

CAUTION: Risk of product damage.

- It is advisable always to run in some cold water before turning on the hot tap
- Do not use abrasive cleaners.
- Wipe your bath with a soft cloth after each use to prevent a build-up of soap and residue.
- Avoid cleaning products that contain acetone, ethyl alcohol, amyl or ethyl acetate, sodium hypochlorite, toluene, or phenol. These products can damage the finish
- Extreme heat such as that generated by cigarettes or portable heaters can damage Acrylic surfaces. Do not use such items near your bath.
- In the event of slight scratches in the bath surface, a mild abrasive, similar to metal polish, can be used to polish these out.

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TO THE INSTALLER
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**Freestanding Bath & Feet
Installation Instructions**



Please read carefully prior to commencing any work.

Any installation should only be carried out by a qualified tradesman with knowledge of the Statutory Regulations and plumbing requirements for your area.

HANDLING

Please note that this product has been through our rigid quality control procedures which include a thorough visual inspection under bright lights water testing etc. Please unwrap the bath and check it carefully to ensure it has not been damaged in handling or transport which is beyond our control.

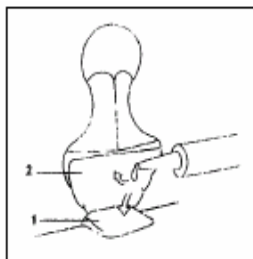
Do not remove the old fixture before you unpack and inspect the new unit. Upon receipt, check for shortages. Report any shortages immediately. Store the bath and wall surrounds in a safe place until you begin installation to avoid damage.

Claims regarding cracks and/or face damage must be reported within 24 hours of receipt of the product. No such claims will be recognised after installation as this is classed as acceptance of the product.

The bath should not be exposed to direct flame or abnormal heat. Once installed it is good practice to cover the entire bath with a soft protective cloth until other trades have completed their work.

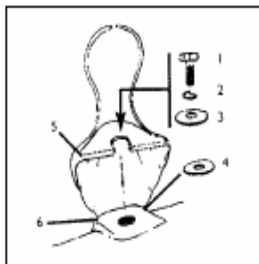
Fitting of Resin Feet

1. Remove four feet and one tube of high specification resin from the box
2. If colouring of feet is required, it is recommended that this be done prior to fixing. Cellulose or acrylic based paints are advisable
3. Invert the bath and ensure that the bath platform, surface and mounting area are free from grease and dust etc.
4. Apply adhesive liberally, covering the foot platform (1) and covering the surface area of the foot (2) (see diagram, adhesive tape may be used to hold the feet in position whilst the adhesive dries – at least 12 hours)



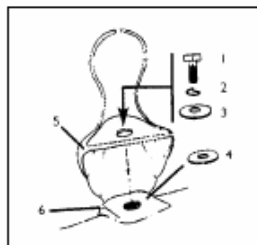
Fitting of Cast Iron Feet

1. It is recommended that the feet be painted prior to fixing. Cellulose primer should be used as this will protect the feet from rusting.
2. Place the spring washers (2) and the penny washers (3) on to the M10 bolt (1)
3. Align holes on foot (5) and bath platform (6). Fasten the bolt using a 17mm spanner. N.B Take care not to over tighten.
4. For uneven floor use the extra penny washer (4) and place between the foot and the platform where the two are tightened together.



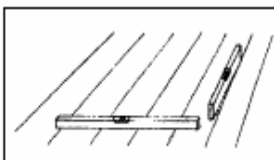
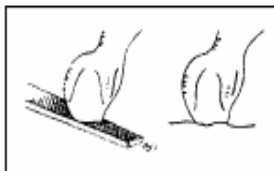
Fitting of Polished Feet

1. Place the spring washers (2) and the penny washers (3) on to the M10 bolt (1)
2. Align holes on foot (5) and bath platform (6). Fasten the bolt using a 17mm spanner. N.B Take care not to over tighten.
3. For uneven floor use the extra penny washer (4) and place between the foot and the platform where the two are tightened together.



Levelling the floor

1. Before plumbing in your freestanding bath check that the floor is level by using a 1700mm spirit level.
2. If the floor is uneven the bath feet can be packed slightly (see feet fitting)
3. If packing of the foot is insufficient then the base of the foot can be filed, slightly shaping it to the contour of the floor.



Painting your bath

1. Slightly sand the bath all over using 800 grit sand paper.
2. Wipe the bath down making sure it is clear of duct and grease etc.
3. It is recommended that an acrylic based paint is used.

Feet – Further Advice

It is very important that your feet are fully secured to the bath prior to installation.

Due to the bath being hand-made there may be slight variations from the specification.

- If the feet do not fit exactly in alignment with the foot platform hole, then elongate the hole in the foot with either a drill or file.
- Alternatively you may wish to make adjustments to the large circular washers to avoid them pushing the feet away from the bath in some cases
- If the feet feel loose upon securing them to the bath, undo the foot, place silicone sealant around the area where the foot and bath meet. Place the foot back on the bath and hand tighten bolts. Wait for the silicone to dry and then fully tighten bolts to bath.
- All feet are supplied with 4 bolts (M10), 8 washers and 4 springs.

Bath – Further Advice

All Clearwater Collection Baths are made with double skin acrylic.

When plumbing in your bath it is very important to seal all holes that water travels through such as the waste and overflow holes.

Clearwater suggests smearing silicone inside the holes giving it a watertight finish.

Care should be taken not to drop any thing in the bath because this causes dents and scratches on the hard surface at the bottom.

Clearwater Collection will not take responsibility for any scratches or dents made after the bath has been delivered.