



How to Spread River Rock or Decorative Pebble.

River rock or Decorative Pebbles can be a beautiful addition to your landscaping.

These pebbles can also enhance moisture retention for your plants, allowing for better growth. They also won't break down like a bark or organic mulch

When placed around trees, flowerbeds, and even Zen gardens, they add a touch of calm and tranquility to the landscape.

However, placement of these rocks takes some thought especially if you are using large bold rocks like Sandstone Boulders etc.

Here are some tips and tricks to ensure you attain the results you are looking for.

1. Remove Debris

- Before placing the rocks down where you want them, you should ensure the area is free of debris.
- This includes grasses, weeds, roots, and other unsightly natural growth.
- By eliminating these problems now, you will spend less time tending the rocks later.

2. Plant out garden

- If you are planting any plants of substantial size that need to be in the same area as the rock, you should plant them first.
- Once rock is down it is a painful job to move them if you need to add plants so make sure positioning out your rock is the final job.

3. Add River Rock or Decorative Pebble

- Now, it's time to add the pebbles to complete the look you have been working towards.
- You should spread a 3cm layer around the plants
- Much of this will be slow work, as you will need to take care around your freshly planted foliage.
- Rock that is poured into this area can damage the work you have already done. It is better to spread the rock by handfuls, carefully spreading it out as you go.
- There are many different shades of River Rock (from creams through to bold maroon shades) with our Mary River Rock having multiple shades in the one load. Colour choice in the decorative pebble range will be up to the kind of look you are aiming for.