

When and how to change your door/ash door rope.

When to: -

Woodwarm recommend that you change your door rope when it has become flat and lets air into the stove.

You can check this by using a piece of paper. When the stove is cold, open the door, place a flat piece of paper across the stove opening and close the door. If the paper is pulled out easily it is likely that you have a poor seal. Repeat this process around the whole door.

You may be able to extend the life of your rope temporarily, by pinching it between your thumb and finger to fluff it up.

How to: -

Before you begin you will need: -

1. A large soft cloth.
2. Replacement Rope or ash door rope.
3. An Allen Key if your stove has a socket button head screw at the base of the hinge pin.

Then: -

1. Remove the door by lifting it off the hinges. This is easier with 2 people. (Some models may have a socket button head screw at the base of the hinge pin which needs removing first with an Allen Key.)
2. Lay the door onto the soft cloth.
3. Take a photo or remember where your rope starts and ends.
4. Remove the rope by easing it out of the groove.
5. Ensure the door groove is free from any debris.
6. Woodwarm do not recommend you use glue but if you are tempted, please only dab a few dots occasionally along the groove or when you change the rope next time you may find it difficult to remove the rope.
7. Carefully lay the rope around the door crevice making sure it is evenly spread.
8. Push the rope into the groove using only thumb pressure.
9. Replace the door onto the hinges. You may need to tap the hinge pins down.