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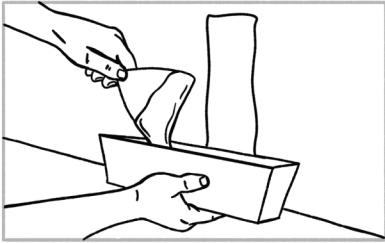
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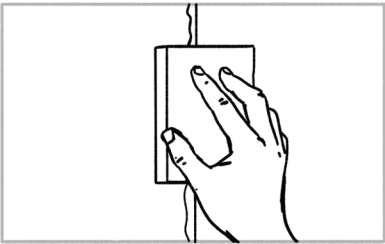
### Wall Preparation :

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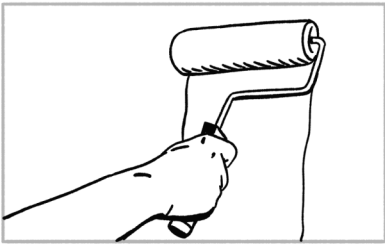
#### 1. Inspecting the wall :

Prepare all surfaces, including drywall, old paint, residual wallpaper, and any imperfections, if necessary. Fill chips, holes, and cracks, then sand and prime blank or repaired areas.



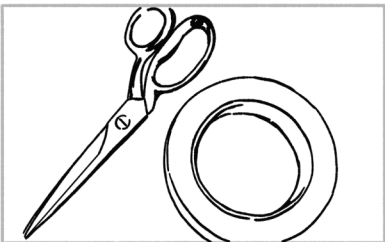
#### 2. Cleaning the wall :

For Matte Surfaces: Scrape flaking areas, sand flat, wash with all-purpose cleaner. For Glossy Surfaces: Clean thoroughly and seal with an acrylic primer. In rooms prone to mildew: Clean the walls with a bleach & hot water mixture.



#### 3. Priming the wall :

Apply an even coat of acrylic primer to seal the wall against moisture. This coat will assist with wallpaper positioning. Allow the primer to cure for at least 48 hr. (If using paint allow up to 30 days for the paint to set.)



#### Additional Tips :

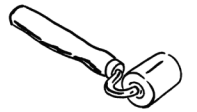
Use sharp tools and replace blades as needed.  
Smooth bubbles outward with gentle, even strokes to avoid creasing.  
Protect wallpaper edges from excess adhesive with painter's tape.  
For proper curing, avoid high humidity and maintain room temperature.

### Tools :

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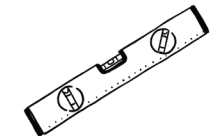
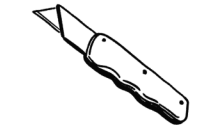
#### Installation Tools :

Microfiber Cloth  
Pencil  
Seam Roller / Smoother  
Sharp Scissors  
Straight-Edge Level  
Utility Knife (& Spare Blades)  
Wallpaper Brush



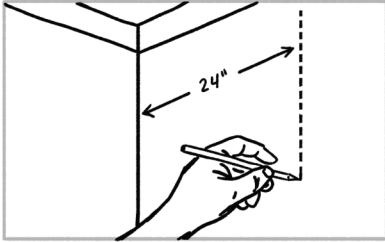
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All Purpose Cleaner  
Bleach & Water (if needed)  
Painter's Tape  
Sandpaper  
Spackle (if needed)



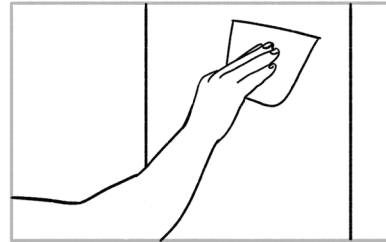
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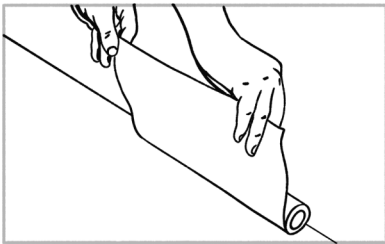
### 1. Create a Vertical Guideline :

Check the ceiling for level, then measure one wallpaper width (e.g., 24") from the corner and draw a vertical guideline for all of your panels to follow.



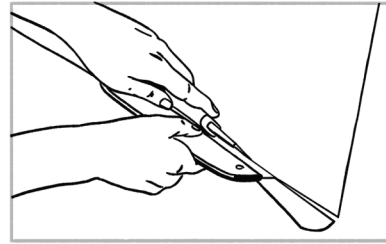
### 5. Smoothing the Paper :

Press the adhesive firmly to the top of the wall. Use a wallpaper brush or smoother to smooth from top to bottom and center outward, removing all bubbles.



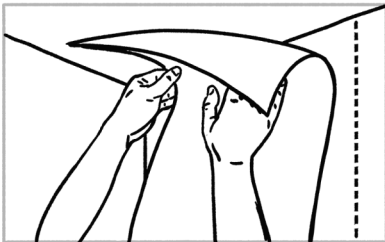
### 2. Begin Your Install :

Position the roll against the wall with the design facing out. Peel back the first 6 inches of backing from the wallpaper.



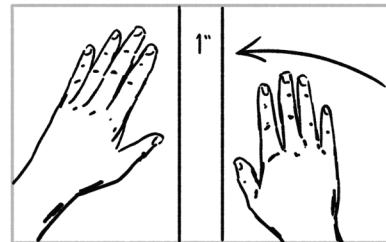
### 6. Trim Excess Length :

Continue until the wallpaper reaches the floor or baseboard. Then, use a straightedge and utility knife to trim any excess.



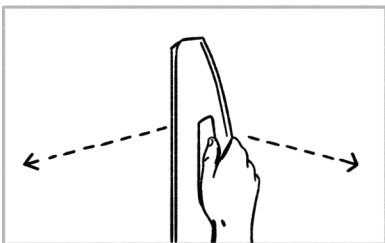
### 3. Unrolling the Paper :

Unroll smoothly until the top edge reaches the ceiling and the vertical edge is flush with the vertical guideline.



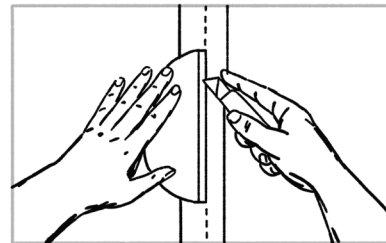
### 7. Apply Additional Strips :

Position each new strip with a 1" overlap to align the pattern. If misaligned, gently peel back from the top or bottom just enough to match, then reposition carefully to avoid distorting.



### 4. Adhering the Paper :

Pull the backing down evenly, about 2 ft. at a time. Press the wallpaper in a gentle concave motion, pushing air bubbles toward the edges.



### 8. "Double-Cut" the Seam (Optional) :

Use a straightedge and knife to cut the overlap, leaving  $\frac{1}{2}$ " of material on each side of the cut. Lift the seam to remove both  $\frac{1}{2}$ " strips, then press the seam flat with a seam roller for a "butt-joint" look.