



{ WOOD FLOOR CARE TIPS }

REGULAR MAINTENANCE

Maintenance requires little more than sweeping with a soft bristle broom or vacuuming floors with a soft floor attachment. You should also clean your floors periodically with a professional wood floor cleaning product.

FLOOR CARE TIPS:

- **Use a humidifier throughout the winter** months to keep wood movement and shrinkage to a minimum. Ideal humidity should be 35-45%.
- **Wipe up spills immediately** with a slightly dampened towel.
- **Do not wet-mop a wood floor.** Standing water can dull the finish.
- **Do not use wax or vinyl or tile floor cleaners** on your wood floors. These products can cause wood to become slippery and appear dull quickly.
- **Use throw rugs both inside and outside doorways** to help prevent grit, dirt and other debris from being tracked onto your wood floors.
- **Put soft plastic or fabric glides under the legs** of furniture to prevent scuffing.
- **When moving heavy furniture, do not slide it on wood flooring.** It is best to pick up furniture completely to protect the wood flooring.
- Avoid walking on your wood floors **with cleats, sports shoes or high heels.**