

NATURAL
LONG LASTING
UNFADING
SLATE



Made in the USA since the 1700s. One of the strongest, longest lasting, most fade resistant slates on Earth.

OUR PRODUCTS

ROOFING

Buckingham® Slate is a superior roofing slate due to its resistance to acids, low absorption rate, genuine unfading qualities and extra-long product lifespan. Our slate is quarried and manufactured in the USA. It always has been and always will be.

Stocked Sizes:

- 10x6, 10x7, 10x8"
- 12x6, 12x7, 12x8, 12x9, 12x10"
- 14x7, 14x8, 14x9, 14x10, 14x11, 14x12"
- 16x8, 16x9, 16x10, 16x11, 16x12, 16x14"
- 18x9, 18x10, 18x11, 18x12, 18x13, 18x14"
- 20x9, 20x10, 20x11, 20x12, 20x13, 20x14"
- 22x10, 22x11, 22x12, 22x13, 22x14"
- 24x11, 24x12, 24x13, 24x14, 24x16"



Standard Thicknesses: 3/8" or 3/16"

**Custom thicknesses available*
***Slight variations in thicknesses are normal (a result of the natural cleft in each stone)*

FLOORING

Interior and exterior random patterns or uniform tiles
 Natural cleft or honed front (surface), gauged back
 1/4", 1/2", 3/4" and 1" thicknesses

CUSTOM/STRUCTURAL

- Stair Treads and Risers
- Wall Cladding
- Fireplace Hearths and Fireplace Surrounds
- Wall Caps and Pool Coping
- Window Sills
- Countertops
- Tabletops
- Monument and Headstone Blanks

**Custom finishes and edges available on most products*
***Edge options include finished with arris removed, 1/4 bevel, 1/4 nose, bull nose, rounded corners, and custom*

FLAGGING

- Quarry Run Flagging 3/4" to 1" thick irregular shapes with 3 sawn edges
- Mega Flagging 3/4" to 1 1/2" thick irregular shapes with no sawn edges
- Large Quarry Run 1" to 2" thick irregular shapes with no sawn edges
- Stepping Stones 12x12" to 24x24" in 6" intervals

WALL STONE

- Antique Wall Stone
- Antique Boulders
- Black and White Mini Boulders
- Black Wall Stone
- Brown Wall Stone
- Cut Wall Stone

CRUSHED STONE

Dust to 2" pieces for driveways, walkways, septic fill, parking lots, concrete bedding, landscape ground cover, etc...

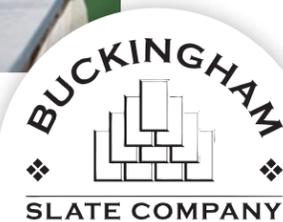


"Buckingham Slate is a black slate with a life expectancy of about 150 years, maybe more. It can be seen on structures such as the Smithsonian Castle in Washington, D.C."

—Slate Roof Central

"A durable, very hard, unfading black slate continues to be produced in Buckingham County near Arvon, Virginia. This historically significant roofing slate has a distinct glistening mica sheen. Slate from Buckingham County does not change color."

—National Slate Association Publication, "Slate Roofs"



"One of the few unfading slates. Fading in slate is an indication of disintegration that weakens the roof and ruins the architectural ensemble. Buckingham Slate is UNFADING under all conditions."

—U.S. Geological Survey Bulletin No. 586, "Slate in the United States"

"The roof is constructed of 'Buckingham Slate' quarried from Buckingham County, Virginia and known for its long-lasting durability. Overall the roof is in excellent condition, a tribute to the durability of Buckingham County slate."

—National Preservation Society inspection results of the "Windsor and Brunswick Apartment" (an over 100 year old structure in Roanoke, Virginia)

WHAT THE EXPERTS ARE SAYING



WHAT MAKES BUCKINGHAM® SLATE SUCH A GREAT CHOICE WHEN GOING GREEN?

Slate Roofs are Healthy Roofs

A properly installed natural slate roof is one of the healthiest roofing products around and requires just two things to install (slate and nails), unlike petroleum-based roofing materials and common roofing adhesives that can emit harmful gas and volatile organic compounds (VOCs) into the air around your home for weeks, months and even years after being installed.

+150 Year Product Lifespan

Most roofing products are not manufactured to last more than 20 years; however, Buckingham® Slate roofs routinely last five times that long with minimal repair and maintenance needs. From an environmental standpoint, that is five times less roofing that is destined to end up in your local landfill. Buckingham® Slate is widely considered to be one of the longest lasting products available.

Did You Know?

Thomas Jefferson specified Buckingham® Slate on almost all of his building projects. Additionally, you can find Buckingham® Slate on notable national buildings such as the Smithsonian Castle and Ford's Theatre in Washington, D.C.



Made in the USA

Domestic slate means minimal natural resources are consumed while shipping from quarry to jobsite.



"Exceeding expectations for over 150 years"

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Buckingham® Slate has been continuously quarried since the late 1700s in the Arvon area of Buckingham County, Virginia. It is derived from natural stone of exceptional enduring qualities and has proven its permanent nature by continuous use on roofs for over 150 years without signs of fading or decay. Buckingham® Slate is assurance to architects and owners that their building will receive a lifetime of protection and that the beauty which they build into the structure will be preserved. Many consider it the finest slate on Earth.

