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— Repairing Bianco Avorio or Bathstone —

The following instructions are provided to enable you to make the best possible repair of a small chip or repaired joint in Bianco Avorio or Bathstone.



In order to proceed, you will need the following tools and materials:

- Hammer
- Water Based Wood Adhesive (Evo-Stik)
- Small Filling Knife
- Sand Paper or Sanding Machine
- Sponge

Preparing the Stone for Filling

Take a piece of stone from the rear of the mantel or somewhere it will not be seen once installed.

With a hammer, gently grind the stone to a similar size to sugar granules, taking care not to over crush the stone to a powder, as this would be too fine to fill the chip.



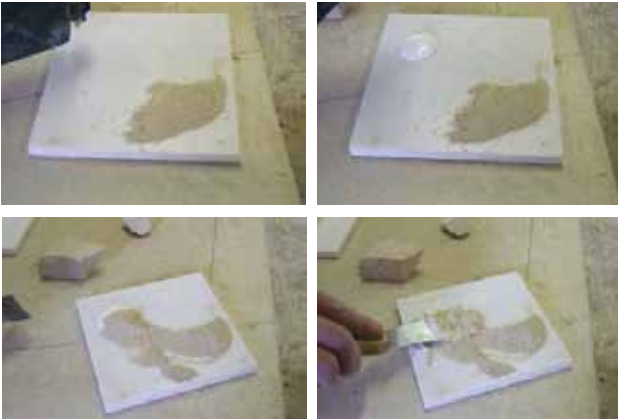
Preparing the Chip/Repaired Joint

In order for the adhesive to adhere to the stone, the stone needs to be wet. Take a wet sponge and wet the chip/repaired joint including the area around the chip/repaired joint.

You may need to repeat this several times depending on the temperature and dryness of the stone.

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Mixing the Crushed Stone with the Adhesive

Take the crushed stone and slowly add the wood adhesive until a firm paste is formed.

Filling the Chip/Repaired Joint

Take a wet sponge and wet the area, again. Using the filling knife push the stone paste very firmly into the chip/repared joint.



Sanding

Leave the stone paste to dry overnight, if possible place in a heated room.

Once dry, sand to the required profile using sand paper or a sanding machine.

Completed Work

Once sanded, the completed work should be nearly invisible, the edge of the chip/repared joint should appear similar to a calcite vein within the stone.



If you require any further technical assistance in relation to repairing stone, please do not hesitate to contact us on the following:

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