



FLIGHTLINE GRAPHICS

Paint Masks - Stencils - Dry Rub Decals - Waterslides

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Waterslide decals

Supplementary Instructions: Scored outlines

Waterslide decals are printed on a single film of clear carrier. Normally each decal must be cut out and trimmed tidily before application. Where you cut becomes the edge of the clear carrier film when applied. If decals have been scored, the individual items have been pre-cut just enough to break the carrier film around the decal.

If you look closely at the picture opposite the decals show a cut line that has been added around both decals.

This will give them a nice clean outline when applied to the model surface.



The first thing to do is to cut out the individual decal as you would if the decals was not pre-cut.

Be careful not to cut within the score line.

For best practice you should leave as much space around the decal as possible. It is not necessary to be neat with your cutting but it is essential to use sharp scissors for a clean cut.



Soak the decal in water for 10 seconds and remove the decal to the side of the bowl so it is out of the water. Allow it to soak for a further 30 seconds.

Gently rub with your finger on the edge of the film as shown here. The clear carrier should "crumple up" as you slide your finger too-and-fro.

Don't push too far as you could damage the main decal.



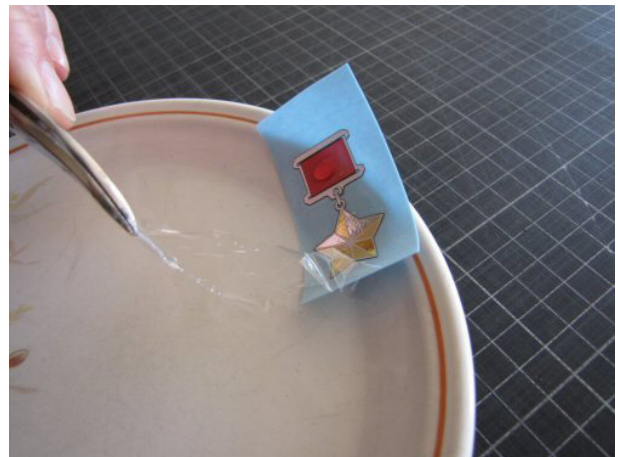


With tweezers carefully pinch the carrier and slowly lift it away from the decal.

The decal within the scored outline should remain in tact on the paper.

Continue slowly lifting the carrier until it has completely come away from the surface.

You should apply the decal immediately.



With the decal positioned over the target area, hold the top of the decal at one end ensuring you are not trapping the decal with your grip.

Gently hold a little pressure at the other end of the decal with a single finger (indicated by arrow) and slowly pull the paper away from below.

The decal should transfer to the surface.



Gently dab the area on and around the decal where it is wet. Look closely for ripples or creases in the waterslide and dab carefully to stretch where necessary to remove them.

Do not put any pressure on the decal, and allow it to dry out thoroughly for 3 – 4 days.

Please see the general application instruction sheet for guidance on how to protect your decals.



If you have any questions about the instructions, please contact me before you start!

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Thank you.

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