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Frameless Velour & Corporate Felt Pinboards For Early Learning, Primary, Secondary & School Administration Spaces

Visionchart pinboards are designed to support modern education environments by combining safety, functionality and clean visual design. From active classrooms to professional administration areas, our range provides practical display solutions that improve organisation, communication and learning outcomes.

This guide will help you select the right pinboard for your space.

Why Frameless Wrapped Pinboards Are Ideal for Education

Frameless pinboards are purpose-built for school environments where safety, durability and flexibility are essential.

- **Safe for busy school spaces**
  - In classrooms and corridors, safety is non-negotiable. Traditional pinboards with hard frames and sharp edges pose a real risk — especially in high-traffic areas. Frameless boards remove this hazard completely. With soft edges, no exposed frame, and a smooth Velour surface, they are safe for students, practical for teachers and visually appealing for staff.
- **Soft, tactile surfaces** suited to all age groups
- **Modern, seamless appearance** that integrates into contemporary classrooms
- **Acoustic benefits** to reduce noise and improve concentration
- **Durable and long-lasting** for daily school use
- **Velcro-compatible and pinnable** for flexible teaching methods
- Available in standard sizes or full-wall installations

Choosing the Right Pinboard for Your Space

Frameless Velour Wrapped Pinboards
(Autex Vertiface Fabric)

Best for: Classrooms, corridors, libraries, breakout spaces

Velour pinboards are designed for active learning environments where flexibility, safety and acoustics matter.

Key Benefits

- Soft, safe surface ideal for students
- Pinnable and Velcro-receptive
- Excellent acoustic performance (approx. 14mm thick)
- Modern frameless design with wrapped edges
- Wide colour range for engaging learning environments
- Sustainable 12mm bioboard core

Ideal Use

- Early learning and primary classrooms
- Secondary learning environments
- Hallways and shared learning zones
- Library and collaborative spaces

Acoustic Benefits

Velour pinboards provide strong acoustic performance, helping to reduce echo and improve clarity in:

- Classrooms
- Breakout areas
- Collaborative learning spaces
- High-noise environments

This supports better concentration and communication for both students and staff.

Choosing the Right Pinboard for Your Space

Corporate Felt Pinboards
(Aluminium Frame)

Best for: Administration areas, staff rooms, meeting rooms, offices

Corporate Felt Pinboards offer a more structured and professional display solution suited to staff and office environments.

Key Benefits

- Durable wool felt surface for everyday use
- Sleek aluminium frame with concealed fixings for a clean finish
- Strong and stable construction for high-use areas
- Mountable in portrait or landscape
- Supplied with mounting kit and push pins
- Available in blue or grey felt finishes
- Custom sizes available on request

Key Features

- Aluminium frame with anodised finish
- Eco-friendly 12mm bioboard core
- Pin-receptive surface (not Velcro compatible)
- Suitable for offices, classrooms and meeting rooms

