

DIY Lamp Making Kit

Our easy to use kit will make a lamp using your covering of choice.

What's in this Box

- 1 x Self-Adhesive PVC Panel
- 1 x Painted Utility Ring With Built-In Stand
- 1 x Painted Metal Ring
- 1 x Roll of Double-Sided Tape
- 1 x Finishing Tool

Preparation - You will need

- * Covering of choice
- * Clean flat working area
- * Sharp Knife or Scissors

Recommended (not essential)

- * Seam Roller

Instructions



1. Cut down your covering to a workable size. Place face down and position S/A panel on top.

Tip! Iron covering to remove any creases.



2. When you're happy with placement peel back some of the release paper and stick to your covering.

Tip! Use a weight (tin) to stop panel moving!



3. Smooth out from the middle and press the adhesive into the fabric firmly until all the release paper is removed.

Tip! If you feel a crease, peel back and try again!



4. After you have inspected your panel for creases, the panel is now ready for trimming.



5. Cut off surplus covering by running a sharp knife along the edges of the panel or use scissors.



6. Snap back the creased edges (kiss cut) around the panel to break the edge of the PVC.



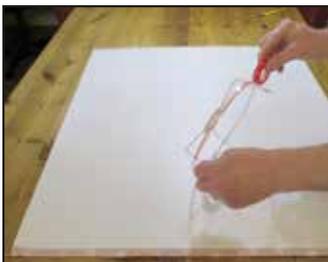
7. Carefully, to avoid fraying, remove the broken strips of PVC to leave your covering's edge.



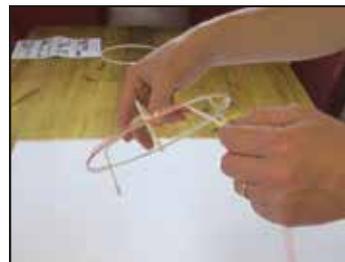
8. Apply double-sided tape to one side of the PVC edge of the panel. This will be used to stick the seam.



9. Remove the release paper and your panel is now complete and ready for attaching to the frame.



10. Apply double-sided tape to rings. Keep tape in line with the edge as in picture above.

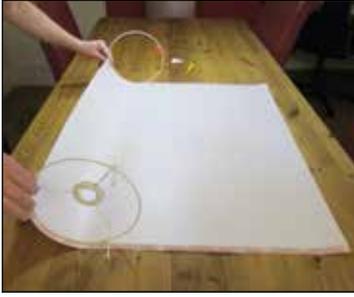


11. Press the tape down evenly and firmly onto the wire then remove the release paper.



12. Repeat Steps 10 & 11 for the final ring and you now have two sticky rings to fix to the panel.

If your covering is directional you need to think about which ring to place at the top or bottom of the panel. The utility ring needs to be placed at the bottom so check to make sure your covering is the correct way before continuing to the next step.



13. Place the rings on the PVC edge and start to roll towards the seam edge (step 8).

Tip! Ask someone to help you roll the rings.



14. Keep in line with the PVC edge at all times. If you run out of line go back and correct.



15. When you get to the seam (the overlap), press the tape together from the centre out.



16. Turn over so the seam is now on a hard surface and apply firm pressure pressing the tape down with your hand.



17. For best results use a seam roller to apply the pressure.



18. Cut the covering behind the stand legs so that the covering can be folded behind.



19. Pinch the fabric, pull taut and fold onto the sticky rings.



20. Use the finishing tool to push the fabric behind the ring.

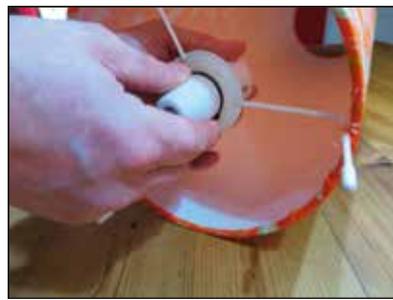
Tip! If the tool gets bent, cut with scissors to refresh.



21. Force the tool between the gap and swipe around the circumference until you're happy with the finish.



22. Fit the plastic feet to the legs to finish.



23. Add your electrical fittings of choice (see notes below).

The utility frame included in your kit will fit the standard bayonet cap (BC) lamp holder. It can also be used with Edison Screw (E27) lamp holders. Simply remove the converter plug in the center of the utility fitting. There is no standard mains voltage throughout the world, plug sizes and sockets are all different so electrical fittings are supplied separately to suit, which comprise of lamp holder, plug and switched cable.

We recommend the use of low energy bulbs with all lamps.



Your Lamp is now complete.