

FINISHING INSTRUCTIONS: DOORLITE FRAMES

Maintenance Free Frames

This frame does not require painting. This new plastic formulation will resist yellowing and deformation. If you choose to paint this frame, we recommend you follow these and the paint manufacturers' recommendations for best results.

- 1) Thoroughly sand all plastic surfaces with a fine abrasive pad.
- 2) The surface should be wiped clean with a lint free cloth. The primer coat should be applied immediately. Apply a primer recommended for plastics, such as Zinsser Bulls Eye 1-2-3, for best results.
- 3) Apply an exterior acrylic latex topcoat.

Polystyrene

This frame must be painted within 45 days of installation with a light coloured exterior acrylic latex paint. Follow steps 2 and 3 from above for best results.

Do not use a solvent based paint.

PVC (Vinyl)

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Stainable Polystyrene & PVC

If you choose to use a solvent based stain, we strongly recommend that a cap bead of clear silicone be applied between the frame and glass surface and between the frame and door surface. Application should be to the exterior side only. Failure to do this may void warranty. An exterior grade top coat (finish coat) is recommended.

WARNING:

Painting or staining a frame a dark colour or installing behind a storm door can cause heat damage not covered by this warranty.