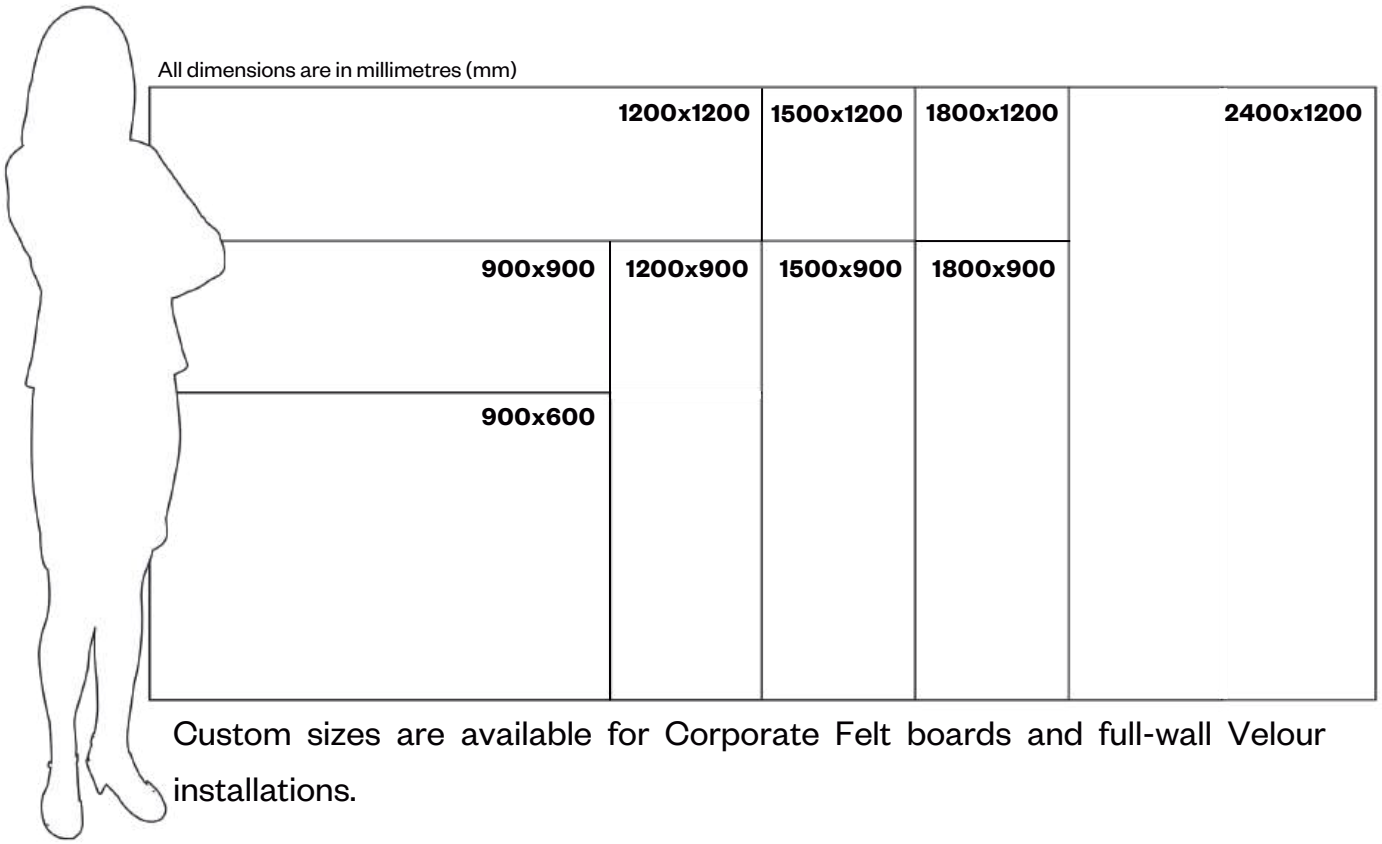
Ideal Use

- School administration offices
- Staff rooms and planning areas
- Meeting and boardrooms
- Reception areas and shared spaces

Standard Sizes Available

Both Velour and Corporate Felt pinboards are available in practical, education-friendly sizes:

- 900 × 600 mm
- 900 × 900 mm
- 1200 × 900 mm
- 1200 × 1200 mm
- 1500 × 900 mm
- 1500 × 1200 mm
- 1800 × 900 mm
- 1800 × 1200 mm
- 2400 × 1200 mm



Custom sizes are available for Corporate Felt boards and full-wall Velour installations.

Full-Wall & Floor-to-Ceiling Pinboard Panels (Velour Range)

For schools upgrading their learning environments, Velour pinboards can be installed as **full-wall or floor-to-ceiling systems**, transforming entire walls into functional learning surfaces.

Benefits of Full-Wall Systems

- Maximises display and teaching space
- Improves classroom acoustics
- Protects walls from damage
- Supports flexible teaching methods
- Creates a clean, architectural finish

Panels can be designed to suit your exact wall dimensions, including cut-outs for windows, power points and cabinetry.

