TRANSCRIBE Dry Erase Wallcovering

Specification Guide: Comparison of Writing Only and Projection Capable

Please read all of this information to insure the correct product is selected for a specific area.

There are differences in the Writing Only (glossy) and the Projection Capable (matte) items. The Writing Only surface is designed for extreme ease of cleaning, while the Projection Capable is a dual-use surface that allows both projection and dry erase writing/erasing. In order to produce a matte finish, the surface of the Projection Capable product is textured. This non-visible minute texturing "kills" the glare and eliminates "spotlighting"/"bouncing back of light" when being used as a projection area. There will be some warm glow with the matte finish items that should not interfere with the viewing of the projected image upon the surface. However, please realize that any Projection Capable dry erase wallcovering is not a substitute for a true fabric projection screen in an area that will be used only for near 100% projection viewing. Also, different types of projectors result in varying levels of light reflection from the surface. We recommend testing a sample section of the Projection Capable product if there are any doubts as to its function ability in any particular setting.

This texturing of the finish on Projection Capable items results in a writing surface that requires more aggressive cleaning than the Writing Only products. A textured surface will trap some of the marker dust/residue, especially when a common eraser is used. Micro-fiber erasers work best when erasing Projection Capable product. Also, Expo Whiteboard spray cleaner will be necessary to bring these items back to "like new" condition. How often spray cleaner must be used varies depending upon how often and how much writing occurs. Environments such as school settings are an area that may require very frequent cleaning of this type.

We recommend Expo Bold Color Markers for use with our dry erase wallcoverings. These offer the best performance in terms of erasing, especially with Projection Capable items. Expo Low-odor Markers work fine on Writing Only materials, but are more difficult to completely erase from the surface of Projection Capable surfaces. "Off-brand" markers may not perform as well as Expo products and should be tested before using.