

CANVAS PEACE COLLECTION

WALLCOVERING INSTALLATION

DESCRIPTION

This canvas wall covering has been treated with water repellent finishes on the face. Each canvas piece is handcrafted to give it a distressed look and patina. Carefully finished in the back with a wall covering paste, this collection adds an exciting punch of color and style to the walls. Thank you for choosing this fine handcrafted wallcovering. For the best results, use a professional wallcovering installer.

STOP!

DO NOT CUT OR
INSTALL UNTIL YOU
HAVE READ THESE
INSTRUCTIONS ON
ALL PAGES!

PREPARATION

Before you cut and hang, please be sure you have:

1. The correct wallcovering and the correct amount of wallcovering to finish the job.
2. Inspect the wallcovering carefully to ensure it is free of defects, keeping in mind it's a distressed finish: If no defect is evident before installation, the material should be inspected after three (3) strips are installed. If any defect is evident at any point thereafter, no additional material should be hung until Lord Fabrik is notified. **NO CLAIMS WILL BE ALLOWED FOR MORE THAN (3) STRIPS ON THE WALL.** All claims must be made within 30 days of the invoice date. No labor claims will be allowed at any time.

BUILDING & MATERIAL CONDITIONS

The building must be weather-tight with HVAC settings (including pressure, temperature and relative humidity) the same as those of an occupied building for three days prior to, throughout installation and three days after installation. The walls must be structurally sound including elimination of sources of moisture accumulation into the wall or wall cavity. The wallcovering must be in a clean and dry condition and must be stored at normal occupied building temperature and humidity for at least three days prior to installation. All adhesives and primers must be new, good quality, commercial grade materials, which have not been contaminated. **IF YOU HAVE ANY QUESTIONS, PLEASE STOP AND CONTACT LORD FABRIK BEFORE PROCEEDING.**

WALL PREPARATION

1. The walls to be covered must be properly prepared to ensure that the wallpaper will adhere to the wall surface. Even the strongest adhesive can only work when the wall surface is clean and properly prepared.
2. Lord Fabrik recommends that installers use a hard, acrylic, pigmented, wall-protecting primer that is SPECIFICALLY made for WALLCOVERING INSTALLATION and WALL PROTECTION. **DO NOT USE R-35.**
3. Allow the primer to dry thoroughly before hanging.

INSTALLATION ADHESIVE

1. We recommend **Roman Pro-732**, a clear, pre-mixed, low moisture vinyl-over-vinyl adhesive for permanent installations. The **Roman Pro-732** is key as other adhesives may leave bubbles.
2. Apply a heavy coat to the back of the wallcovering, which will become flexible and easy to hang.
3. **Book the wall covering and let it lay for a period of 25-30 minutes.** This allows the fabric, made from natural cotton, to shrink prior to installation. You can book multiple units of wall covering at a time.



TRIMMING

1. The edges have been pre-trimmed at the factory and the installation is made with a double-cut. Change your blades often.
2. After installing two bolts, take a few minutes to shade the strips from light to dark to insure the most even shading. The installer may reverse strips if he feels that it will produce the most even shading. Once you are satisfied with the shading from the first two bolts, install the balance of the rolls.
3. A double-cut is essential on this organic, natural-fiber wallcovering to create as fine a seam as possible.

TIPS

- 1 Apply pressure on the wallcovering to ensure proper adhesion with a smoothing tool.
- 2 DO NOT allow paste or excessive water to stain the front of the wallcovering. Both paste and excessive water will change the color of the natural canvas on the face.
- 3 Paste may be applied on several units prior to installation for booking time.
- 4 Consider using a light painters tape to cover the edges of previously installed strips, so that the paste coming out from the seams will not settle on the installed strips.
- 5 Gently smooth the wallcovering using a plastic smoother. Use a seam roller on the edges or for any creases.
- 6 These wallcoverings may be cleaned using a damp cloth or vacuum with a soft brush attachment.