Colour Options for Education Spaces

Velour (Frameless, Full-Wall & Floor-to-Ceiling)

Early Learning: Warm, bright, playful colours

Primary Classrooms: Balanced blues, greens and mid neutrals that support focus

Secondary Classrooms: More mature charcoals, greys, deep blues and greens

OCTANE

MURALLA

INK

CALYPSO

STONEWASH

CASPIAN

PINNACLE

PORCELAIN

MYST

HERALD

EMPIRE

KOALA

PETRONAS

TREE HOUSE

GHERKIN

SAGE

HIGHLAND

CAVALIER

OPERA

SAVOYE

FLATIRON

Administration & Staff Rooms: Neutral palettes suited to office furniture and cabinetry

CANYON

STONEWASH

FALLING WATER

CASPIAN

PINNACLE

PORCELAIN

MYST

HERALD

EMPIRE

KOALA

PETRONAS

HIGHLAND

TERRACE

CAVALIER

OPERA

SAVOYE

PARTHENON

FLATIRON

Corporate Felt

- Blue and grey finishes for a clean, professional look
- Suitable for office and administration areas

BLUE

GREY

Installation Information

Proper installation ensures your pinboards look great, perform well and remain safe in everyday school use.

Wall Type & Fixing Method

Suitable for Gyprock, brick and most common wall types.

- Velour boards include stainless steel screw cap fixings
- Corporate Felt boards include mounting kit and concealed fixing system

Room Access & Scheduling

Installation should be planned around school schedules.

Please confirm access times and whether furniture needs to be moved prior.

Height & Safety

Boards should be installed to suit the users of the space:

- Early learning: lower positioning for student access
- Classrooms: standard viewing height
- Admin areas: aligned with desks and joinery

All boards must be installed level, particularly when multiple panels are used.

Choosing the Right Size

Common layouts include:

- **Front of class:** 1800 × 1200 mm or 2400 × 1200 mm
- **Between windows:** 900 × 600 mm or 900 × 900 mm
- **Small group areas:** 1200 × 900 mm
- **Gallery walls:** multiple 1200 × 1200 mm panels

Providing a photo of the wall helps determine the best size and layout.

Full-Wall Installations (Velour)

For full-wall systems, please confirm:

- Ceiling height
- Wall width
- Whether a continuous surface is preferred
- Obstructions (windows, power points, joinery)
- Preferred seam placement

Larger installations may require two installers.

Access & Preparation

Ensure clear access to the wall prior to installation.

Remove desks, shelving or equipment where required.

Pinboard Planning Questionnaire

To help us recommend the right solution for your environment, please complete as much detail as possible. This information helps us understand your requirements and provide the best options for your learning environment.

Space Details

Room or area name:_____

(e.g., Year 3 classroom, STEM lab, library, admin office)

Type of space (tick all that apply):

- ☐ Early learning
- ☐ Primary
- ☐ Secondary
- ☐ Admin/staff
- ☐ Breakout area
- ☐ Library
- ☐ Other: _____

Current wall finishes:

- ☐ Gyprock
- ☐ Brick
- ☐ Other: _____

Is acoustic improvement important for this space?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Not sure

How the Pinboards Will Be Used

What will the boards be used for? (tick all that apply):

- ☐ Artwork and student displays
- ☐ Learning resources
- ☐ Timetables/notices
- ☐ Velcro teaching tools
- ☐ Project/gallery wall
- ☐ Acoustic treatment
- ☐ Other: _____

How often will the displays be changed?

- ☐ Daily
- ☐ Weekly
- ☐ Monthly
- ☐ Occasionally

Product Preference

Do you require Velcro compatibility?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Not essential

Preferred surface style:

☐ Velour (soft, acoustic, Velcro-friendly)
☐ Corporate Felt (framed, durable, professional finish)
☐ Either / open to recommendation

Size & Layout Requirements

Which format are you considering?

☐ Standard pinboards
☐ Multiple boards across one wall
☐ Full-wall or floor-to-ceiling panels
☐ Not sure yet

Do you prefer a continuous surface with no gaps?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Depends on layout

Do you have a preferred size?

