

ROLLER SHADE INSTALLATION GUIDE - MOUNTING RAIL

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We truly appreciate your trust in us, and we're committed to providing you with quality products and exceptional service. We are excited to help you enhance your space with our roller shades.

This guide is designed to help you install and care for your new roller shade. Proper installation and maintenance will ensure that your blinds continue to function beautifully for years to come. These are some important tips for you to be aware of:

Bracket Placement: Proper bracket placement is crucial for the smooth operation of your roller shade. Please follow the installation instructions closely to ensure the brackets are securely and correctly positioned.

Daily Operation: To keep your blinds functioning properly, we recommend operating them daily. This will help prevent any buildup of tension in the fabric and ensure smooth operation.

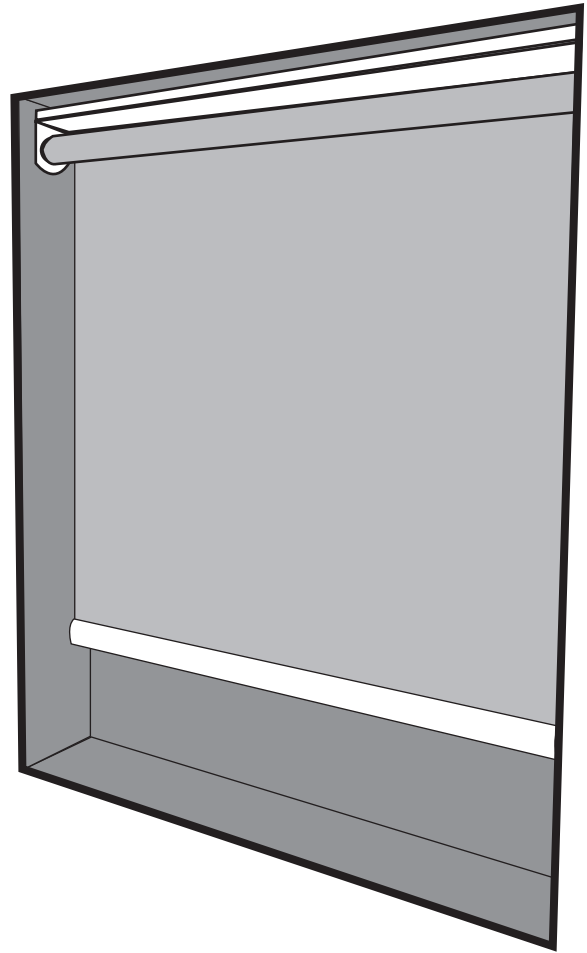
Cleaning: Simply wipe the fabric with a dry cloth to remove any dust or debris. Avoid using any wet cloth or harsh chemicals to protect the material.

Billowing Fabric: If you notice billowing or creases in the fabric, it is likely due to the shade being in the same position for an extended period. Simply operate the blind a few times, moving it between the fully raised and fully lowered positions, to allow the fabric to return to its natural state.

For Motorized Blinds: Be sure to carefully read the motor programming instructions provided. Proper understanding of these instructions will ensure the optimal performance of your motorized blinds.

Charging the Blind: If your roller shade is motorized, make sure to follow the recommended guidelines for charging the blind to avoid any issues with power.

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We hope you enjoy your new roller shade!



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Tools Needed & Bracket Guide

Included:

- Roller Shade
- Brackets*
- Screws

Not Included:

- Drill + Drill Bit 1/16"
- Pencil
- Measuring Tape
- Screwdriver
- Level

***Note:** Every Roller Shade will have included at least 2 brackets. Please see the chart below for a relation of quantity of brackets and width of the blind.

Blind Width	# Of Brackets
Up to 48"	2
49" to 72"	3
73" to 96"	4

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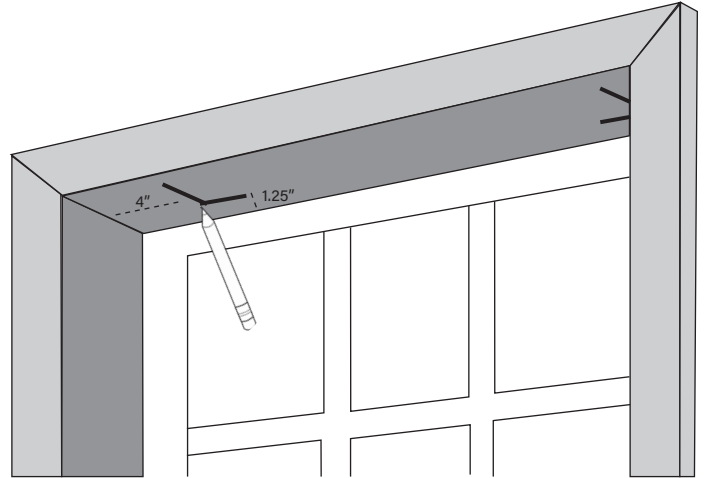
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Position Blind For Desired Look And Mark

