



DIY GUIDE: PAINTING GALVANISED STEEL (BUNNINGS PRODUCTS)

Steel Painting Guide

Surface Prep

- Clean the surface using sugar soap and water to remove grease, dirt, or oils.
- Rinse well and allow it to dry completely.
- Lightly sand the surface using a scourer pad or fine sandpaper to dull the shine and help the primer bond.
- Wipe clean with a damp cloth and let dry again.

YOU WILL NEED

- Scourer pad or fine sandpaper (180–240 grit)
- Selley's Original Sugar Soap (or any sugar soap)
- Clean rags or cloths – for wiping down



Apply Etch Primer

- Shake the can or mix the primer well.
- Apply a thin, even coat of White Knight Rust Guard SLS Etch Primer.
- Allow to dry fully – usually 1 hour.

YOU WILL NEED

- White Knight Rust Guard SLS Etch Primer (Spray can or tin)
- Drop sheet or masking tape – to protect surrounding areas (optional but handy)



Apply Topcoat

- Once primer is dry, apply your topcoat. Use White Knight Rust Guard Epoxy Enamel for brush-on Dulux Metalshield Enamel.
- Apply 2 coats, allowing the first coat to dry (refer to tin, usually 2–4 hours between coats).
- Let final coat cure for 24 hours minimum before use or exposure to weather.

YOU WILL NEED

- Dulux Metalshield Epoxy Enamel (To your chosen color)
- Brush or roller (if using tin)

