

# About Tile/Coping/Accent Walls

## Tile

- The sooner you are able to choose a [tile](#) the smoother it will be – we can check for pricing and availability early and order anything that may need to be shipped in from afar. Typically, all 6" x 6" porcelain tiles are including the in tile material allotment price. Glass tiles and porcelain deco tiles are usually additional, a few hundred dollars. Other tile sizing is allowed, but may be subject to material/labor increase.
- If your contract does not include step tile or mosaics, this is the time to add them on. These will be installed close to the plaster date, but often these materials are speciality order and need time to come in. Delaying ordering mosaics/step tile until end of project may result in a delay in plastering your pool when anticipated.

## Coping

- Some contracts specify coping surrounding the pool. Like tile, choosing a coping early in the process can help things move along as sometimes it must be transferred in from other states. You can explore coping options through [Aquabella](#), [Thompsons Building Supply](#), [Brickyard](#), or [NPT](#). Your contract will specify the price allotment for coping material as well as the size requirement – typically coping needs to be 12" x 24" x 3CM (or 1.5inches) unless specified otherwise.

## Raised Accent Wall

- Standard tile faced installation includes the front and the sides of the raised wall. Some customers want a [stone veneer finish](#) instead of tile, but keep in mind it may be subject to a change order if over the tile material allotment as outline in the contract . It is standard for the back of the raised wall to be unfinished. Most customers (including on our personal pool), leave it as is. Some customers choose to apply stucco or paint directly on it. If you would like to upgrade to have tile surrounding the entire wall, we can provide an estimate if not already done so.