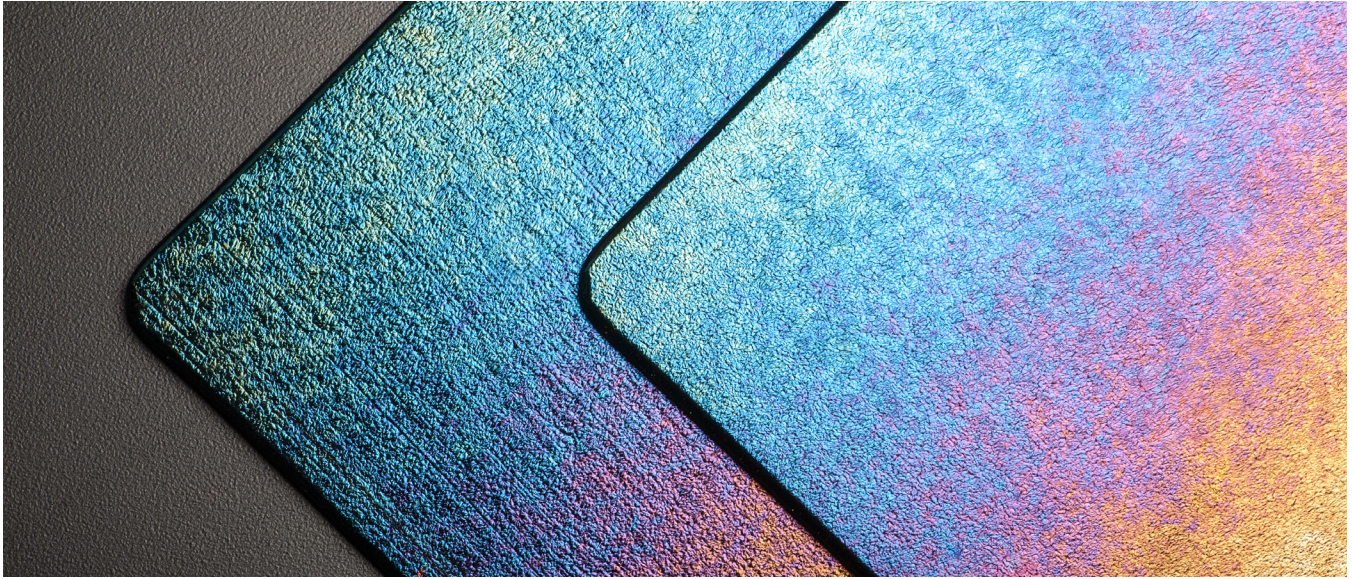


🎯 Quick Tip: Smooth It Out



Create a smooth, uniform surface on the shelf side of your fired work—not a brush stroke in sight!

First, prepare a kilnshelf with Bullseye Shelf Primer. Follow the instructions in our free video [Preparing Kiln Shelves](#) to prime and dry the shelf.

Once the shelf has cooled, *gently* buff the surface with a sheet of standard copy paper.

Tip the shelf upright with the primer side away from you and tap it lightly against a hard surface to knock off the loosened primer (to ease cleanup, tap the shelf onto a

piece of butcher paper). Ideally, this will be done with local ventilation, wearing a NIOSH approved respirator.

Note: The buffed surface is delicate. Avoid sliding pieces of sheet glass across it, as primer can collect in the seams.

This technique is ideal for works with a single base sheet or minimal seams. We're especially fond of the effect on iridized glass, though it's equally effective on non-iridized opals & transparents.