

Cricut One Color Vinyl Projects

Step By Step Instructions Part 4 of 4

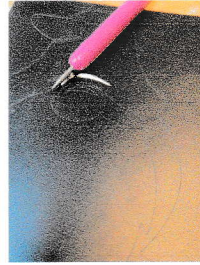
Weeding and Transferring



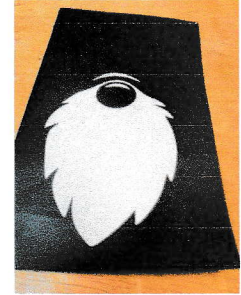
1. Remove your design from the mat. Both top (vinyl) and bottom (backing) layers together. Your design may be hard to see.



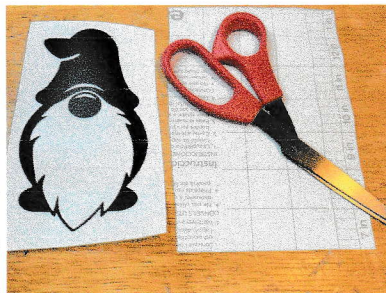
2 If you go over it will a little bit of baby powder or flour you can see it more clearly



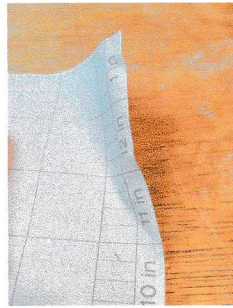
3. Removing the parts of the design you don't want is called Weeding. In this case all the white. Refer back to your original picture to help you see what needs to be removed. Use the weeding tool and/or tweezers to help get those parts out.



4. Continue to remove all the unwanted parts leaving only those you want for your design



5. Once you have them all removed including the outside edge. Cut a piece of transfer tape/adhesive a little larger than your design.



6. Carefully peel off the backing



7. And place it on your image, making sure it covers your entire design.



9. Remove the backing from the vinyl making sure the design is securely stuck on the transfer adhesive.



8. Push it down firmly and smooth it out making sure there are no creases or bubbles. You can use a credit card for this, again working from the middle and push the bubbles out to the sides.



10. Place the image where you want on your project (In this case the tray) If using a mug or something shiny clean the surface with alcohol before you transfer. Push the image down Go over it several times pushing firmly along all the edges



11. Remove the transfer adhesive SLOWLY. This is the trickiest part of the whole project. Sometimes the design just doesn't want to stick. If it's not sticking STOP lay transfer back down and rub it some more, use credit card if necessary. One trick is to pull the paper away at an angle, rather than directly horizontal or vertical. I usually go over it with the appropriate Mod Podge when it's finished.

