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Wallpaper Hanging Instructions

Preparation

Before hanging, ensure all walls are dry, clean, and even. Any existing wallpaper or loose paint must be removed. If walls are painted, lightly roughen the surface with sandpaper to aid adhesion. For optimal results, we advise cross-lining the walls with high-quality lining paper. The lining paper should be sized to improve adhesion and must be allowed to dry completely before the wallcovering is applied.

Pasting the wall

This is a paste-the-wall product. The adhesive should be applied directly to the wall — not to the back of the wallpaper. Use a high-quality, solvent-free, <u>ready-mixed adhesive</u> that is fungicide protected. Paste should be applied evenly to the wall, covering an area slightly wider than the width of the wallpaper strip you are about to hang.

Hanging the wallcovering

Each strip should be hung using butt joints, with no overlapping. Once applied, use a decorator's brush to smooth the wallpaper down, working from the centre outward to eliminate air bubbles. Take care not to squeeze paste out of the joints and avoid getting adhesive on the surface of the wallpaper, as well as on your hands, brush, or roller.

Note: Paste residue can damage the wallpaper surface. If any paste comes into contact with the front of the wallpaper, it should be gently sponged off immediately using a clean, damp sponge while the paste is still moist. Do not allow paste to dry on the surface.

