



# Vinyl sticker application

Your decal is made of long-lasting fade resistant, 3 - 5 year guaranteed vinyl. It needs a clean, smooth surface to adhere to and can be removed when heated with a hair dryer, but cannot be reused.

With all of our decals, there is no background and the surface it is applied to will show through!

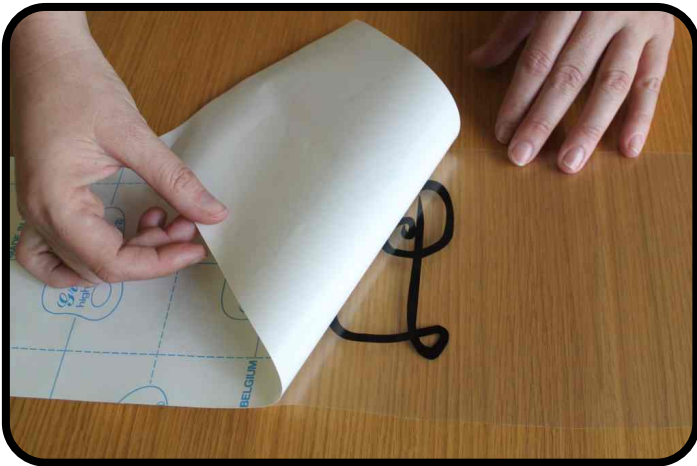
Think of your vinyl stickers in 3D. Your sticker works as a sheet of 3 layers:

1. Top layer - **Transfer tape**: this will either be already on top of your vinyl or will come in a separate roll for you to apply. Please note that you have to reuse it for all the separate pieces.
2. Middle layer - **Vinyl**
3. Bottom layer - **Backing paper**

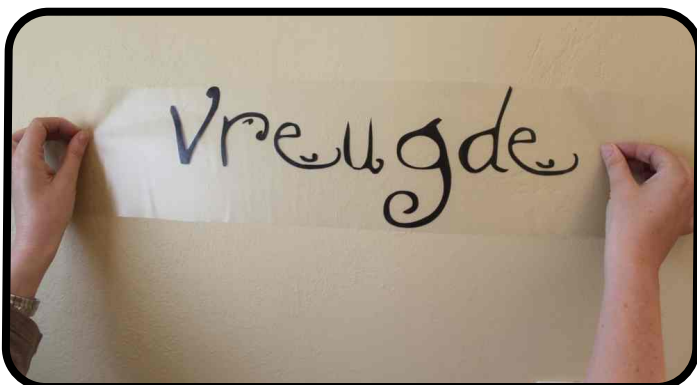


**Preparation:** Use a wet cloth to clean your surface. Surface must be clean of all dirt, dust, oil etc! Let your surface dry. If transfer tape is not yet applied to your sticker, lay your decal on a table and apply this on top of your decal with the sticky side facing down. Rub on top of your entire decal with a bank/credit card to ensure adhesion to the transfer tape.

**Remove backing:** Flip the decal sheet around and slowly peel off the bottom layer. Best when working from one corner to opposite corner at an angle. If the decal wants to stick to the backing paper, slowly manipulate the bottom layer to help decal stick to the transfer tape.



**Position:** Position your decal on your desired surface.



**Rub onto surface:** Use your bank/credit card to firmly rub over the top layer to secure your decal to the surface. Be sure to work from the centre out in all directions. Let sit for 30 - 60 seconds to help release the adhesive from the transfer tape.



**Peel off transfer tape:** Carefully and slowly peel off the top layer to reveal your decal. (Best when working from a top corner to the bottom of the opposite end. If part of the decal starts to come up with the transfer tape, rub it back down while tape is still on. Any air bubbles can be removed by poking a small hole in the vinyl with a needle or pin and pushing the air out with your finger.



**You're done!** If you have any questions, please contact us. We want you to be absolutely delighted with your wall décor!

**Please note:** Do not wash your surface with the newly applied stickers for at least 7 days and press down any lifting corner until the glue settles.

**Removal:** When it comes time to remove your vinyl stickers, remember that the heat of a hair dryer will help soften the vinyl. This makes it easier to remove. Then simply clean your surface with household cleaner or alcohol.

## Tips

- Use a hair dryer when applying and removing the vinyl. The heat makes the glue stick and release better.
- For larger pieces use soapy water to wet the whole sticker as well as the wall & apply while wet. This will allow you to move it until you're happy with the position.
- Fantastick does not recommend using our products on Rhinolited walls and/or dry-walling as this will damage the paint once the vinyls are removed.
- Wait at least 2 weeks before applying your stickers to newly painted walls as the chemicals will damage the vinyl.