

# VANITY INSTALLATION GUIDE

Unpack the vanity and inspect product for any shipping damages. If you find damages, do not install. Contact Customer Service at 1.866.855.2284.

We recommend consulting professional help if you are unfamiliar with installing bathroom vanities and/or plumbing.

Signature Hardware accepts no liability for any damage to the vanity, counter top, faucet, wall, plumbing or for personal injury during installation.

#### TOOLS AND MATERIALS:

Pencil Drill Silicone Sealant Stud Finder Screwdriver Wooden Shims Tape Measure Level Damp Cloth

## VANITY INSTALLATION

- 1. Determine your vanity placement and mark the area on the wall where it will be installed.
- 2. Locate and mark the location of the studs to which you will fasten your vanity. You can find studs by listening for a solid sound as you knock on the wall or by using a stud finder.

**Tip**: If the studs in your bathroom do not line up to the mounting location for your vanity, wood blocking can be installed between the studs using standard 2 x 4's. If wood blocking needs to be installed behind the finished wall, we recommend consulting a professional if you are unfamiliar with this type of installation.

- If your vanity cabinet has a solid back, mark and drill holes to accommodate drain pipes and supply pipes as necessary.
- 4. Place the vanity in the installation location. Verify that the vanity cabinet is level. If the vanity is not level, use vanity feet (if included) or wooden shims to adjust as necessary.
- 5. Attach the vanity to the wall by screwing through the mounting rail in the back of the vanity cabinet into the wall studs.

Note: For under-mount sinks, go to "Sink Installation Instructions" below before continuing to step 6.

- 6. Install the integral sink/vanity top by applying a dot of silicone sealant on the corners of the vanity. Position the vanity top onto the vanity and press firmly into place. Wipe away any excess sealant with a damp cloth.
- 7. If your vanity top has a separate side and/or back-splash, place a bead of adhesive silicone sealant on the back and press firmly into place.
- 8. Fill any gaps between the wall and splash, and vanity top and splash with silicone sealant. Wipe away excess sealant with a damp cloth.





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## VANITY TOP INSTALLATION

Important: If the vanity top weighs 50 lbs. or more, have someone assist you.



- 1. Lift the vanity top from the front edge, bringing to a vertical position, while keeping the back edge in the box.
- 2. Remove the vanity top from the box while maintaining its vertical position. You can use the sink openings to hold vanity top, but be sure to also the top from the bottom. Always maintain the top in a vertical position while carrying.
- 3. Carefully lift the vanity top onto the vanity, ensuring that the top does not hit or bump anything. Have someone assist you if you cannot easily handle weight of the top.
- 4. Slowly and carefully place the top on the vanity. Check that the top is level. If not, insert shims and adjust as necessary.
- 5. Raise the vanity top and place a dot of adhesive silicone sealant on the corners of the vanity.
- 6. Position the vanity top back onto the vanity and press firmly into place. Wipe away any excess sealant with a damp cloth.
- 7. If your vanity top has a separate side and/or back-splash, place a bead of adhesive silicone sealant on the back and press firmly into place. Fill the gaps between the wall and splash, and vanity top and splash with silicone sealant. Wipe away any excess sealant with a damp cloth.
- 8. Let the silicone dry for 24 hours before using your vanity.

#### NEVER CARRY THE VANITY TOP FLAT













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## SINK INSTALLATION

#### UNDERMOUNT SINK INSTALLATION

- 1. Carefully turn the counter top over, resting it on a soft, stable surface to prevent damage.
- 2. Position the undermount sink over the sink cutout on the counter top. Make sure the sink is centered with the faucet hole and is evenly spaced between the bolt holes.
- 3. Draw an outline of the sink on the counter top.
- 4. Remove the sink from the counter top. Apply a generous bead of silicone sealant around the perimeter of the sink rim.
- 5. Carefully place the sink upside down on the counter top, positioning it within the outline.
- 6. At each of the bolt holes in the counter, attach sink clips by placing the long end of the bracket flat against the sink lip. Screw the wing bolts through the brackets and bolt holes and tighten snugly.
- 7. Carefully turn the counter top and sink over. If needed, reposition the sink by slightly loosening the wing bolts and adjusting.
- 8. Remove any excess sealant and let dry for 24 hours.



#### SEMI-RECESSED SINK INSTALLATION

- 1. Carefully turn the sink over to rest upside down on the counter top.
- 2. Apply a continuous bead of silicone sealant to the outer edge of the sink where it will contact the counter.
- 3. Turn the sink back over, placing it inside the 13" cutout and position until centered.
- 4. Remove any excess sealant and let dry for 24 hours.





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### **VESSEL SINK INSTALLATION**

- 1. Carefully place the sink upside down on the counter top. Apply a continuous bead of silicone sealant to the base of the sink where it will rest on the counter.
- 2. Turn the sink right-side-up and position over the 2" drain hole.
- 3. If desired, apply a continuous bead of silicone sealant around the perimeter of the sink base for additional stability.
- 4. Remove any excess sealant and let dry for 24 hours.

