







# Creating a Spa-Like Bathroom with Floor Tiles. A Step-by-Step Guide

Imagine stepping into your bathroom and feeling the same sense of calm you experience at a luxury spa. With the right floor tiles, this dream can become a reality. After spending countless hours at the tile shop and consulting with experts, I've put together a guide to help you create your own spa-like retreat.

## Start with the Right Tiles

The floor is the foundation of your bathroom's design. During my renovation, a designer at the tile shop recommended large-format tiles. These tiles, typically 24x24 inches or larger, create fewer grout lines, resulting in a sleek, luxurious look.

## Incorporate Natural Elements

Nature-inspired tiles can transform your bathroom into a tranquil oasis. At the tile shop, I was captivated by tiles that mimic natural materials like marble, limestone, and wood-look porcelain. These options combine beauty with practicality.

A friend of mine recently used porcelain tiles that resemble river stones in her bathroom. "It feels like I'm stepping into a serene stream every morning," she said. That's the kind of peaceful vibe we're aiming for.

## Create a Cohesive Look

Using the same tile on the floor and walls can make your bathroom feel more spacious and unified. This tip, shared by a designer at the tile shop, is especially effective in smaller spaces.

## Choose Calming Colors

Color plays a significant role in creating a relaxing atmosphere. While white tiles are a classic choice, softer hues like warm grays, beiges, and blues can enhance the spa-like feel. Many tile shops now offer digital tools to help you visualize different color options.



## Practical Tips

1. **Test Samples:** Always bring tile samples home to see how they look in your bathroom's lighting.
2. **Consider Maintenance:** Textured tiles add grip but can be harder to clean. Choose a surface that's both stylish and practical.
3. **Add Warmth:** Underfloor heating is a luxurious addition, especially in colder climates.

## Pay Attention to Details

