



## How to Install Your Glass Cabinet Inserts

After you receive your glass cabinet inserts, it is important to install them properly. Installation of our glass inserts is easy and requires no special tools or skills. There are two popular installation methods, both which can be completed by even a novice to working with glass.

### Method 1 – Silicone Glue

The simplest way to secure your panel is to glue it into place with silicone adhesive, which you can find at any home improvement or craft store.

1. Remove the door from the cabinet and remove any hardware. Lay it face down on a flat surface.
2. Remove the old glass insert from the door. (If you have a solid wood door, you will need to cut an opening for your glass. See the [video](#) on [www.artglasscabinets.com](http://www.artglasscabinets.com) for complete instructions on this process).
3. Place small dots of silicone glue inside the frame where your new glass will rest. You don't need too much glue – use one dot of glue for every 6 inches.
4. Carefully place the new glass insert in the track on the back side of the door. Be sure to “bottom out” your new insert and center the glass.

**CAUTION:** Inserts should fit easily into the frame. Do not force the glass. Stress can cause your glass to fracture which can result in serious injury.

5. Cut quarter rounds to hold the glass into place, aligning the quarter rounds to fit inside the glass track, resting against the glass insert itself.

Tip: Quarter rounds should be cut at a 45 degree angle for a more secure hold.

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6. Use a nail gun to secure the quarter round into place. Make sure to be extremely careful during this step and not to hit the glass with the nails or your tools.

Alternative: Pre-drill holes and use finishing nails to secure the quarter round into place. Use a nail set (also called a nail punch) to make the nails flush with the surface. Take special care not to hit the glass with the nails or your tools.

7. Let the glue cure for 48 hours before rehanging the door.

## Method 2 – Glass Clips

Another quick and easy way to install your new glass cabinets insert is to use glass panel retainer clips or glazing beads. These are readily available at any hardware store.

We recommend using clear plastic glass clips that go against the insert. These clips add cushioning and support to the glass and are not visible from the outside.

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3. Set your new glass insert into the track on the back side of the door. It should fit easily into the frame.

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4. Install the clips to the back of the door. You most likely will need at least two clips along the top and the bottom of the insert.

Tip: Be sure to pre-drill the screw holes for easier installation.

5. Rehang the doors and enjoy your new cabinets.



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