☐ 900 × 600
☐ 900 × 900
☐ 1200 × 900
☐ 1200 × 1200
☐ 1500 × 900
☐ 1500 × 1200
☐ 1800 × 900
☐ 1800 × 1200
☐ 2400 × 1200
☐ Other/custom: _____

Standard board placement (if known):

☐ Front-of-class wall
☐ Between windows
☐ Beside whiteboard
☐ Gallery/project wall
☐ Other: _____

If full-wall or multi-board:

Ceiling height: _____ mm
Wall width: _____ mm
Are there windows, power points or joinery to work around?
☐ Yes
☐ No

Colour Preferences

Do you have a preferred colour palette?

☐ Bright, playful colours
☐ Balanced classroom tones
☐ Mature/neutral tones
☐ To match existing walls/furniture
☐ Unsure – please recommend

Specific colours (if known):_____

Installation

Will the room be accessible during school hours?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Limited access (please specify): _____

Does furniture need to be moved before installation?

☐ Yes
☐ No
☐ Not sure

Preferred fixing style:

☐ Stainless steel screw caps
☐ Concealed fixings
☐ No preference

Additional Notes

Please include any extra details that will help us understand your requierments.

_____

_____

_____

Choosing the Right Solution

Choose Frameless Velour when you want:

- Safe, soft surfaces for students
- Velcro compatibility
- Strong acoustic performance
- A modern, seamless classroom look

Choose Full-Wall Velour Panels when you want:

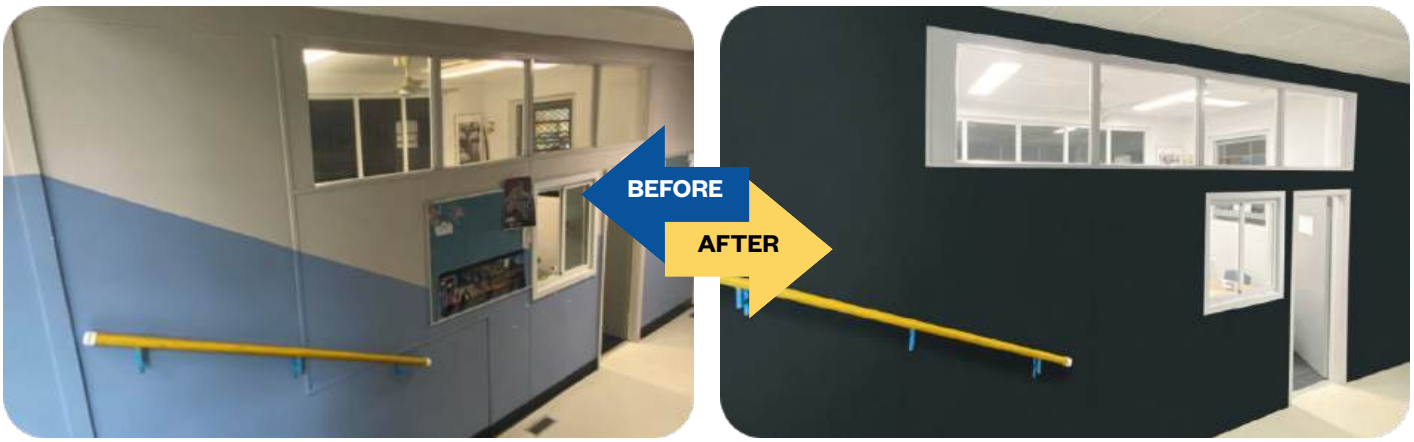
- Maximum learning space
- Improved acoustics
- A clean, architectural finish
- Long-term wall protection

Choose Corporate Felt when you want:

- A structured, framed board for office use
- A professional appearance
- Durable everyday pinning surface
- A solution for staff and admin environments

