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DIY TOOLBOX MUST HAVES

DUCO (BRAND NAME) STIK-TAK OR MUSEUM WAX

This is my number one all-purpose fix-it!

- Use it to hang light weight artwork, tins, and home accessories on the walls. Things stay put, and walls stay intact.
- Place a pea size under vases to prevent from slipping off the table or counter.
- Keeps small area rugs from slipping underfoot.
- Use this instead of magnets on appliances. Prevents scratching.

T-PINS

Great use for us non-sewers.

- Use to hang items on the wall. Pictures, instruments, and other items that aren't flat.
- The hole they make is so tiny, you can't see it when you rearrange items on walls.
- They can hold up medium weight objects.

BLACK SHARPIE RUB-A-DUB FINE MARKER

- Writes and repairs.
- Great to cover up scratches on pictures frames.
- Hides scratches on furniture.

ONE INCH PAINTBRUSH

- All-purpose quick duster. Spray a little dust cleaner on bristles and dust away.
- Great computer keyboard cleaner.
- Dip it in tinted polish oil and dust around chair dowels to freshen and brighten,

PAINTBRUSH STIR STICKS

- Use for shims
- Turn them into keychains
- Use for garden stakes

POSTAL KRAFT WRAPPING PAPER

Color: tan

- Create book covers. Same solid color looks crisp and clean.
- Take the lead from restaurants. Use as tablecloths, runners or placemats.
- Crayons required.
- Need to frame a picture? Use paper as the mat.

8OZ PLASTIC HEAD MALLETT

One side is hard yellow plastic, the other black rubber.

- It's small and light weight.
- Use the rubber side to repair furniture. It doesn't make dents when tapping furniture pieces in place to glue and tighten.
- Comes in handy to prop open windows.
- Use rubber end to pound paint can lids on so the lids won't dent and the paint stays sealed.

3M COMMAND PICTURE HANGING STRIPS

- Hangs anything on the wall without making holes
- No more crooked syndrome. Items easily repositioned.
- Great alternate hook to hang kitchen dish towel.

OLD ENGLISH POLISH SCRATCH COVER

It comes in two stain colors: light and dark

- Apply on wood furniture and watch scratches disappear.
- Use the dark wood stain on new painted furniture to give it a slight aged look.
- A quick fix to make table and chair legs look fresh and new.

DUCT TAPE

- Hem curtains. It's ugly from the back but in case of an emergency, like company coming over. It's a quick fix.
- Hold up fabric that's sagging under the couch.
- Covers nails on the back of frames so they don't scratch the wall.

ALMONDS

- They get rid of scratches on floors.

OLD TOOTHBRUSHES

- Used to clean in tight spaces, such as windowsills, car interiors and computer keys.