

Installation Zellige Tiles

Our handmade Moroccan zellige tiles are well known for the natural variation in colour shading that makes each tile truly unique. Zellige installation is simple, but your tiler may have questions, so here is an easy guide to achieving a perfect fit:

Shuffling

First of all, several boxes should be opened and tiles with different tones and textures should be randomly selected and mixed around.

Prepare the surface

The tiling surface should be level and free of dust or dirt.

Adhesive

A layer of ceramic tile adhesive should be applied to the wall and to the back of the tile.

Placement

Each tile should be placed one by one by hand using wedge spacers between the tile's uneven edges. Tiles should be levelled by hand.

Cutting

Zellige tiles can be easily cut with tile cutters – angles can be achieved with diamond wet cutters.

Grouting

Using a grout colour that matches the glaze, spread the liquid mix over the zellige tiles, taking care that grout joints are well filled. Wipe away excess grout to ensure that there is no grout film over the tiles.

Our Zellige Tile Guide is intended for guidance only and the ultimate responsibility for laying these tiles remains with the tiler. We cannot accept any responsibility for any issues arising from the incorrect placement of these tiles as a result of this guidance.