Quick Guide to Entryway Sets

From LookInTheAttic & Company

Entryway sets make a statement, and we can coordinate your entryway with highsecurity deadbolt locks, custom kick plates, matching door knockers and door bells.

1. What measurements do I need to know before choosing an entryway set?

- a. Backset this is the length from the edge of the door to the center of the knob (more plainly, how far *back* the knob *sets* (backset). The most common backsets are 2 3/8 inch or 2 3/4 inch.
- b. Deadbolt-Knob distance this is the length or distance from the center of the knob to the center of the deadbolt. If the door plate and deadbolt are separate pieces, this measurement is not needed. However, for



larger single-piece door plates, this is a mandatory measurement. The standard distance is $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches, but we can accommodate custom orders.

2. Can you accommodate various thicknesses of doors?

Yes! The most common thicknesses are 1 3/8 inch or 1 1/2 inch – but other thicknesses exist. Contact us if you have an unusually sized door and we can help.

3. Can the deadbolts be keyed alike or match my existing deadbolts?

Yes, we can do that most of the time. We can fit most common keys including Schlage and Yale.

4. How difficult is this to install?

On a scale from easy to difficult, this would be moderately easy. It should take about 1 hour from start to clean-up.

5. Do I need to re-drill my door?

Usually not - the standard 2 1/8 inch bore hole will work just fine. The deadbolt and mechanism use a standard 1 inch hole.

6. Do you have other coordinating hardware?

Yes, we have coordinating door bells, hinges, kick plates, door knockers and other accessories for your front entrance.

Our goal is to make a new entryway set installation easy for you. Our entryway sets are made to be drop-in replacements. Contact us if you have any technical questions you wish to have answered beforehand and we can assist you. Be sure to visit our online catalog of kick plates, door bells and door knockers. We can coordinate finishes for a complete new look.