



# Installation Instructions for *Peel & Stick Wallpaper*

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## What you need

Masking tape | Stanley knife | Tape measure | Pencil  
Ruler | Laser or Spirit Level | Squeegee

### Step 1: Prepare the wall

The wall needs to be sealed and smooth. The wall surface should be clean, dry and free of debris. Priming is always recommended for best results at all times and especially with old, damaged, or flaking paint, and on a wall with uneven surfaces. If you apply a good quality wall primer this will aid in adhesion.

### Step 2: Prepare the wallpaper

1. Find a large space on the ground and lay out all your wallpaper panels in the order you will hang them.
2. Now overlap them by approx 50mm and line up any patterns or distinguishing features. *Note: murals overlap by approx 25mm.*
3. Once you are happy with the alignment, place little strips of masking tape at intervals along the joins
4. Score and slice the masking tape between the joins so you will be able to align these tape marks again once the panels are on the wall.

### Step 3: Measure

1. Don't trust your walls! Use a laser or a spirit level to make sure that your panels are straight on your wall. This becomes more important the wider your wall is! Not getting the first panel correctly positioned will throw out each successive panel.
2. Measure the width of your first wallpaper panel. Using a level draw a faint straight plumb line down the wall where the first panel will end.

### Step 4: Apply the wallpaper

1. Peel back the top of the release paper to approx. 100mm and fold it flat.
2. Your ceiling is probably not perfectly square, so we recommend you overhang the wallpaper slightly above your cornice to trim later. Keeping this in mind line up your first panel with the faint line you drew on the wall. If you find your adjoining wall is not perfectly square, you may also need to overhang the wallpaper slightly along that edge.
3. Carefully line up your panel and once you are sure it is level & apply pressure to stick it to the wall.
4. Using your squeegee flatten the top of the wallpaper so there are no bubbles and it is attached to the wall securely.
5. Step back and inspect the wallpaper. If it is not level make any necessary adjustments.
6. Gently pull the release paper slowly as you push the wallpaper down the wall with your squeegee, working your way down the wall and to the side edges making sure the wallpaper is flat with no bubbles. Please note: Cut away some of the release paper as you go so the wallpaper stays closer to the wall as you apply it.
7. Apply the rest of your panels remembering that each panel will overlap by approximately 50mm. Remember to match the pattern perfectly before you stick.
8. Once all panels are installed trim excess wallpaper, using a sharp Stanley knife.