

Mainstay 8541858309

Mainstays 3-Piece Decorative Floating Shelves

INSTRUCTION MANUAL

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1. Introduction

Thank you for choosing the Mainstays 3-Piece Decorative Floating Shelves. This manual provides essential instructions for the safe and proper installation, use, and maintenance of your new shelves. Please read this manual thoroughly before installation and retain it for future reference.

These shelves are designed to add a decorative and functional element to various rooms in your home, such as bedrooms, hallways, and living rooms. The set includes three shelves of varying sizes, all featuring a black finish.

Important Safety Information

- Always mount the shelves securely to the wall using the included hardware.
- Do not overload the shelves. Overloading can lead to structural failure, damage to the wall, and potential injury.
- Ensure the mounting surface is suitable and can support the weight of the shelves and their contents.
- Keep small parts and hardware away from children to prevent choking hazards.

2. Package Contents

Verify that all components are present before beginning installation.

- 1 x Small Shelf (6"W x 4"D x 1.75"H)
- 1 x Medium Shelf (12"W x 4"D x 1.75"H)
- 1 x Large Shelf (14"W x 4"D x 1.75"H)
- Wall Mounting Hardware (screws, anchors)



Image 2.1: Mainstays 3-Piece Decorative Shelf Set packaging and contents. This image displays the product packaging alongside the three black floating shelves, indicating the included mounting hardware.

3. Setup and Installation

Tools Required (Not Included): Pencil, Level, Drill, Screwdriver, Measuring Tape.

1. **Select Location:** Choose a suitable wall location for your shelves. Consider the desired arrangement and ensure the wall material can support the shelves and their intended contents.
2. **Mark Mounting Points:** Hold each shelf against the wall at the desired height and position. Use a pencil to mark the locations for the mounting holes. Use a level to ensure the marks are straight.
3. **Drill Pilot Holes:** Using a drill, create pilot holes at the marked locations. The size of the drill bit should match the wall anchors provided. For drywall, use the plastic anchors. For wood studs, pilot holes may be smaller, or anchors may not be needed.
4. **Insert Wall Anchors (if applicable):** Gently tap the plastic wall anchors into the pilot holes until they are flush with the wall surface.
5. **Mount Shelves:** Align the shelf's mounting holes with the installed anchors or pilot holes. Insert the screws through the shelf and into the anchors/wall. Tighten the screws securely with a screwdriver until the shelf is firm against the wall. Do not overtighten.
6. **Repeat for all shelves:** Follow the same steps for the remaining two shelves, arranging them as desired.



Image 3.1: Mainstays 3-Piece Decorative Floating Shelves installed. This image shows the three black shelves mounted on a light-colored wall, adorned with a vase of flowers, a framed picture, and a small bird figurine, demonstrating a typical decorative setup.

4. Operating Instructions

The Mainstays Decorative Floating Shelves are designed for displaying lightweight decorative items. Once

securely mounted, you can place various objects on them to enhance your room's aesthetic.

- **Weight Distribution:** Distribute the weight evenly across the shelf surface. Avoid placing heavy items concentrated in one spot.
- **Load Capacity:** While specific weight limits are not provided, these shelves are intended for decorative purposes. Avoid placing excessively heavy items such as large books, heavy sculptures, or multiple potted plants.
- **Stability Check:** Periodically check the stability of the shelves by gently testing them. If any looseness is detected, re-tighten the mounting screws.

5. Maintenance and Care

Proper care will help maintain the appearance and longevity of your Mainstays shelves.

- **Cleaning:** Wipe the shelves with a dry, soft cloth to remove dust and light smudges. Avoid using abrasive cleaners, harsh chemicals, or wet cloths, as these may damage the finish.
- **Inspection:** Regularly inspect the shelves and mounting hardware for any signs of wear, damage, or loosening. Address any issues promptly.

6. Troubleshooting

This section addresses common issues you might encounter.

- **Shelf feels wobbly after installation:**
 - Ensure all mounting screws are fully tightened.
 - Verify that the wall anchors (if used) are properly seated in the wall.
 - Check if the wall surface is even. Uneven surfaces can cause instability.
- **Difficulty drilling into the wall:**
 - Ensure you are using the correct drill bit size for the wall material (e.g., masonry bit for brick/concrete).
 - If encountering a stud, adjust the drill bit size accordingly or relocate the shelf slightly.
- **Scratches on the shelf surface:**
 - Use a dry, soft cloth for cleaning. Avoid abrasive materials.
 - Minor scratches may be touched up with a black furniture marker, if desired.

7. Specifications

Feature	Detail
Brand	Mainstay
Model Number	8541858309
Number of Shelves	3
Color/Finish	Black

Shelf 1 Dimensions (W x D x H)	6" x 4" x 1.75"
Shelf 2 Dimensions (W x D x H)	12" x 4" x 1.75"
Shelf 3 Dimensions (W x D x H)	14" x 4" x 1.75"
Installation Type	Wall-Mounted
Assembly Required	Yes
Included Components	Mounting Hardware
Product Care	Wipe with Dry Cloth
Item Weight	1.6 pounds (total for set)

8. Warranty Information

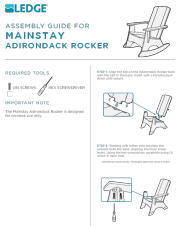
Specific warranty details for the Mainstays 3-Piece Decorative Floating Shelves are not provided in the product information. For any warranty-related inquiries, please refer to the retailer's return policy or contact Mainstays customer service directly.

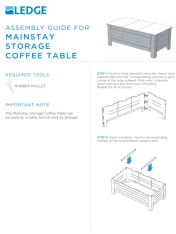
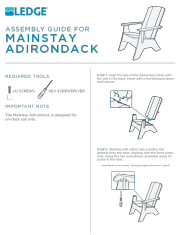

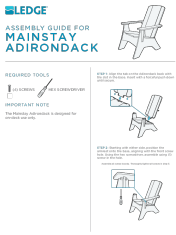
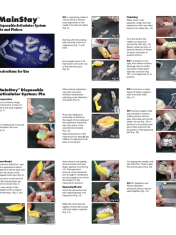
9. Customer Support

If you have any questions regarding the installation, operation, or maintenance of your Mainstays 3-Piece Decorative Floating Shelves, please contact the retailer where the product was purchased or visit the official Mainstays website for support resources.

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