

# CHEKARI

## Cleaning & Care

For hygienic purposes, wash all newly purchased ceramics before first use with a mild solution of liquid detergent.

### Hand Wash (Recommended)

Wash your ceramics in warm to hand-hot water with mild dish soap and a soft wash cloth or sponge. Hand or air dry. To prevent damage or scratching, avoid using steel wool, caustic liquids, and abrasive cleaners. Be wary, even while emerged in water, glazed surfaces may become scratched if rubbed against one another with any force. Tea and coffee stains may be removed with any tea or coffee stain remover.

### Dishwasher

Follow the guidelines below to prevent any adverse effects to your ceramic's appearance and durability in the dishwasher.

- To avoid the risk of scratching, load dishwasher so that no two pieces touch each other. Do not overload.
- Use normal quantity of detergent as instructed by manufacturer.
- Follow with rinse cycle to ensure any deposits of detergent are flushed away.

\*Please note, any sudden changes in temperature (i.e. moving items from freezer to microwave or from warming plate to cool water) are likely to cause thermal-shock, which may ultimately cause damage to the ceramics.

\*\*Avoid direct exposure to flames and rapid changes of temperature.

### Microwave

Products may be used in microwaves and microwave ovens.\*

### Freezer

Products may be safely stored in refrigerators and freezers.

### Warming

Products are safe to warm gradually and evenly up to 220°F / 104°C.\*\*

### Hard Water

Hard water deposits may be easily removed with a dilute acid, e.g. vinegar.

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