PAPILIO Inkjet Media

USING THE TEMPORARY TATTOO KIT

Supplies you will need:
- Tattoo paper and clear transfer sheet
- Tattoo designs
- An Inkjet printer
- A few sheets of regular paper
- A pair of scissors or an X-ACTO blade
- A sponge or wash cloth
- Some water
- A mirror
- A clean table or counter to work on
- For tattoos on your back, bring a friend

Step 1. Figuring out the size.
Some computers and printers will let you adjust the size of your printed design to your preference. A sheet of tattoo test paper (8.5" x 11") can usually hold more than one image, so it’s a good idea to lay out several tattoos on each page. To avoid wasting any tattoo test paper, make a sample print using your regular Inkjet paper. Once you like the way your design looks on regular paper you are ready to print directly onto your Tattoo Paper.

Tip: Use your computer to flip (reverse) the tattoo, so you can test it in both directions!

Step 2. Printing your design.
When printing on your Tattoo Paper you must print on the shiny side of the sheet. Don't assume that what goes in your printer face-up comes out face-up. Many printers reverse the paper while printing. If you are unsure, do this simple test: Take a sheet of regular Inkjet paper and mark one side with a pencil before running it through your printer. This will tell you what side of the paper your printer prints on. Now you are ready to load the Tattoo Paper. We recommend loading only one sheet at a time.

Tip: DO NOT print on the clear transfer sheet!

Step 3. Letting your tattoo paper dry.
After you have printed your design on your Tattoo Paper, allow it to dry thoroughly (10 minutes). If your Tattoo Paper has curled, roll it backwards until it lays nice and flat. Make sure your image is laying face up on a clean table or counter.

Step 4. Using the clear transfer sheet.
This adhesive comes in sheet form and has two (2) release liners. Like a sticker, the clear transfer sheet must be peeled from it’s backing to reveal a sticky adhesive (If you have trouble peeling apart the transfer sheet try curling one of the corners). Apply the sticky side of your clear transfer sheet directly to the printed side of your Tattoo Paper. Be sure to make good contact between your print and the adhesive by applying pressure from one end to the other, working out small air bubbles as you go.

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Tip: If you have bubbles that won't come out, poke the bubble with a pin to release the air.

Step 5. Cutting out your design.
With your tattoo paper and clear transfer sheet pressed together, use scissors or an X-acto knife to carefully cut out your tattoo. It's best to trim as close to the image as you can.

Step 6. Applying the design to your skin.
Be sure your skin is clean and dry before you apply the tattoo paper. Peel the clear transfer sheet away from the tattoo paper. The adhesive from the clear transfer sheet should now be on your tattoo paper. Use a mirror to help you position your tattoo over your skin. When you feel you have the correct position, firmly press the sticky side of the tattoo paper onto your skin. Press and hold firmly, letting your body heat help set the tattoo in place. Make sure your skin has made secure contact in every area of the tattoo. Hold for one minute.

Tip: For best results on body parts with a lot of hair, consider shaving prior to application.

Step 7. Removing the paper.
Wet a sponge or washcloth with warm water (not soaked, but more than damp). Use the sponge to thoroughly wet the back of your tattoo. As the water soaks in, the tattoo will become visible through the paper. The water will dissolve the adhesive allowing you to slide the tattoo paper away, leaving the image on your skin. Congratulations on your New Temporary Tattoo!

Tip: You can easily remove your Temporary Tattoo at any time, with baby oil. Be sure to wash the area with soap and water before you try again.

Your Temporary Tattoo can last for several days. If you have sensitive skin and have received a rash from band-aids, adhesive or other chemicals you may want to leave your tattoo on for only a few hours. You can shower with your tattoo but do not scrub—just rinse lightly to keep clean. It's tempting to touch your tattoo, but try to leave it alone. Allow it to dry well before covering it up with clothing.

As a precaution do not use this kit (or any other glue or chemicals) if you are pregnant or nursing a baby.

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