#3 : TIE YOUR HOUSE TOGETHER WITH TIESTONES

Tiestones (including throughstones and cornerstones) hold your walls together and reduce the risk of walls collapsing or peeling apart.

**TIESTONE MATERIALS**

Choose strong materials for use as tiestones.

- Select long flat stones for use as tiestones. Shape stones with a tool if needed.
- Reinforced concrete tiestones
- Timber Dowel tiestones

**CORNERSTONES**

Cornerstones strengthen your walls and help reduce the risk of corner collapse. Use them on every corner in your building.

**THROUGHSTONES**

Throughstones help prevent your walls from peeling apart.

Carefully select long and flat throughstones. Make sure they span the thickness of the wall.

- Use throughstones at maximum 2 foot vertical and horizontal spacings. Strong

**TIESTONES AT WALLS**

Tie your walls together, otherwise they can easily collapse.