Galbraith & Paul

Wallpaper Installation Guidelines

Galbraith & Paul recommends using a guild-certified wall covering installer (wallcoveringinstallers.org)

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Before you start:

Please ensure you have the correct wallpaper and the right amount to finish the job. Please inspect the wallpaper carefully to make sure it has no defects prior to installing. Galbraith & Paul accepts no responsibility for wallpaper once it has been cut.

Wall Preparation:

Wall should be prepped to a smooth, clean, and dry surface prior to installation. Wallcovering will not hide wall flaws such as nail holes, bumps, or dirt.

Primer sealer should be used on unpainted drywall. Use a hard, acrylic, pigmented wall-protecting primer. Products such as Shieldz Pigmentable Wallcovering Primer, Professional Ultra Prime (PRO-977), or Allpro Ultra Prep 685 are all suitable.

Paste Information:

Clear adhesives such as Professional Ultra Premium Heavy Duty Clear Strippable (PRO-880) and Allpro Pro-Duty 3400 provide good adhesion and allow for easier stripping when the wall covering is to be removed or replaced.

Pastes such as Professional Heavy Duty Clear PRO-838 have a more aggressive adhesion and should be used for more permanent applications.

Apply a coat of the adhesive using a 1/2" nap paint roller. Book for 10 minutes.

Hanging information:

Do not use tape on imaged surface.

Align top and adjoining edges. Smooth panels into place with a smoothing brush, starting at the center of the panel working towards the edges. Use a plastic smoother to push air pockets to the edges.

The low wet expansion of these products allows double cutting at the seams. Overlapping the seams is not recommended.

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