

Application Instructions

About Die-cut Vinyl Decals

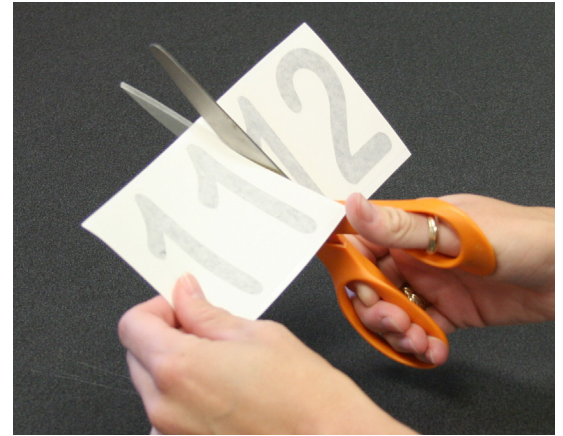
These numbers are diecut vinyl decals. Diecut means that the numbers are cut out of vinyl and will have no background when you apply them to cones or other obstacle markers; you get just the number, no clear or white square around them. Diecut numbers are more attractive, more versatile, and also weather better than standard decals.

Each decal has three pieces:

1. The top layer is the transfer tape or pre-mask. It's a translucent paper that is used to apply the decal.
2. The middle layer is the actual vinyl decal. The decal will come off the backing and stay attached to the transfer tape when you're ready to apply it.
3. The bottom layer is the backing, a thicker paper that has a waxy surface.

Preparation

- Do not apply decals in extreme cold (under 50°) or extreme heat (over 90°) because it will affect the adhesive. Ideally the surface temperature should be approx. 68°, but anything between 50° and 90° will work.
- Make sure the surface to which you're applying each decal is clean and dry.
- If you have purchased the number set, the numbers come on strips. Use a scissors to cut apart the individual numbers. You don't need to worry about cutting straight lines.

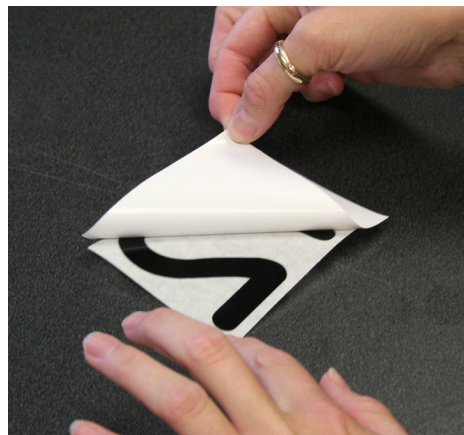
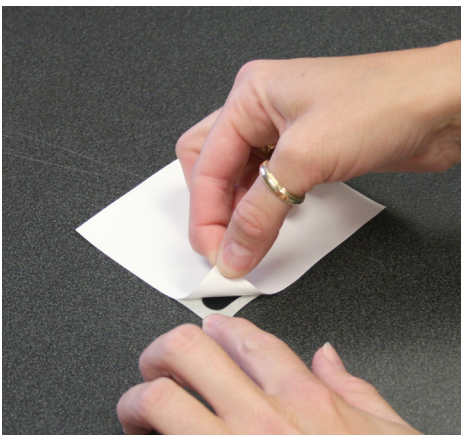


Applying Your Decals

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1. Lay the decal face down. Slowly peel off the backing sheet by bending the backing sheet and leaving the pre-mask flat. Peel off backing sheet completely and discard it.

Troubleshooting: If a number sticks to the backing sheet, lay the backing sheet back down, rub vigorously, and then peel again.



2. Carefully position the decal on the surface to which it's being applied; make sure it's exactly where you want it before you go to the next step.



3. Run your fingers firmly back and forth to put pressure on the decal against the application surface for about one minute. You can also use a coin or the edge of a smooth, blunt instrument (like rounded end of a screwdriver handle). Be sure to smooth out any bubbles.



4. Starting at the edge of the pre-mask, slowly peel away the pre-mask at a low angle so you don't lift up the number. Discard the pre-mask sheet.

Troubleshooting: If a portion of a number lifts away from surface, gently lay down the pre-mask, rub vigorously, and peel again.

