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Self Adhesive Peel and Stick Wallpaper DIY Step-by-Step Installation Guide

What you'll need:

- Measuring tape
- Level
- Pencil
- Utility knife or scissors
- Straight edge or ruler
- Step ladder
- Viponds self-adhesive prep-coat (Unique primer for the wall surface, specific for self-adhesive wall coverings)

Note: Avoid using plastic tools on delicate wallpapers which may harm the surface of your wallpaper, and follow manufacturer instructions carefully for best results.

Let's begin:

1. Prioritize safety by turning off electricity. Remove power outlet and light switch covers, and cover outlet holes with masking tape. Wipe around outlets with a dry cloth to eliminate any dust.
2. Adhere to our pre-purchase checklist for seamless wallpaper installation and ensure that no steps are overlooked! Avoid applying wallpaper to freshly painted walls; allow your paint to cure for 30 days. Once cured, apply three complete coats of 'Viponds self-adhesive prep-coat,' a specialized product designed specifically for self-adhesive wall coverings. Prior to installation, wipe the wall with a dry lint-free cloth to eliminate any dust. Avoid using chemical cleaners or water; the wall must be entirely dry and free of dust before proceeding with installation.
3. Don't forget to inspect your wallpaper! Before installation, lay out all the panels and thoroughly examine them for imperfections and proper sequencing (You wouldn't want to reach the last panel only to find out it's in the wrong order!). Each panel is labeled on the bottom left corner, Panel 1, Panel 2, Panel 3 and so on.
4. Starting at the far left of your wall, (never install in the middle of a wall, and always start in your most inconspicuous corner). Begin by positioning yourself at the far left of the wall. Use a ruler and pencil to mark 43cm (430mm) from the top and bottom corners of the wall. Draw a straight line connecting these marks with a spirit level. This line ensures the first panel is level.

Each panel measures 48cm (480mm) in width. We mark the first point at 43cm (430mm) to provide extra material on the left side of your initial panel, compensating for any unevenness in the walls. This is crucial to ensure proper alignment of your design or pattern along the wall. Excess material will be trimmed off after installing the entire wallpaper wall.

5. Roll up your first panel (this helps with installing!) and peel off a few inches of the adhesive backing paper, folding the backing paper away from the adhesive.
6. Align the wallpaper with your straight pencil line, ensuring it's level. Leave 5cm (50mm / 2.5 inch) of excess on the left, as well as at the top near the ceiling and at the floor. This allows for adjustments if the walls aren't perfectly square, with a margin of up to 10cm (100mm / 4 inch) in height. Smooth the wallpaper gently from top to bottom using upward and outward motions with a clean, dry lint-free cloth. Avoid using any hard objects or smoothing tools as they can damage the delicate surface of the wallpaper. With a gentle and smooth upward, outward motion - push any air bubbles from the inner to the outer seams using a dry soft cloth as you work your way down the panel.



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Keep in mind that peel-and-stick wallpaper is repositionable and made from flexible fabric, making it easy to maneuver and align the pattern. Avoid overstretching it by being gentle. If adjustments or realignment are required, gently peel the wallpaper panel back off the wall and reapply or realign as necessary.

Important: When installing Olive et Oriel wallpaper, do not overlap it. The wallpaper is designed with a pre-trimmed butt join and is meticulously checked before shipping to ensure it aligns perfectly on a level wall.

6. Repeating from Step 5 - when moving to 'Panel 2', align it with the first panel to ensure the pattern matches, then proceed to smooth down the wallpaper again.

7. Repeat until all panels are installed.

8. After installing all panels, meticulously trim off any excess using a straight edge and a utility knife. Ensure to replace the blade as needed, as a dull blade may cause the fabric of the wallpaper to grab or tear.

9. If you notice any air bubbles right after installing your wallpaper, carefully remove the panel and reinstall the affected section. (Persistent bubbles post-installation indicates inadequate preparation of your wall type or painted surface, causing the adhesive to be rejected in these areas. Refer to the 'Pre-Purchase Checklist' section above for guidance. Please note that this issue falls under inadequate installation and is not covered by warranty.)

PRO TIP: Trimming of power outlets

For your safety, always turn off electricity and switch power outlets off before starting. Remove outlet covers and place masking tape over any electrical sockets. Gently, using your sharp utility knife and a fresh blade cut a small X into the wallpaper over the outlet from edge to edge. This will allow you to fold the wallpaper away from the outlet and trim away the folds, leaving the outlet area wallpaper-free. Once wallpaper is smoothed onto wall, you can replace the cover back on over the wallpaper for a clean and professional looking finish.

The information presented above serves as guidance to aid in do-it-yourself applications, but it does not come with a warranty. Factors such as the skill of application, wall preparation, and site conditions are beyond our control. If you have any uncertainties regarding the process, we strongly advise seeking assistance from a professional signage installer or a specialist in self-adhesive wall coverings. These professionals possess the necessary expertise for this type of installation, which differs from traditional paste-the-wall wallpaper installations.