

DIY Cornice Kits

Additional Instructions for the Corner Cornice

Here is some additional information that should be helpful for measuring both legs of the corner cornice:

1. The first thing that you do is to insert the 2 mounting brackets into the corner adapter. They should be centered in each groove between the end of the adapter, and where the groove stops.
2. Position the corner adapter in the corner where it is to be mounted, and at the desired height.
3. Mark the wall where both of the screws would go for each mounting bracket to install them.
4. Remove the mounting brackets from the corner adapter and install the mounting brackets on the wall where you just marked using the screws and anchors (if needed) provided.
5. Push the corner adapter onto the 2 mounting brackets.
6. Hold the right end cap in position besides the right opening, with the appropriate overlap (usually 2"), and measure and record the distance from the end of the corner adapter to the inside of the end cap.
7. Repeat step for the left side of the corner cornice.
8. Glue the right leg of the cornice together cutting one piece appropriately to achieve the measured length, including the end cap.
9. Glue the left leg of the cornice together in the same way.
10. Glue the left leg and the right leg to the corner adapter.
11. Your corner window is now ready to decorate.

Here are some tips for covering your corner cornice:

1. Lay the cornice flat. as you did the first cornice, to decorate it with your fabric.
2. Cut the material into 4 strips as you did the first cornice for the entire length of the cornice including the end caps as you did with your first cornice.
3. Tuck the fabric in the grooves as you did in the first cornice.
4. When installing the fabric on the back, where the groove ends near the foam, I cut the fabric so that you stop tucking the fabric where the groove ends, and start tucking again where the groove starts up again on the other side of the foam.
 - For the top and bottom rails, this excess fabric will lay flat on the foam.
 - For the center rail, tuck the fabric under itself in this area, covering up the excess fabric from the top and bottom rails.

When you are finished decorating the corner cornice, and you mount it onto the mounting brackets, you will need to tidy up the fabric in the corner. Most of the time, I am able to do this by pushing the fabric into the soft foam in the corner with my fingers. Take a look at the video where Judy shows you how to do this.