Ceiling Plank Layout Checklist

A short planning page. Follow the product page and adhesive instructions for your project.

Before you buy

Measure the room at both ends and in the middle

Write down the width and length. Rooms are rarely perfectly square.

Note fixtures

Mark lights, fans, vents and smoke alarms on a simple sketch.

Choose the view

Stand at the main doorway and decide whether the planks should lead toward a window, a focal wall or across the room.

Plan the rows

Divide room width by plank width

Look at the leftover. If it is a thin strip, rebalance the first and last rows.

Snap a centre line

Use a chalk reel along the direction you picked and check it against the nearest wall at both ends.

Plan the end joints

Stagger them so neighbouring rows do not join in the same place.

Before you glue

Dry lay a patch

Place several planks on the floor or hold them against the ceiling in daylight and lamplight.

Confirm the adhesive and surface

Follow the adhesive tube and the product page for surface preparation and cure time.

Order a little extra

Allow for cuts and mistakes so you do not run short mid-project.