

# frequently

# asked questions

### **How do I make the Lampshades**

Easy to use, laminate your covering to the self-adhesive lampshade panel and follow the step by step instructions included with the pack. Watch our online videos <https://www.dannells.com/videos-and-tutorials-360-c.asp>

### **Can I get any additional help?**

If you have any queries, comments or issues simply [contact us](#), we will always be pleased to help you.

### **Why do you call them Professional Kits?**

These kits have been designed and intentionally engineered to make quality lampshades as good as anything you would find in a High Street store, or high class interior.

### **Where can they be used?**

The finished lampshades can be used as a Pendant (ceiling), or with a suitable Table or Floor Lamp.

### **What type of lamp holder will this lampshade fit?**

The frame has been designed to fit any UK fitting (Bayonet Cap B22) or European (Edison Screw E27). It comes with a clever little convertor plug which enables it to work with both fittings.

### **Tell me about the components in the box?**

The self-adhesive lampshade panel is not just a piece of "sticky back plastic" It has been specially manufactured for lampshades and has many treatments including "Anti-Static" and "Anti Yellowing and is fire resistant. The panels are packed flat so they are easy to use

The frame included is made from top quality heavy gauge wire and is painted white.

The double-sided tapes included in the pack are from Tessa the world's leading manufacturers of self-adhesive product manufactured in Germany.

### **What about Product Testing and Safety?**

The self-adhesive lampshade panel been tested in the Lighting Association Laboratories and has passed the glow wire test which is The British Standard for Luminaries. Any Fabrics, Textiles or Paper that is laminated to our panel will become fire resistant. Click here for test certificates.

### **What type of bulb can I use?**

We recommend the use of low energy bulbs with your lampshades. They use less energy and are cool to the touch, avoiding the problem of scorching shades and ceilings.

### **Why is there a shortage of Fashion Lampshades on the High Street?**

The High Street is full of neutral coloured boring lampshades because the majority is imported from the far east. Retailers cannot take a chance on fashion colours because they need to place big orders with importers, so they play it safe with Cream. The shapes have also been changed so they can fit into containers for shipping which no longer makes them multifunctional. The most popular Drum shape for instance takes up too much space in container ships as they don't stack.

### **How much should I sell the Lampshades for when I make them?**

That really depends on your design, take a look on the online shopping channels below to get some ideas.

