIVE LAYER BY A CHISEL UNTIL THE SURFACE IS CLEAN. REMOVE ALL DUST AND ENSURE THE AREA IS DRY BEFORE INSTALLING NEW TILES.



REMOVE TILE

CAREFULLY LIFT THE TILES USING A CHISEL AND HAMMER. POSITION THE CHISEL AT THE BASE OF THE TILE AND TAP IT WITH THE HAMMER TO LOOSEN AND REMOVE THE TILE. SOME TILES MAY BREAK DURING REMOVAL, WHILE OTHERS MAY COME OFF CLEAN. ENSURE NOT TO DAMAGE THE SURFACE UNDERNEATH.



BATHROOM TILING OVER EXISTING TILE DETAILS

1. CLEAN THE SURFACE

WASH THE OLD TILES WITH SOAPY WATER TO REMOVE DIRT, GREASE, AND DUST. RINSE WITH CLEAN WATER AND LET IT DRY COMPLETELY.

2. CHECK THE TILES

MAKE SURE THE OLD TILES ARE FLAT AND NOT LOOSE OR CRACKED. USE A LEVEL TO CHECK. FILL ANY UNEVEN AREAS WITH PATCHING COMPOUND.

3. APPLY PRIMER

ROLL OR BRUSH ON A TILE BONDING PRIMER TO HELP THE NEW TILES STICK BETTER. LET IT DRY FULLY BEFORE MOVING ON.

4. CUT THE NEW TILES

MEASURE AND CUT TILES TO FIT AROUND CORNERS OR EDGES. USE A TILE CUTTER OR SAW. WEAR GLOVES AND SAFETY GLASSES.

5. SPREAD TILE ADHESIVE

SPREAD THIN-SET MORTAR (TILE GLUE) WITH A NOTCHED TROWEL. PRESS EACH TILE FIRMLY INTO PLACE. START FROM A CORNER AND WORK ACROSS.

6. LET IT DRY

WAIT AT LEAST 24 HOURS FOR THE MORTAR TO DRY. DON'T WALK ON THE TILES DURING THIS TIME.

7. FILL THE GAPS

USE GROUT TO FILL THE SPACES BETWEEN TILES. SPREAD IT WITH A RUBBER FLOAT AND WIPE OFF THE EXTRA. LET IT DRY.

8. SEAL THE GROUT

APPLY GROUT SEALER TO PROTECT FROM STAINS AND WATER. LET IT DRY COMPLETELY.