subway laying pattern guide



There are many ways to decorate a kitchen, bathroom or commercial wall area with subway tiles. By choosing a unique laying pattern, you can achieve some visually-stunning results! This subway laying pattern guide outlines both traditional and contemporary ways to install subway tiles. The effects that these patterns deliver will certainly make for individual & unique tiling projects. To see our full range of subway tiles, visit our Brisbane tile showroom.



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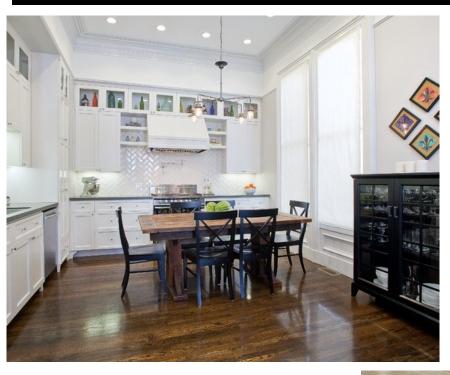
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herringbone





Herringbone

A pattern that creates waves of visual movement, the herringbone pattern is made from a 2:1 tile ratio. Turn the design shown 45-degrees and it becomes a chevron pattern.





1/3 offset





Offset 1/3

A variation of the offset joint, the offset 1/3 pattern creates a stair-step pattern with each joint offset 1/3 from the row of tiles below it. Rotate the pattern to run tiles vertically for the illusion of height.



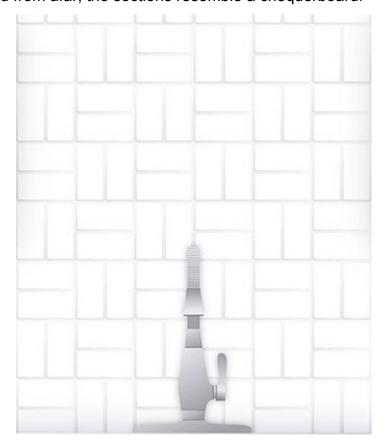
crosshatch





Crosshatch

The crosshatch pattern is a nod to a basket-weave tile pattern, with pairs installed vertically next to pairs installed horizontally. When viewed from afar, the sections resemble a chequerboard.



stack bond

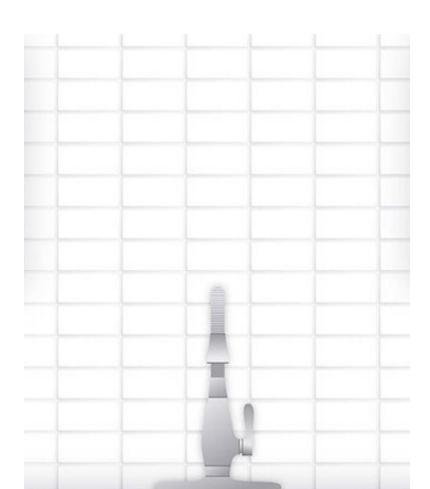






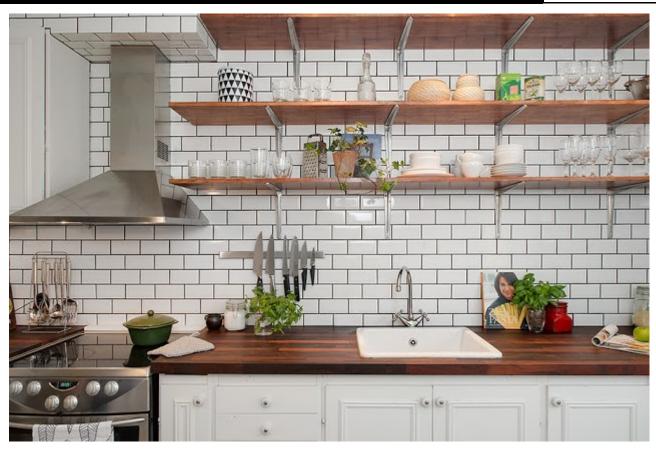
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The simplest of tile patterns, the straight-set pattern offers a more contemporary, linear look. Installed vertically or horizontally, the tile lines make your space feel taller or wider.



brick bond





Brick bond

The most popular subway pattern -- the brick bond layout -- offers a timeless look for almost any style. With each joint centred over the tile below, this pattern resembles classic brickwork. Vary the look by installing the tiles vertically.

