

Box Mantel Installation Instructions

Tools needed:

- Stud finder
- Drill
- 1/8" drill bit
- Impact driver with Phillips bit
- Level

1. Locate and Mark Studs:

Using a stud finder, locate and mark the center of each wall stud within the length of the mounting insert. Mark long vertical lines so they remain visible when the mounting insert is in place.

2. Position the Mounting Insert:

With the help of an assistant, hold the mounting insert on the wall at the desired height. Ensure it is level. While one person holds the insert in place, drill a pilot hole through the insert and into the wall at both the top and bottom of each stud marking.

3. Drill into Studs:

Remove the mounting insert. Using the existing wall holes as guides, continue drilling into the studs to create pilot holes for the screws.

4. Prep the Insert for Installation:

Using the supplied 3" screws, drive each screw into the mounting insert until the tip protrudes approximately 1/8" from the back.

5. Install the Mounting Insert:

Align the protruding screw tips with the pilot holes in the wall. Use an impact driver to drive the screws fully into the studs until the insert is firmly secured.

6. Mount the Mantel:

With the help of an assistant, carefully slide the box mantel onto the mounting insert until it is fully seated and flush against the wall.