Quick Comparison Reference

Feature	Frameless Velour Pinboards	Corporate Felt Pinboards
Best for	Classrooms, corridors, learning areas	Offices, staff rooms, admin spaces
Design	Frameless, wrapped-edge (no sharp edges)	Aluminium frame with clean, structured look
Safety	Soft edges, no frame – ideal for student areas	Framed edges – suited to adult environments
Surface Type	Autex Vertiface fabric	Wool felt surface
Pin Compatibility	Yes	Yes
Velcro Compatibility	Yes	No
Acoustic Performance	High (approx. 14mm thick)	Moderate
Appearance	Seamless, modern, architectural	Professional, traditional
Colour Options	Wide range of education-friendly colours	Blue and grey
Custom Sizes	Full-wall and floor-to-ceiling options available	Custom sizes available on request
Typical Use	Teaching walls, display zones, hallways	Notices, planning boards, communication areas
Installation Style	Screw cap fixings (clean exposed finish)	Concealed fixings with framed structure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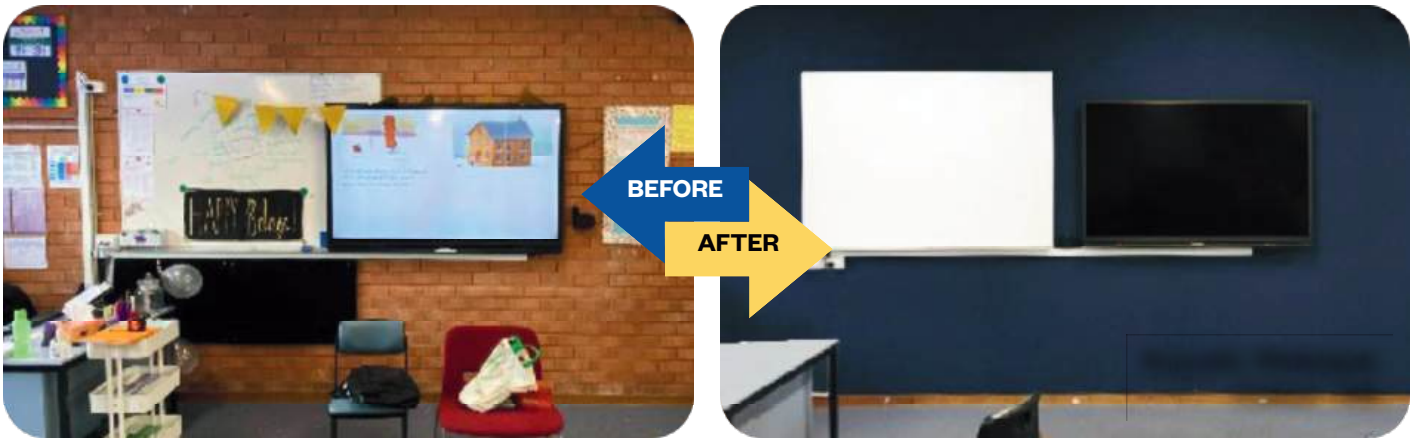
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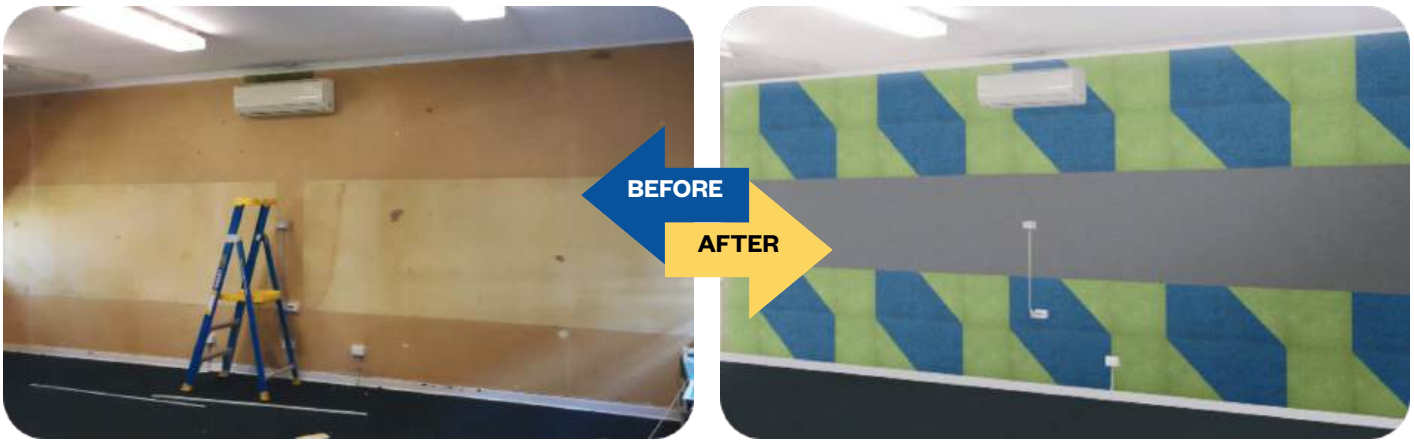
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Frequently Asked Questions

