

HOW OFTEN SHOULD YOU PAINT?

EXTERIOR PAINTING

- ✓ **Wood siding:** Every 3–7 years, or every 4 years if stained.
- ✓ **Stucco:** Every 5–6 years.
- ✓ **Brick (painted):** Every 15–20 years.
- ✓ **Aluminum siding:** Every 5–10 years.
- ✓ **Vinyl siding:** Every 10–15 years.
- ✓ **Cement fiberboard siding:** Every 10–15 years.

INTERIOR PAINTING

- ✓ **Living rooms & dining rooms:** Every 5–7 years.
- ✓ **Bedrooms:** Every 5–7 years (kids' rooms may need it sooner).
- ✓ **Hallways & corridors:** Every 3–5 years (due to high traffic).
- ✓ **Kitchens & bathrooms:** Every 3–4 years (moisture and grease cause wear).
- ✓ **Ceilings:** Every 10+ years, unless stained or damaged.

FACTORS THAT AFFECT PAINTING FREQUENCY

- ✓ **Climate:** Harsh weather, humidity, and direct sunlight can shorten paint lifespan.
- ✓ **Quality of Paint:** Higher-quality paints last longer.
- ✓ **Preparation & Application:** Proper priming and application increase durability.
- ✓ **Usage & Traffic:** High-traffic areas require more frequent repainting.

Following this schedule helps maintain your home's appearance, protects surfaces, and enhances property.



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