# Little Hamds

# WALLPAPER

#### SELF ADHESIVE HANGING GUIDE

#### **Before You Start**

- 1. **Delivery Check-Up**: Look over your wallpaper package to verify it's all in tip-top condition.
- 2. **Light It Up**: Good lighting is your best friend. It helps you see what you're doing and spot any issues early.
- 3. **Warm and Breezy**: Keep the room cozy (at least 12°C or 55°F) with good ventilation.
- 4. **Label Love**: Hold onto all the labels until the job is done. They're like your wallpaper's ID cards.

## **Surface Prep**

- 1. **Brush Off**: Use a stiff brush to clear away dirt and loose material.
- 2. **Spotless**: Clean off any marks with a detergent solution and let it dry.
- 3. **Mold Patrol**: If there's mold or algae, treat it with a fungicidal wash. Let it dry completely.
- 4. Patchwork: Fill any holes or cracks with filler, smooth it out, and let it dry. Patience is key!

# **Applying the Wallpaper**

- 1. **Stick It Up!**: Start at the top of your wall. Peel off a few cm/in of the backing and stick the wallpaper to the wall. Smooth out any bubbles with your squeegee as you go.
- 2. **Work Slowly**: Peel away more of the backing as you work your way down the wall, smoothing as you go.
- 3. **Smooth Again**: Give the wallpaper one last smoothing to ensure there are no air bubbles or creases.

#### **Hanging Method**

## **Overlap and Trim**

- 1. Overlap Magic: For overlapping, overlap the edges slightly to match the pattern and trim the excess.
- 2. **Trim Trick**: Use a sharp knife and a straightedge to trim the overlap down the middle. Edges should be neat and aligned.

## **Butt Joint (Side by Side)**

- 1. **Edge Match**: Place the wallpaper edges next to each other with no overlap.
- 2. **Match Design**: Ensure the design aligns perfectly at the seam.
- 3. **Smooth Operator**: Use a seam roller to gently press the joint flat and secure.

Have a blast making your space unique!