

Paper Wall Mural Application & Removal Instructions

PLEASE REVIEW THESE INSTRUCTIONS PRIOR TO STARTING YOUR PROJECT!

Tools Required

Damp sponge 4" Paint roller 6' ladder Utility knife Seam roller Wallpaper prep tray Soft brush
1 Quart spray bottle Two or more people for installation

Application

Preparation

- 1) **Your decal mural section(s) must be at room temperature prior to installing. Remove them from the shipping container and unroll onto a flat surface. Let stand at room temperature for 60-90 minutes. The surface must be smooth, rigid and clean (no textured walls).** If area has recently been painted, paint must be allowed to cure 30 days prior to installing your wall mural. It is recommended to apply a clear wallpaper primer to the surface of the wall 24 hours prior to installation. This will assist proper adherence and will allow for easy removal in the future.
- 2) Clean the area selected, using water only, to ensure no dirt or residue will adhere to the adhesive backing of your mural. **DO NOT USE SOAP OR ANY HOUSEHOLD CLEANING PRODUCT.** Dry the surface thoroughly with a clean cloth and let stand for approximately 90 minutes to ensure the area is completely free from any moisture.
- 3) While wall is drying remove all receptacle and switch plate covers the mural will cover.
- 4) **The following steps are best performed by two people.** Your wall mural section(s) can be installed from right to left or left to right since the ends butt together. The most important part of installation will be application of the first section. It is imperative this section is applied straight for the remaining sections to install correctly.

Installation

- 5) Be sure to position your ladder approximately 18" from the application surface as the second installer will require room to hold the bottom of the mural section during installation.
- 6) Begin with the first piece and loosely roll up the section with the pre-pasted side facing out. Take the rolled section and place it in the wallpaper prep tray that contains lukewarm water and slowly roll it to ensure the entire section is thoroughly saturated.
- 7) Remove the section from the water and allow excess water to drip back into tray. Unroll and section with printed side facing installer and take it to the wall. One installer should climb ladder to a range where they feel a comfortable distance from the ceiling so they can hold and align the top of the mural. Once installer on ladder has top of print second installer should take hold of bottom of print to assist in lining up the print.
- 8) The installer on the ladder should then apply the mural to the wall then using their hands smooth it on the wall from top to bottom. You will be able to slide the mural, if required, to assure it is aligned and perfectly vertical. If a section does not want to adhere you can use lukewarm water in the 1 quart spray bottle and slightly lift the section and spray water onto the wall then re-adhere.
- 9) After the section has been smooth onto the wall you want to use a damp sponge to flatten it completely to the wall surface. Remove air bubbles by pushing them with your fingers or the sponge to the side so air may escape. If any paste appears on the print simply wipe it off with the damp sponge.
- 10) If any excess material requires removal at the top or bottom use the utility knife to remove it.
- 11) For subsequent panels perform the same steps, 5 through 10), however ensure you do not overlap or leave gaps in between panels—they should butt up to the section installed before—until completed.

Removal

- 1) To remove your mural simply start to peel from one of the corners and pull until each section is removed.