Dining Room Mirror Placement Sheet

Size and hang your mirror perfectly to double your natural light.

A strategically placed mirror acts as a second window. Use this guide to find the perfect dimensions and placement for your unique dining room setup.



Key Placement Specs

2/3
of your exact sideboard width

8 in
gap above the sideboard surface

Low-iron
glass for crisp, true-color reflection

French cleat
hanging system for flush mounting

Window center
alignment for bare-wall placement

Soften the Edges

Layer tall candlesticks, low bowls, and organic floral arrangements on your sideboard. Let them slightly overlap the frame's bottom edge to break up the rigid geometry.

The Seated Sightline Test

1. **Pull out a chair** Sit down at the table to check the reflection strictly from a seated eye level.
2. **Check the view** Ensure guests see the beautiful garden outside rather than a blank ceiling or neighbor's roofline.
3. **Watch for glare** Look from every seat to ensure there is no harsh glare from the chandelier bulbs.
4. **Confirm all seats** Verify the sightline from both the host and guest chairs before lifting heavy glass.
5. **Align the center** Match the mirror's center point perfectly with the window frame to maximize natural daylight.

Mirror-to-Sideboard Size Chart

Find your row: **Sideboard Width**

Sideboard Width	Your pick	Why
48 inches	32 inches	8 inches space per side
60 inches	40 inches	10 inches space per side
72 inches	48 inches	12 inches space per side
84 inches	56 inches	14 inches space per side

Before You Hang

- ○ Verify your exact wall stud locations to anchor the wooden cleat securely.
- ○ Check the manufacturer packaging to find the right weight rating for hardware.
- ○ Confirm your glazier is using low-iron glass to prevent green tints.
- ○ Test the mirror angle to ensure it bounces morning sunlight directly inside.

Room Measurements & Notes

Enjoy your beautifully brightened dining room and the stunning new view it brings!