Choosing the right pinboard comes down to how the space will be used, who will use it, and the type of finish you want to achieve. These common questions will help guide your decision and make planning easier.

What is the difference between Frameless Velour and Corporate Felt pinboards?

Frameless Velour pinboards are designed for classrooms, corridors and learning spaces where safety, acoustic performance and Velcro compatibility are important. Corporate Felt pinboards are better suited to administration areas, staff rooms, meeting rooms and offices where a more structured, framed appearance is preferred.

Which pinboard is best for classrooms?

Frameless Velour pinboards are generally the best choice for classrooms. They have soft wrapped edges, strong acoustic benefits, and are both pinnable and Velcro-compatible, making them ideal for active learning environments.

Which pinboard is best for offices, staff rooms and administration areas?

Corporate Felt pinboards are ideal for office and administration settings. They offer a clean aluminium frame, concealed fixings and a professional finish suited to staff and shared office environments.

Are both pinboards suitable for pinning notices and displays?

Yes. Both Frameless Velour and Corporate Felt pinboards are pin-receptive and suitable for displaying notices, posters, learning materials and general information.

Are both pinboards Velcro-compatible?

No. Frameless Velour pinboards are Velcro-compatible, while Corporate Felt pinboards are not. If you intend to use Velcro teaching aids or learning resources, Velour is the better option.

Do pinboards help with acoustics?

Yes. Frameless Velour pinboards provide strong acoustic performance and can help reduce echo and improve clarity in classrooms, breakout spaces and other high-noise areas. Corporate Felt boards provide a more moderate acoustic benefit.

Are acoustic pinboards worth considering for learning spaces?

Yes. In busy education environments, acoustic performance can support better concentration, clearer communication and a more comfortable space for both students and staff.

Can I order a custom size?

Yes. Custom sizes are available for Corporate Felt pinboards, and Velour can also be specified for full-wall and floor-to-ceiling installations.

What are the benefits of a full-wall pinboard system?

Full-wall Velour systems maximise usable display space, improve acoustics, help protect walls from damage, support flexible teaching methods and create a clean, architectural finish.

What fixing methods are used?

Frameless Velour boards include stainless steel screw cap fixings, while Corporate Felt boards include a mounting kit with a concealed fixing system.

Can pinboards be installed on different wall types?

Yes. The boards are suitable for Gyprock, brick and most common wall types.

How high should a pinboard be installed?

Installation height should suit the users of the space. Lower positioning is recommended for early learning areas, standard viewing height works well for classrooms, and admin spaces should align with desks and joinery.

Can installation be planned around school hours?

Yes. Installation should be scheduled around school access and operating times wherever possible. Access times should be confirmed in advance.

What should be prepared before installation?

The wall area should be clear and accessible before installation. Desks, shelving and equipment may need to be moved beforehand depending on the room layout.

What information should I provide for a full-wall installation quote?

It is helpful to provide the ceiling height, wall width, whether you want a continuous surface, details of any obstructions such as windows, power points or joinery, and your preferred seam placement. A photo of the wall is also recommended.

Need Support?

Visionchart is here to help you plan your ideal learning space. We can assist with: Product selection, Colour matching, Layout planning, Full-wall solutions, Custom sizing, Installation guidance. For more information or site advice, please get in touch with our team.