Interior painting estimate worksheet

Worked example in USD. Replace the shaded cells with your measurements, rates and agreed scope.

Measure the walls

Room	Wall run (ft)	Height (ft)	Openings (sq ft)	Net walls (sq ft)
Living room	70	8	80	480
Dining room	62	8	41	455
Upstairs hall	70	8	45	515
Total measured wall area				**1,450**

Subtract openings once. For work without wall painting, leave rooms blank and enter a wall rate of $0.

Price the agreed work

Work or materials	Quantity	Unit	Rate (USD)	Amount (USD)
Prep and repairs	10	hours	$65.00	$650.00
Paint walls	1450	sq ft	$1.85	$2,682.50
Trim and six doors	1	job	$920.00	$920.00
Paint and supplies	1	allowance	$690.00	$690.00
Subtotal				$4,942.50
Example sales tax on supplies only			6.0%	$41.40
Estimated total including tax				**$4,983.90**

Schedule the deposit

Deposit requested on approval	30.0%	$1,495.17
Payments already received for this job		$0.00
Unpaid balance after money received		**$4,983.90**

Record a payment when funds arrive. Reconcile payments above the estimate before quoting a balance.

Included work: patch, sand and caulk, protect floors and furniture, apply two wall coats and paint trim and six doors.

Excluded work: ceilings and additional repairs. Agree on colors and document scope changes before work begins.

Example terms: valid for 30 days. Confirm the agreed scope, local tax treatment and deposit schedule before sending.

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