



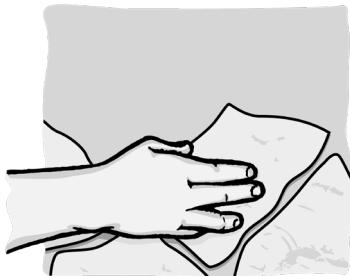
QUICK INSTALLATION GUIDE





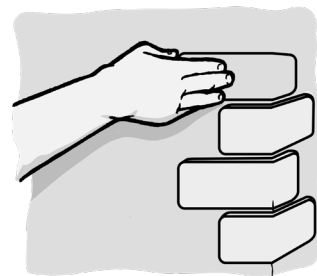
A typical installation over a wood framed wall will require two layers of water resistive barrier, self-furring lath, and a 1/2" scratch coat prior to installation of stone. There are many wall type applications, so to ensure that the stone or brick veneer is installed over the proper substrate, please refer to the **CMHA Installation Guide**.

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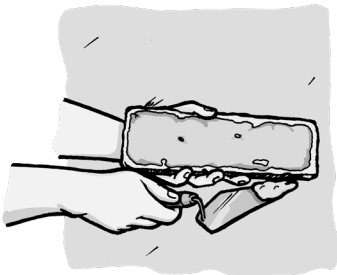
To achieve a natural look, combine material from several boxes and blend them together. Plan your installation by laying out the material prior to adhering to the wall to ensure the proper fit and look.

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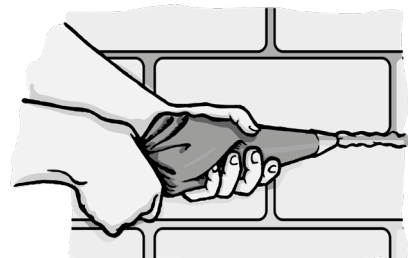
When starting the installation process, it is important to always begin by installing the corner pieces first. To cut stone pieces, you have a few options, angle grinder, hammer & chisel or a dustless masonry saw can all get the job done.

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Thoroughly clean the stone to remove any dust or debris. Apply the mortar adhesive evenly on the entire back side of the stone. Then press the stone firmly onto the surface.

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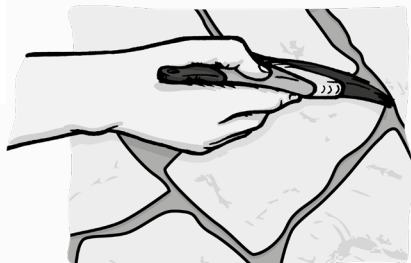


Get the grout mix to an even workable consistency, using a grout bag fill the joints evenly. Be careful not to over fill the joints and not to get mortar on the surface of the stone. To remove access grout, allow to dry to "thumb-print" hard before removing with a soft bristle brush.



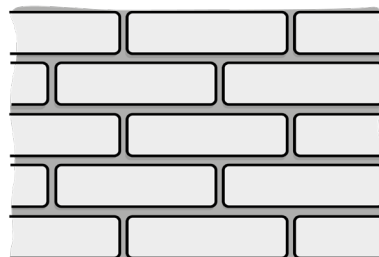
Note: Consult the **CMHA Installation Guide** to ensure proper installation in all applications and follow all local and state building codes. If you have any questions or need guidance on how to ensure compliance, feel free to contact us.

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Once the grout has dried to “thumb-print” hard you can begin to tool and finish the joints with a pointing tool or wooden dowel to achieve the desired look. Use a dry soft bristle brush to remove all remaining grout debris.

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Now your wall is ready for a lifetime of enjoyment. If cleaning of your wall is required, use a diluted mild detergent and water with a soft bristle brush to clean the surface. Use of pressure washer and harmful cleaners/acids will damage the stone.

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