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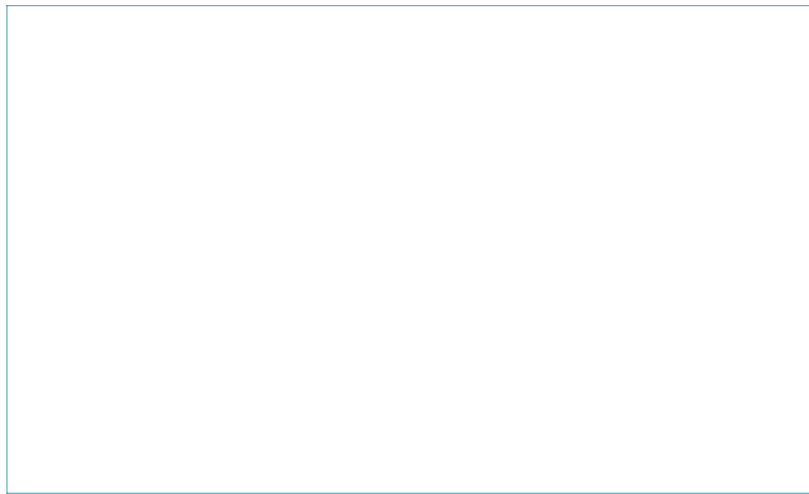
CUSTOM-MADE VANITY/FAUCET INSTALLATION

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With the flooring installation complete, homeowners John and Amy bring in a custom-made cabinet to act as the new bathroom vanity.

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Materials:

- drywall screws
- stud finder
- hole saw
- drill
- wrench
- silicone
- adjustable wrench

Custom-made Vanity Installation

1. Measure the location of the plumbing and transfer the measurements to the back of the cabinet. Using a bit, mark the locations on the inside.
2. Take a hole saw to the inside of the cabinet and push all the way through (**figure A**).



Figure A



Figure B

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- Find the studs in the wall behind where the vanity is going to be installed.
- Pull a plumb line from the stud marks. These lines will guide the placement of the screws.
- Slide the cabinet into place and drill pilot holes to prevent any splintering in the wood.

- Drive 2-1/2 inch drywall screws through the pilot holes and into the studs behind the wall, anchoring the cabinet to the wall (**figure B**).

Faucet Installation

- Attach the hot and cold water lines to the bottom of the faucet stem. These lines will connect directly to the shutoffs (**figure C**).
- Snug up the connections with a small adjustable wrench.
- Roll out a quarter inch bead of plumber's putty and press it inside the trim ring to create a watertight seal between the faucet and the counter.
- Attach the faucet to the countertop with the half moon mounting washer and mounting post nut (**figure D**).
- Attach the flexible hoses to the hot and cold shutoffs and tighten the nuts with the adjustable wrench.
- Finish the installation of the faucet before dropping in the sink.
- Another bead of plumbers putty goes around the drain stem.
- From the bottom, place a rubber washer then a metal nut to tighten the entire drain system (**figure E**).
- The last piece of drain assembly has a small hole on the side, which will connect to the pop-up.
- Before dropping the sink, run a line of silicone around the bottom lip (**figure F**).

RESOURCES :

Countertop

Website: www.silestoneusa.com

Faucet

Model #: 278.100.620

Towel Bars

Model #: 477.324.620

Towel Ring

Model #: 477.440.620

Robe Hooks

Model #: 477.545.620

Toilet Paper Holder

Model #: 477.650.620

Knobs

Model #: 623.125.620

Website: www.cifialusa.com

Cabinets

Model #: 278.100.620

Website: www.bridgewoodcabinets.com

Toilet

Self-Rimming Lavatory

Model #: 6091-068-0013



Figure C



Figure D



Figure E



Figure F

Website: www.vitra-usa.com

Mirror

Bath Light Fixture

Model #: 6953/4

Website: www.elklighting.com

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