

# carpeturn.com™ Vinyl Plank Installation Essentials

Carpeturn.com is excited to install your vinyl plank floors! Vinyl planks, also known as luxury vinyl tiles (LVT), can provide outstanding long-term performance when proper manufacturer installation guidelines are followed. Carpeturn.com follows strict manufacturer specifications to ensure your material warranty is maintained over the product life cycle.

Prepare for your vinyl plank installation by following these guidelines!

**Temperature controlled environment** should be between 65°F and 85°F for a period of at least 48 hours prior to and after installation to ensure the bare floor is acclimated to accept adhesive and your new vinyl planks.

**Moisture tests** are required on commercial applications and recommended for ground floor apartment units and single family homes prior to vinyl plank installations to determine if any moisture is present in the subsurface that would prevent a successful installation.

**Materials will be delivered 24 or 48 hours prior to installation** per manufacturer standards, to ensure the new materials acclimate to the installation environment.

**Gypsum concrete floors are not a recommended surface** for vinyl plank installations. When installing over gypsum or other lightweight concrete floors, Acrylic primer sealer will be used to coat the surface prior to applying adhesive.

**Exposure to direct sunlight should be kept to a minimum.** Direct sunlight can rapidly heat the floor and cause plank deformity. Carpeturn.com can not warranty areas effected by exposure to direct sunlight; window treatments are strongly recommended.

Due to time required for floor patch and adhesive to cure, **installation times vary widely** when installing vinyl planks. Carpeturn.com can not guarantee the amount of time required for your installation and is not responsible for "lost time" or financial compensation due to installation delays resulting from temperature variations and humidity.

**Please remember to plan ahead for all vinyl plank installations.**

