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Tile Depot opens new store in Tonbridge

- With exclusive trade savings and opening offers

Tile Depot, the UK's largest independent tile, stone and wood retailer, is delighted to announce the opening of a brand new store in Tonbridge, Kent and some fantastic opening offers for trades' people.



To celebrate the launch of its Tonbridge store, tilers, plumbers, builders and other relevant trades' people in the area will receive an exclusive mailer containing vouchers entitling them to an extra 15% off the usual trade prices on anything at the new store, as well as half price Granfix ready-mixed tile adhesive and Buy One Get One Free on the retailer's own 'Ronnie' [rapid-set flexible tile adhesive](#).

In addition, trades' people who register for a Tile Depot Trade Card before 30th April will receive the choice of 20 litres of ready-mix adhesive, 40kg of rapid-set flexible adhesive or 20kg of flexible grout absolutely free of charge.

The new Tile Depot store sits in a prominent position at 408 Vale Road, close to Howdens and the Postern Industrial Estate, just a short distance from Tonbridge town centre and has created three local jobs with new employees from Tonbridge, Maidstone and Crowborough.

The new store is now open, providing a [massive choice of wall and floor tiles](#) in ceramic, porcelain and natural stone as well as mosaics and finishing touches, grouts and adhesives, real wood and laminate flooring, underfloor heating, [tiling tools and accessories](#) in-store to take away today.



Tile Depot is a brand new type of tile store for Tonbridge featuring lifestyle displays throughout the store, which can help tilers and their customers visualise how finished rooms may look, giving ideas and inspiration by showing the use of different colours and sizes as well as how to combine tiles with mosaics, borders, trims and decorative tiles for the latest effects.

Shopping at Tile Depot is easy – open seven days a week from 8am till 6pm on weekdays with professional, knowledgeable staff and the retailers’ useful ‘Loan a Tile’ service – and Tile Depot will also buy back unused tiles.

David Fitzgerald, operations director at Tile Depot, said: “Further to the success of our Crawley store, which opened in 2010, we are thrilled with the opening of the brand new store in Tonbridge. Our Trade Card is extremely popular in all our other stores and we’re delighted to be able to extend the benefits to trades’ people in Kent. The Tile Depot Trade Card guarantees the best trade prices around. Holders of the card also receive ongoing trade savings with up to 50% off a choice of grouts and adhesives, up to 45% off tiles, up to 25% off tools and up to 10% off under floor heating as well as mailers entitling them to additional exclusive special offers and discounts. With the Trade Card, it makes sense for trades’ people to shop at Tile Depot.”

Opening offers for everyone at the Tonbridge store include a selection of wall and floor tiles at just £4.99 per square metre and over 100 other tile ranges at half price.

Tile Depot is an official stockist of Tuscan, Quick-Step and Krono flooring as well as Granfix grouts and adhesives; Fila sealants, care and maintenance products; Rubi tools; Thermonet under floor heating and the trend-leading Dune collection of inspirational tiles along with other leading tile and tiling product brands.

Tilers, plumbers, builders and other relevant trades’ people can register for a [Tile Depot Trade Card](#) and make immediate savings by simply popping into the brand new Tile Depot store at 408 Vale Road in Tonbridge, with a proof of business.



There are now 16 Tile Depot stores throughout London and the South East – in Aylesbury, Basingstoke, Bedford, Crawley, Cricklewood, Edgware, Greenford, Hanwell, High Wycombe, Milton Keynes, Slough, Tonbridge, Uxbridge, Watford, Wembley and Whetstone - and ordering is also available online, at www.thetiledepot.co.uk.

For more information about Tile Depot in Tonbridge, pop into the store at 408 Vale Road or call 01732 351600. For general information about Tile Depot, visit www.thetiledepot.co.uk or call 08000 740720.

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Digital images are available from bubblepr@mac.com

Note to Editors:

Tile Depot is the UK's largest independent tile and stone retailer, with 16 stores across London and the South East and a massive range of ceramic, porcelain and natural stone wall and floor tiles, borders and mosaics, along with wooden flooring, under floor heating and all associated tools, after-care products and accessories, to take away today.

Trade and retail customers enjoy the very best value with Tile Depot's Price Promise, and shopping is easy with free parking, in-store lifestyle displays, the Loan-a-Tile service and helpful, knowledgeable staff. Tile Depot will even buy back unused tiles. In recognition as one of the most outstanding retailers of 2010, Tile Depot holds a '2010 Best Buy' award and a place in the Homes & Bargains' 2010 Roll of Honour – based on quality homeware, value for money and customer service.

Open seven days a week - till 6pm on weekdays. Stores are located in: Aylesbury, Basingstoke, Bedford, Crawley, Cricklewood, Edgware, Greenford, Hanwell, High Wycombe, Milton Keynes, Slough, Tonbridge, Uxbridge, Watford, Wembley and Whetstone, and online at www.thetiledepot.co.uk.

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