

FORD EXPLORER REAR MUD GUARDS INSTALLATION INSTRUCTIONS

Please read instructions thoroughly before installation.

Tools Required

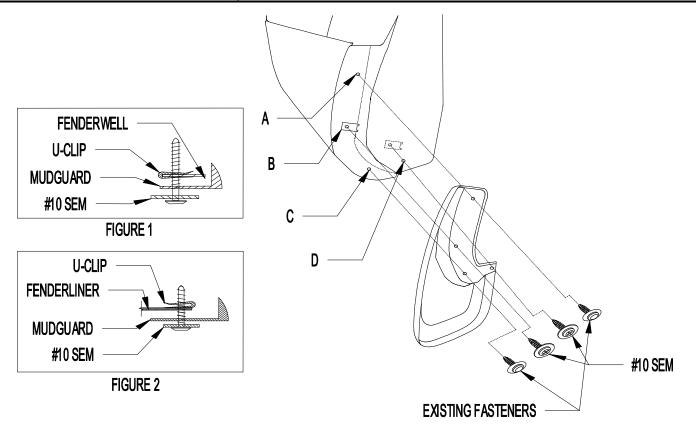
- 1/8" drill bit / Drill
- Center punch / Hammer
- Short Phillips screwdriver or drill attachment

Package Contents

- Driver & passenger side rear mud guard
- #10 SEM screw (qty. 4)
- U-clip (atv. 4)
- Instruction sheet

NOTE: It may be necessary to remove the wheels depending on the tools being used for installation.

- 1. Clean and degrease the mud guard location area on the fender before installation.
- 2. Remove existing fastener from location A and C.
- 3. Pull fender liner forward and install U-clip at location B. U-clip clips over fender. (Figure 1).
- 4. Attach mud guard at location A and C to rear fender with existing fasteners. Check fit and level before tightening.
- 5. Install #10 SEM at location B.
- 6. Using mud guard as a template, mark and drill 1/8" hole at location D.
- 7. Install #10 SEM screw through mudguard and fender liner into u-clip at location D. U-clip does not clip over fender liner; it installs behind liner and acts as a nut. (Figure 2).



PAINTING INSTRUCTIONS

Note: If painting mud guards, perform a mud guard test fit to ensure correct fit and application prior to painting.

- 1. Clean mud guard with a soap and water solution to remove dirt and other contaminates.
- 2. Sand painting surface with 320 grit sand paper.
- 3. Apply a coating of flexible primer-adhesion promoter.
- 4. Apply a flexible paint as directed by the paint manufacturer.