

DIY VINTAGE PICTURE FRAMES

You can give any picture frame a charming chalked finish with these steps.



Painting picture frames is an easy and budget-friendly way to get the exact look you want. Here's how we used Chalked Ultra Matte paint to give these wooden frames gorgeous color and a velvety-smooth finish.

ITEMS

- Chalked Ultra Matte Paint – Serenity Blue
- Chalked Ultra Matte Paint – Linen White
- Chalked Ultra Matte Paint – Country Gray
- Chalked Protective Topcoat
- Wooden Picture Frames
- (3) Paint Brushes
- Drop Cloth
- Stir Stick
- Tack Cloth

1. PREPARE: Setup your work area in a well-ventilated space, and use a drop cloth to protect the area from paint drips. Wipe your frames down with a tack cloth to remove any dirt or dust.

2. PAINT: Stir your can of **Chalked Ultra Matte Paint** in Serenity Blue thoroughly with a stir stick. Then, use a paint brush to apply an even coat over the first frame. Be sure to use light, even brush strokes while painting. Let your first coat dry for 30 minutes. For more coverage, you can apply up to three coats of Chalked, but make sure to let the paint dry completely in between each coat. Repeat this step on the other two frames with your remaining paint in Linen White and Country Gray. Once you've reached your desired coverage on each frame, set them aside to dry for four hours.

3. TOPCOAT: Once your paint is completely dry, you can add a layer of protection to your frames with **Chalked Protective Topcoat**. To apply the topcoat, first stir it thoroughly with a stir stick. Then, use a paint brush to apply 1-2 even coats, allowing 30 minutes in between each.

4. FINISH: Let your topcoat dry completely for four hours. Then, add a decorative monogrammed design to the frames and display!

CHALKED PAINT + ENTRYWAY TABLE

TRANSFORM A WORN DRESSER, INTO AN ELEGANT ENTRYWAY TABLE

Apply Rust-Oleum Chalked Ultra Matte paint to add style to your aged dresser. With one coat of Chalked paint you can cover the wear and tear of an old dresser and turn it into a fashionable piece.

ITEMS

- Drop Cloth
- Sandpaper (fine/medium)
- Rust-Oleum Chalked Ultra Matte Paint
- Painter's Tape
- Dresser
- Rust-Oleum Chalked Protective Topcoat
- Lint free cloth
- High quality paint brush

STEPS

- 1. PREPARE:** Always work in a well ventilated area. Cover nearby items with drop cloths to protect them from paint splatters. Remove hardware and tape off any areas you do not wish to paint. For best results, scuff sand the dresser. Wipe clean with a lint free cloth. Tip: Remove drawers before painting, and paint each drawer individually.
- 2. PAINT:** Stir the paint thoroughly. Use a high quality brush to apply a liberal coat to the entire surface. Avoid excessive brushing. One coat is required, but 1-2 coats is recommended if painting contrasting colors. Wait 30 minutes between each coat.
- 3. FINISH:** Allow your paint to dry for approximately 24 hours. Distressing lightly with sand paper is optional, use fine to medium sandpaper for this. Apply 1-2 coats of the Protective Topcoat for added durability. Add hardware and place your new piece in the entryway and enjoy.

Always thoroughly review directions on the package before using any product.



As shown Chalked Country Gray with Matte Clear Topcoat

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