NOTE: It is necessary to use a weather stripping adhesive in order to install trunk seals. Dennis Carpenter Ford Reproductions recommends and sells 3M brand Weather Stripping Adhesive. Our part # is COAZ-19554-A

Experience has shown us that taping the seal into position before any adhesive is applied allows you to check the fit of the seal and also aides in applying the seal.

Apply the adhesive to the trunk lid not the seal.

The best (and cleanest) results comes from glueing a section of the trunk seal at a time by removing the tape, applying the glue then reapplying the tape to hold the seal into position. After the adhesive has cured you can remove the tape.

Remember that new seals are more resilient to compression and will cause your trunk lid to close tightly.

HOW TO INSTALL TRUNK SEALS

NOTICE: For greater ease of trunk seal installation it is recommended that the trunk lid be removed from the car and placed upside down on a suitable stand.

STEP 1
Remove the old trunk seal and glue material from the trunk lid. Clean the metal thoroughly where the seal is to be adhered. A degreaser/wax remover solution is recommended.

STEP 2
Arrange the new trunk seal so that an end begins at the trunk latch assembly.

STEP 3
Glue one end of the seal to the trunk lid first. Next glue along the bottom of the trunk lid to the corner. Continue glueing the seal up the side of the trunk lid to the top, across the top then down the opposite side. Bring the un-glued end of the seal to the beginning end, mark it then cut off the excess. Glue into place.