1963-64 Galaxie Fastback /Convertible Door Seal Installation



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

Apply the adhesive to the door, not the seal. Glue around the door as described in the instructions.

The best (and cleanest) results comes from glueing a section of the door 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 door seals are more resilient to compression and will cause your doors to close tightly.



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

INSTALLING DOOR SEALS

STEP 1

Remove the old door seals and glue material from doors. Clean doors thoroughly with a degreaser/wax remover where adhesive will be used to reattach the door seals.

STEP 2

The door seals are labeled on the molded ends as R R (right rear) and L R (left rear). Starting at the bottom front of the door, push the first plastic pin of the door seal into the hole on the door then continue this procedure to the rear of the door.

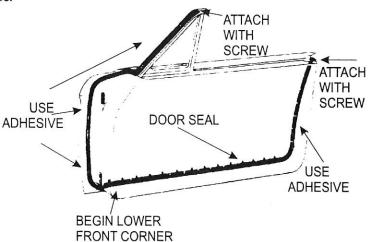
STEP 3

Drape the seal up the rear of the door (lock side) and screw the tab at the end of the door seal to the door.

STEP 4

From the first pin forward, place the door seal into position and screw the end of the seal to the top of the vent window frame.

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STEP 5

Tape the seal into position on both the hinge side and door lock side. This will aide you in the adhesive process.

STEP 6

Loosen a taped section of weather stripping and apply a bead of adhesive to the door.

Follow adhesive manufacturer's directions for proper curing time.

Relocate the weather stripping and tape into position. The tape can be removed after the adhesive has cured.

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