



## PEACOCK LIVING

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### **A.P.P.R METHOD**

#### TOOLS REQUIRED

1. Level
2. Pencil
3. 1” Masking Tape
4. Dense Foam Roller
5. Vertical or Diagonal Motif
6. Plastic Putty Knife
7. Drop Cloth
8. Knife
9. Step Stool (*if applicable*)

#### PROCEDURE

1. Remove all objects and hardware from your surface, and clean.
2. Apply your base colour. If a new construction, or a dark coloured surface, apply coat(s) of primer.
3. Determine how many sheets of SurfaceMotif you require. Using the perforations, tear off the sheets.
4. Use your level and pencil to draw a horizontal reference line across the top of your wall or surface. Next, draw a vertical reference line on the left side, creating a reference corner for your first sheet.
5. Apply a 1” (2.5cm) strip of masking tape across the top sheet, with overhang on the sides.
6. Flip the top sheet over, and partially peel and press back the liner.
7. Hold the ends of the 1” tape strip, starting at the reference corner, apply the sheet to your surface, carefully aligning to the horizontal reference line.
8. With your putty knife, press vertically down on the sheet, applying it to the surface. Peel back the liner in sections, and apply the sheets. Repeat until the liner is completely removed.
9. With a sharp knife, remove the excess material at the bottom. Remove the 1” (2.5cm) tape strip along the top sheet, by pulling away at an angle.



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10. Repeat Steps 3 – 9 for the next sheets. This time use the right edge of the previous sheets as your vertical reference line.
11. Once your surface is covered, start removing the tape sections to create your desired pattern. Start at the corners, and remove the tape in a jolting motion.
12. If required, blend the seam between the sheets, by placing a 1” (2.5cm) tape strip over the gap. Using a knife and putty knife, trace the edges of the tape underneath. Remove the cut tape.
13. With your putty knife, press down on the remaining tape sections.
14. Apply a thin coat of your base colour with a foam roller. When dry, apply coat(s) of your accent colour over the exposed pattern.
15. Remove the remaining tape when the paint is still wet.