

All 4 Walls Wallpaper

How To Hang Borders!

Equipment List

Scissors, measuring tape, pencil, sharp utility knife, putty knife, tray or pan filled with water, border adhesive if you are putting the border on another border or paper, and the BORDER, of course.

Applying the Border:

1. Open the border and run it through a pan of water. Do not leave the border in the water more than 45 seconds. Fold it in half without creasing, or accordion style, paste side to paste side, and wait 3-5 minutes to activate the dried adhesive. The term for this is "booking."
2. Always start your border in the most inconspicuous place on your wall. Because when you come back around, your border will probably not match. If you drop your border somewhere down below the window or door jambs, you never have to worry about your border not matching. Running your border into the side of windows or doors will fix it so you don't have to match.
3. Ask a friend or family member to hold the second half of your border while you smooth the first half to the wall. Wipe any paste that seeps out with a wet rag, rinsing the rag often. When your border is completely up, take a clean, wet rag and wipe the border and the surrounding wall once again.
4. To match one border to another on the wall, overlap the second border onto the first border until the pattern matches. Complete putting up the second border. Then go back to the area that you overlapped and using a sharp utility knife and a ruler, cut a straight line from the ceiling down, through the two borders where they overlap. Then peel off the top piece of the border that is no longer attached. Peel back the second border far enough to grab the last piece of the first border, that is now no longer attached, and remove it from the wall. Then smooth the two pieces back down and you should have a continuous pattern through your border one to your border two. Repeat the process if you are hanging more than two borders.
5. Then stand back and enjoy the new look of your room.

Note 1: Don't just think of wallpaper and border as a wall decoration only. You can use wallpaper to change the look of furniture. It's a simple and inexpensive way to make furniture look new again.

Note 2: Wallpaper sizing applied to the wall before wallpapering will make it a simple process to remove your paper or border when it's time to change your room.

Note 3: Whenever you put a border on top of another border or paper, be sure to use a paper to paper paste to insure your new border will stick.