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Let's get excited for your new drapes. Please take a few minutes to review these simple steps so your drapes will be hanging beautifully in no time.

Before You Begin

Please note that:

- Grommet drapes are not designed to be left or right sided and can be placed on either side of the rod.
- The number of gromets are always even to make perfect folds please see Step 3 Mounting Drapes for the correct mounting procedure.
- If your order includes hardware, it will arrive in a separate package. Finish the hardware installation before attaching drapes but leave one finial detached to mount drapes on the rod.
- If you ordered tiebacks, an additional tenter hook will be included for each tieback. You will need a hammer, pencil and, a measuring tape to position and install the tenter hooks.

Please contact Customer Care at 1-800-256-5005 if you need assistance.

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Step 1 - Unpacking Drapes

Unpack all drapes. Sort drapes for different windows if you have more than one window in your order.

Step 2 - Rod Preparation

<u>New drapery hardware installation</u>: install new hardware following the hardware installation instructions. If your finials are too big to be put through the grommets, leave one of the finials off the rod. Do not lock the rod on the brackets.

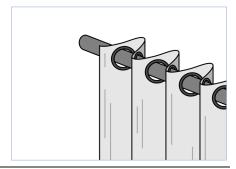
<u>Existing drapery hardware</u>: remove old drapes (if necessary), detach the drapery rod from the brackets. If your finials are too big to be put through the grommets, take one of the finials off the rod.

Step 3 - Mounting Drapes

Put your drapery rod through the grommets on the top of the drape.

The grommets must be hung in an alternate, S-Like formation. The first grommet on the rod should be up in a way that the edge of the drape is facing toward the wall. Change orientation for every grommet after that, you will see the folds forming on the rod.

Repeat this procedure with the second drape if you have a pair.

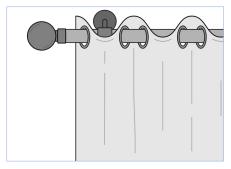


Step 4 - Installing Rod

Once the drapes are in place, install the last finial.

Typically, the outermost grommet on the rod is placed between finial and bracket. Position the first, outermost grommet between the finial and bracket and place the other grommets on the other side of the bracket.

When all grommets are positioned correctly - lock your rod to the brackets according to the hardware installation instructions.





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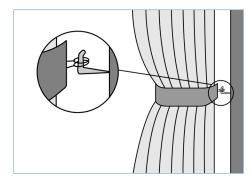
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Step 5 - Tiebacks Installation (optional)

We recommend installing your tiebacks approximately halfway down the height of your drapes. Wrap the tieback around the drape and adjust the height up or down to find the perfect location.

When you find the perfect height for the tieback, mark the location where you need to set the tenter hook. Use a hammer to insert the tenter hook into the wall and hang the tieback.

Attach the second tenter hook on the other side at the same height if you have a pair.



How to Dress Grommet Drapes

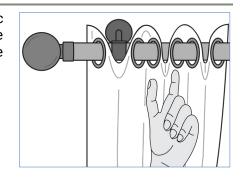
Dressing drapes will create the memory in the fabric so every time you open or close your drapes the fabric will be folded similarly. Dressing the folds usually takes 2 - 3 days for lighter fabric. For heavier fabric or drapes with interlining it might take up to two weeks. During this time, your drapes should stay in the open position, and we recommend not closing them to allow folds to create memory.

Step 1 - Start Dressing Drapes

Start with the outermost grommet because it is locked between the finial and the bracket.

Step 2 - Creating Folds

Create the folds by moving the gromets together while keeping the fabric in the S-Like formation. Push the inner part of the S-like fabric wave deeper toward the wall and pull the outer part toward the room to create the perfect folds.

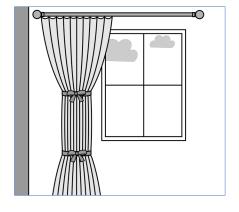


Step 3 – Tying Folded Drapes (Recommended)

Optionally, use the Regal Drapes ribbon from the packaging to tie the folds on the top, close to the grommets.

While the top of the drape is tied together, make the folds all the way down to the floor and tie the drape at the middle and bottom. The folds will form all the way from top to bottom and the panel will keep its shape whether open or closed.

Keep your drape tied for few days.



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Drapery Care

Once the draperies are installed and dressed, most wrinkles and folds will hang out on their own within 1 - 2 weeks.

A garment steamer may also be used to help smooth out the wrinkles. Please take care not to overheat the fabric while removing wrinkles. You also can use a wrinkle release spray like Downy[®] Wrinkle Releaser.

Certain fabrics like silks or linens have natural characteristics that steaming will not remove.

Please contact Customer Care at 800-256-5005 if you have additional questions on how to care for your drapes.



Thank you for choosing Regal Drapes. We are proud to make your drapes with careful attention to every detail. We hope you enjoy your drapes for many years to come.

The Regal Drapes Team