

INNOVATIONS

Installation Guidelines for **NICE**

WARNING:

DO NOT CUT OR INSTALL THIS MATERIAL UNTIL YOU HAVE READ THESE INSTRUCTIONS.
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Important Notes Prior to Installation

- Examine your order and corresponding packing list to ensure that you have received the correct product. Please check material for defects prior to installation. **Product claims will not be considered on cut or installed material after (3) three panels have been hung.**
- **NICE is a natural product handcrafted from natural materials, foiled and finished with natural color washes. Slight color variation is a characteristic of NICE and it is not considered a defect.**

Wall Preparation

- Proper surface prep is key. We recommend hanging product on new sheetrock.
- If new sheetrock is not available, walls must be mirror smooth and free of flaking paint and old adhesive.
- Monitor wall moisture levels. A wall that is not properly prepared or that has too much moisture content may not be conducive to proper adhesion.
- Apply an **acrylic or latex primer/sizer that is made specifically for wallcovering.**

Important Notes for Application

- We recommend a **heavy duty pre-mixed, clear, non-strippable water-based adhesive** to be used. **Do not dilute the adhesive.**
- **Apply paste to wall** with roller to ensure even application. **Do not use a pasting machine and avoid excessive soaking of material.**
- **Installation location must be climate controlled. Booking time will vary depending on temperature, climate and product backing.**

Hanging and Trimming of Materials

- **NICE is to be treated like silk wallcovering and should be dry trimmed, dry hung, and seams butted with a new blade and straight edge for every cut.**
- **Reverse hanging is recommended for NICE in order to minimize shading. However, due to the reflective tendencies of NICE, in certain lighting situations straight hanging may result in less shading. Please assess during installation.**
- Hang NICE in sequence as cut from bolt. Paste and hang one strip at a time.
- **DO NOT** use tape on Nice.
- **Use soft bristle brush and wooden or padded roller to carefully apply wallcovering to wall. Do not use a metal knife or stiff sweep.** Avoid over working seams to prevent damage to edges.
- NICE can be wrapped around a corner. Materials will soften once adhesive is applied to back of paper. When wrapping an external corner, be sure to wrap corner by at least 6”.