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Instructions for Paper Pattern/Template

1. Use plain brown Kraft paper. We can provide this for you if needed. Do not use tissue paper, newspaper, or wrapping paper as these are not sturdy enough.
2. Cut the paper large enough to cover area being patterned (such as a radius corner) and make sure to extend the paper over the area at least 2" on ALL sides.
3. Cut small holes (about 2" wide) in the paper approximately 12"-18" apart and place painters tape over the holes to secure pattern/template to surface. It is crucial that the pattern/template is secure so that it does not move when traced. If you would prefer not to use tape, you can use a heavy object to hold pattern/template in place.
4. Hold a pen or a fine tipped marker at an angle while gently holding the paper near the edge and run the pen/marker along the edge. Do NOT use pencil and make sure there is a sharp, crisp line for us to follow.
5. Print your name on the template.
6. Do NOT fold or cut the pattern/template. Roll it up and secure with loose tape or a rubber band.

Please keep in mind when ordering non-rectangular glass that requires a pattern/template:

- Pattern/Templates should be full sized and uncut
- Do NOT trace with pencil – Please use a fine black marker
- Prepare pattern/template with “outside looking in” orientation.

Glass cutting has a 1/16” tolerance so your finished project may be 1/16” bigger or smaller