A) Inside Mount Install

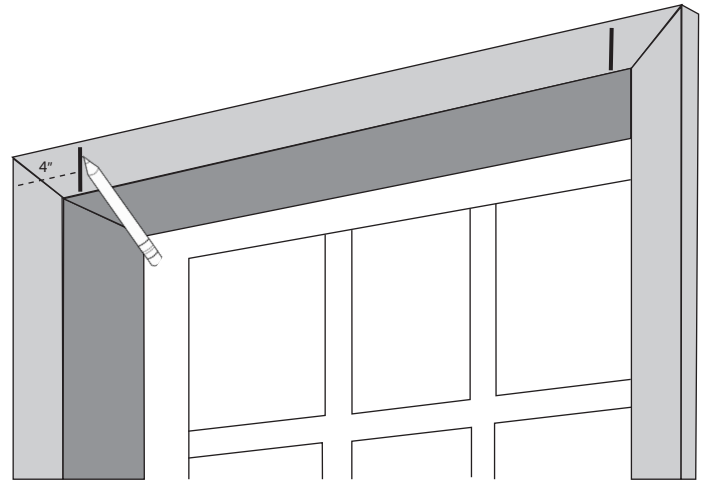
Note: The window frame must have a minimum depth of 1 ½ inches for an Inside Mount.

- Hold the roller shade with the brackets attached inside the window frame and decide whether you want it to be flush, recessed, or protruding.
- If there's enough depth, we recommend positioning the shade about 1 ¼ inches from the back of the frame to allow room for window handles.
- If there is not enough depth or you prefer other spacing, then mark where the back end of the brackets lie when positioning the blind.
- Measure 3-4 inches in from each side of the frame and mark these points. This is where the outside of the brackets will be positioned.
- Remove the double sided tape from the brackets and place them lining up with the marks.
- If the shade is wide and needs additional brackets, space them evenly between the brackets at each end.



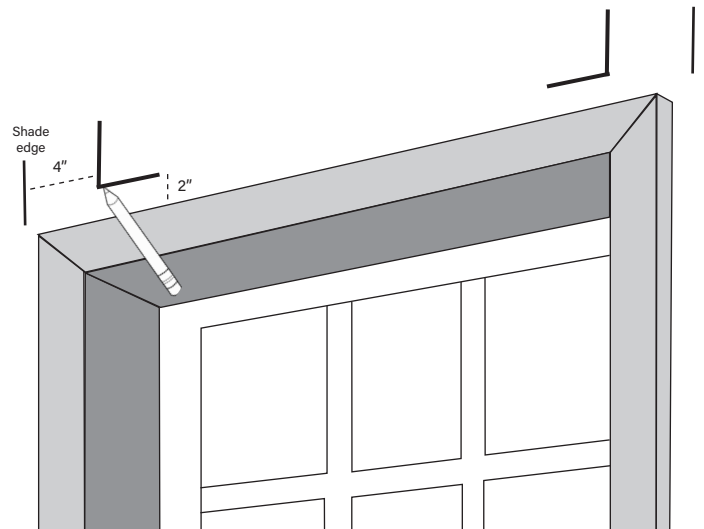
B) Outside Mount Install (On Trim)

- Measure 4 inches in from the sides of the trim and mark where the outside of the brackets will be.
- Use the top of the trim as a guide to mark the top of the bracket.
- Remove the double sided tape from the brackets and place them lining up with the marks as shown.
- If your shade is wider and needs more brackets, evenly space them between the end brackets. Make sure any center brackets are leveled as many trims tend to bow towards the center.
- Be sure to use a level to ensure everything is aligned correctly.



C) Outside Mount (Above the Trim)

- Hold the roller shade centered above the trim and mark the ends on both sides.
- Measure and mark 4 inches inward from each side mark. This will align with the outside of the brackets.
- Measure 2 inches from the top of the trim and mark where the bottom of the bracket will go.
- Remove the double sided tape from the brackets and place them lining up with the marks as shown.
- For wider shades needing extra brackets, space them evenly between the brackets at each end.
- It's a good idea to use a level to make sure everything is aligned properly.

