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Instructions for Painting Cabinets

Dear Homeowner:

1. First wash carcass/cabinets with hot water & TSP (most important job...paint doesn't stick to grease)
2. Rinse cabinets after washing with TSP
3. Tape around cabinets and floor with green painters tape or if the paint in the kitchen is fresh, that frog tape is great for not pulling paint off the walls, have lots of dropclothes to protect floor, countertop etc.
4. Sand areas that have obvious runs and fill any holes etc. with woodfill.
5. Make sure that you vacuum and wipe cabinets off with a cloth after sanding and the vacuuming of any dust is important....make sure kitchen floor is clean with no dog hair etc. before you start.....
6. Use a whiz roller (4" foam roller) and a sash brush...2" sash brush should work
7. Soak rollers and put in baggie overnight....so you don't get bubbles in the paint
8. Vacuum and make sure all dust is cleaned up
9. Prime cupboards with a good primer....you will require less coats of paint....with light colours, two coats of primer is not a bad idea.
10. Sand primer with 1 sided sanding sponge (fine)
11. Vacuum and make sure there is no dust in kitchen
12. First coat of paint.....roll and brush where needed
13. Light sand to remove any bumps (vacuum and clean up after the sanding)
14. 2nd coat of paint – roll and brush where needed
15. Again....light sand where needed....some areas completely smooth....don't sand
16. 3rd coat of paint (vacuum and clean up after sanding)
17. Throw out whiz roller and clean brushes with soap and water (I recommend cleaning brushes thoroughly every day you use them). I lay them on the floor vents to dry after they are washed thoroughly.

Any questions.....call me @ 905 987 5512.

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