



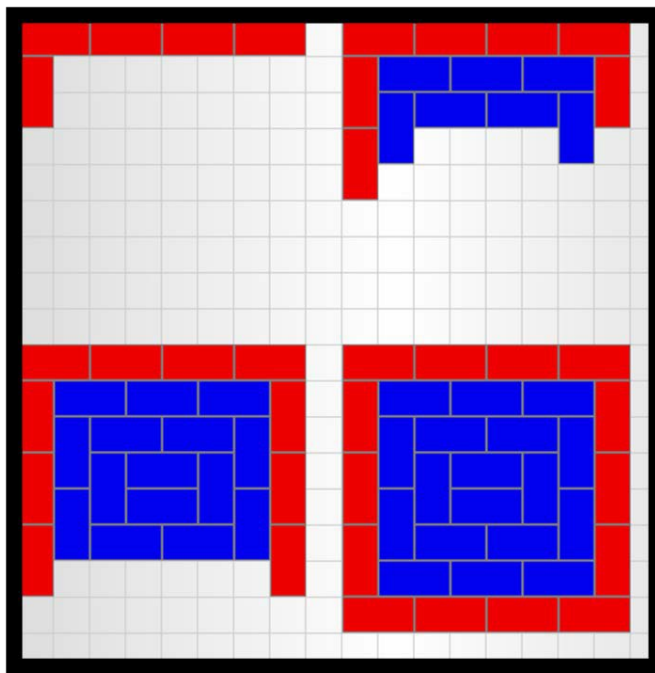
Installing Your Zebra Mats

For optimal performance and longevity, it is important to install your Zebra mats properly. Please read through all of these instructions regarding the installation of your mats before you start installing them. If you have any questions or if you need advice, please contact Zebra at 763-255-1590 or support@zebramats.com.

- We advise installing your Zebra Mats after all other jobs have been completed (ceiling work, plumbing, electrical, etc.) to help avoid damage to your new Zebra floor.
- Install Zebra bag racks, cages, and wall padding before installing the mats
- We recommend installing the mats directly onto a concrete, wood, or tile subfloor whenever possible. If you have carpeting, please see the directions below.

Installation Directions

1. Make sure the floor surface is smooth, even, clean, and dry before starting the installation.
2. Start installing your mats in the squarest corner possible, working outward from the corner. To prevent gaps, the mats should be pushed together tightly as they are installed.
3. Continue laying down all mats until the layout is fully completed. (see example below)



4. If any of the mats need to be cut, please refer to our mat cutting instructions.
5. Once your Zebra mats are completely installed, we recommend cleaning them with Zebra Enviro-care cleaner. Please refer to our care and maintenance instructions.

At the edge of the layout, you may choose to install the Zebra framing kit or use Zebra double-sided adhesive tape to keep the mats from shifting. Please see the directions below.

Zebra Frame Kit Instructions

1. Stain or paint the frame kit prior to installing it. Allow to completely dry.
2. Measure the lengths of trim needed at the edge of the layout and cut the trim as needed with a chop saw or miter box.
3. Set the trim pieces next to the mats and mark where the holes need to be drilled. **CAUTION:** PLEASE CONSULT WITH THE FACILITY MANAGER BEFORE DRILLING INTO THE FLOOR TO CONFIRM THERE ARE NO WATER AND/OR ELECTRIC LINES PRESENT IN THE FLOOR.
4. Using an appropriate bit, drill a hole into the sub-floor approximately 1/2" deeper than the screws.
5. Screw the frame into the sub-floor and place the wooden screw caps over the screws.

Zebra Double-Sided Adhesive Tape Instructions

1. Lift up the mats on the outside edge of the layout.
2. Peel back one layer of tape and adhere it to the floor beneath the mat, approximately one foot from the outside edges of the mats.
3. Peel back the second layer of tape and put the mats in place. Walk on the mat area directly over the tape to ensure a good bond.
4. The tape will hold the mat down and will help eliminate shifting. When you want to move the mats, simply pull the mat up and peel the tape off of the floor.

Carpet Instructions

The ideal surface for your Zebra mats is a concrete, wood, or tile sub-floor. When Zebra mats are placed directly over carpet, the mats have a tendency to shift in the direction the carpet fibers fall. We suggest removing carpet whenever possible. If removing the carpet is not an option, we recommend placing a plastic sheet over the carpet. (see example) The bottom of the mats will grip the plastic, which will help keep the mats from shifting. The plastic also acts as a barrier and protects the carpet from moisture.



1. You will need enough plastic to cover the area. 4 mil plastic is commonly used in all construction and readily available for purchase at all boxstores.
2. Roll out the plastic. Join edges with duct tape to make one large sheet.
3. Tape the plastic to the floor using duct tape or Zebra double-sided adhesive tape.
4. Install your Zebra mats according to the directions above.