



## Maintenance and care for Artisan Panels

All materials age and all finishes fade over time. Artisan Panels are designed to be structurally sound and durable, when the proper care is applied, giving your Artisan Panels a substantial lifespan.

**Cleaning.** Dust and dirt can turn abrasive if not removed over time. If the panels are not routinely cleaned this could lead to staining or scratches within the finish. Artisan Panels recommends using standard soap and water applied with a soft cloth. Stay away from any soaps that contain bleach.

**Maintenance.** Just like cleaning the panels it's recommend that you routinely look over the panels for any signs of scratches, dings, exposed metal, and stress to any mounting points. Most scratches or scuffing can be buffed out using scratch compounds, commonly found at your local auto parts store. For deep scratches you may need to apply a wax or even touch up paint. If you find that that you have exposed metal, you will need to apply one of the recommendations above. You do not want exposed metal left alone as for it may accelerate the possibility of rust. Contact Artisan Panels if you are need of touch paint. In the event of any type of vandalism, such as graffiti, this cannot be removed without damaging the finish, unless an anti-graffiti coating has been applied prior. Dents and dings may come out buy using a rubber mallet and a cloth. Make sure to routinely check your mounting points and mounting hardware for any signs of stress. Toch up paint pens are available for purchase from us in the event that chips or scratches need dressing.

With the proper maintenance and care you will enjoy years to come of your Artisan Panels. If you should have any questions, always feel free to contact us and a Artisan professional will lend you a hand.