

✓ Painting Checklist

Get everything you need for your painting project.

Prep

- Surface Cleaner
- Primer
- Painter's Tape
- Drop Cloth
- Caulk
- Putty Knife
- Spackling/Hole Filler

Paint

- Angled Paint Brushes
- Edgers and Mini Rollers
- Flat Paint Brush
- Rollers and Roller Frame
- Paint Tray and Linters
- Extension Pole
- Ladder

Clean Up

- Cleaners
- Rags
- Sponges
- Disposable Gloves
- Paper Towels
- Paint Thinner
- Trash Bags

Helpful Tips

- Choose top-quality rollers and brushes for a great finish.
- When using two or more cans of paint, mix them together in a separate bucket to ensure uniform color.
- When painting along edges with a brush "cutting in", spread paint far enough from the edge for roller strokes to cover brush strokes. Do not cut in a whole room at once, instead, do 3 or 4ft. increments, and then roll.
- Never stop painting in the middle of a wall for an extended period of time. End at a natural break to ensure uniform color and coating.
- Create a smooth, blended look by rolling from just-painted areas to unpainted areas. This technique is called keeping a "wet edge."
- Roll paint on in a 3 ft. by 3 ft. W pattern and fill in open areas using horizontal strokes.
- Remove painter's tape before paint is dry to reduce peeling.

