



Option #1: Old-Fashioned Knock

Tap with a knuckle or hammer lightly around the wall. When the sound changes from hollow to solid, you've hit a stud. Use a small nail to confirm.

Option #2: Use a Stud Finder

The stud finder locates metal that reacts to magnets, you are essentially looking for screws and nails. Move the stud finder left and right, up and down then diagonally while watching for the red light. When it goes off, you've found a stud. Make a mark, find your level, then drive screw in leaving 1/4" out.



Option #3: Locate Electrical Outlets

Outlets are mounted on studs. Electrical outlets are 16" on center from each other. Note: The same holds true for wall vents, windows and door jambs. Measure 16" one way or the other and you should be able to find a stud.

