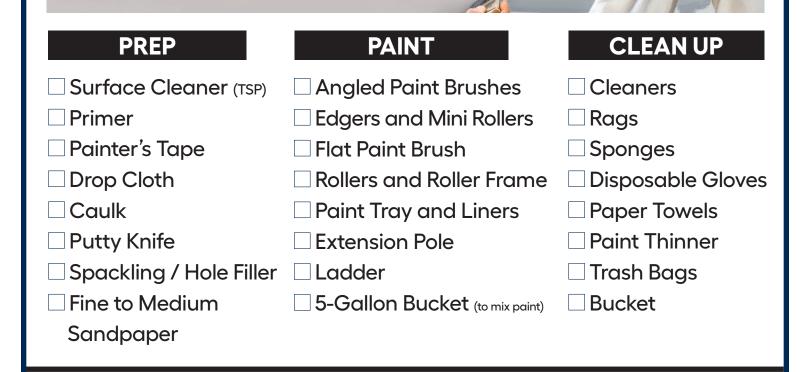
PAINT PROJECT CHECKLIST

Pick it up in one trip



HELPFUL TIPS:

- 1. Choose top-quality rollers and brushes for a great finish.
- 2. When using two or more cans of paint, mix them together in a separate bucket to ensure uniform colour.
- **3.** When painting along edges with a brush ("cutting in"), spread paint far enough from the edge for roller strokes to cover brush strokes. **Do not cut in a whole surface at once. Instead, do 3 ft. or 4 ft. increments, and then roll.**
- **4. Never stop painting in the middle of a surface** for an extended period of time. End at a natural break to ensure uniform colour and coating.
- **5.** Create a smooth, **blended look by rolling from just-painted areas to unpainted areas.** This technique is called keeping a "wet edge."
- 6. Roll paint on in a 3 ft. by 3 ft. W-pattern and fill in open areas using horizontal strokes.
- 7. Delicately remove painter's tape before paint is dry to reduce peeling.
- **8.** For more tips, advice and inspiration, **rona.ca**.