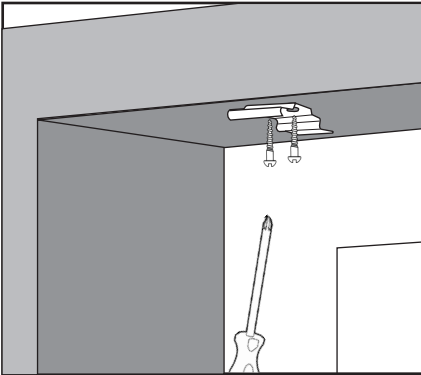


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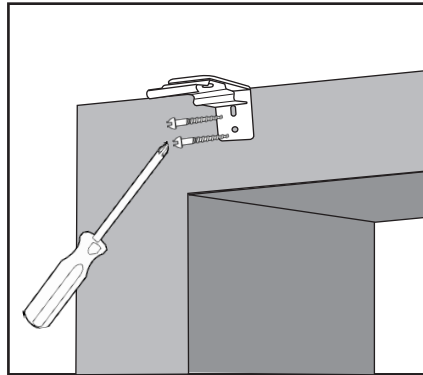
Drill holes & secure brackets

- Using the drill and 1/16" drill bit, carefully drill holes through the screw openings in the bracket. After drilling, secure the brackets with screws using a screwdriver.
- Alternatively, if your frame or walls allow it, you can directly insert the screw with a drill bit without drilling a hole first. Some less stable surfaces (like drywall) may need additional plugs.
- Ensure the brackets are firmly attached and level to avoid any misalignment or issues with the operation of the shade.

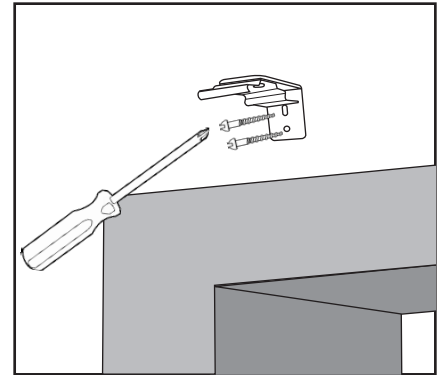
Inside Mount



Outside Mount On Trim



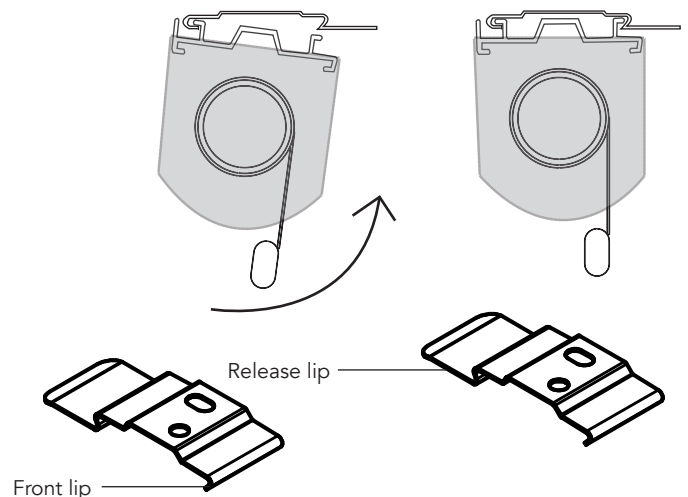
Outside Mount Above Trim



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Mount blind in brackets & remove protective wrapping

- Once the brackets are securely installed, hang the roller shade by placing it into the mounted brackets. First hook the front side of the blind on the front lip of the bracket before fully snapping it in.
- Carefully remove any protective wrapping or plastic film from the shade to prevent it from interfering with the installation.
- Proceed to remove the plastic safety clip located on the idle end side of the blind, and a safety metal pin on the opposite that releases the lift mechanism.
- IMPORTANT:** Do not try to operate the blind before removing the safety pin first. Do not remove the safety pin or plastic clip until the cassette is secured in the brackets.



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Attach accessory components & program the blinds (if motorized)

- Cordless Control:** Slide cordless lift handle into bottom bar from one of the sides.
- Pull Wand Control:** Attach pole by sliding black hook into metal pin found on the motor head on either side of the shade roll.
- Power Wand Control:** Attach wand by inserting USB Mini cord into port found on the motor head on either side of the shade roll. Then hook wand
- Motorization:** Motor programming instructions can be found in separate install guide.

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Blind removal

- Press upward on the release lip of the bracket with your fingers or with the help of a flat screwdriver. When releasing the blind from the brackets, always start with the brackets at the ends before releasing the middle brackets, and always hold the blind with a free hand to avoid blind suddenly dropping.