

## FINGERPRINT GUIDE FOR JEWELRY

### STEP 1: MAKE YOUR "INK"

- Rub a small dark area with a pencil point on a sheet of white paper:



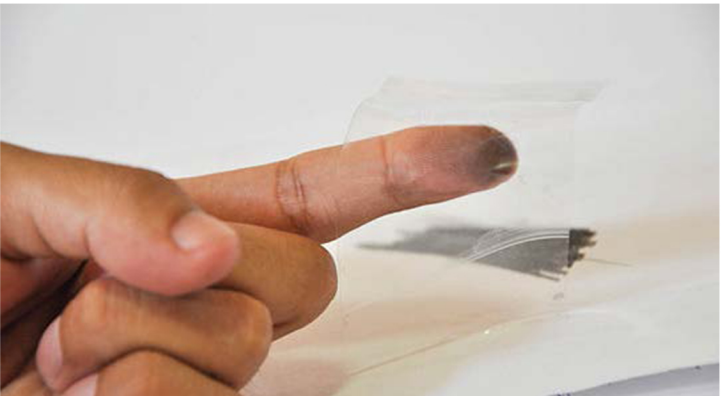
### STEP 2: TRANSFER INK TO YOUR FINGER

- Press and rub your finger in the pencil-lead dust until the main patch of your fingerprint is generously covered:



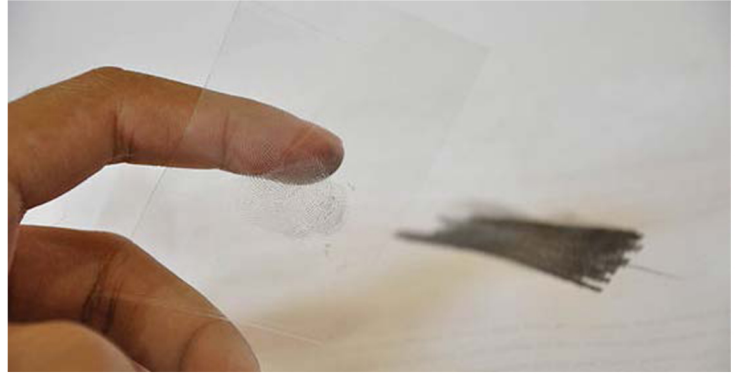
### STEP 3: LIFT YOUR PRINT WITH A PIECE OF TAPE

- Carefully place the sticky side of clear tape (i.e: scotch or packing tape) on your finger. Try to avoid crinkling the tape, and avoid "rolling" your finger around the tape:



### STEP 4: CAREFULLY PEEL THE TAPE

- Gently peel the tape off your finger, again trying to avoid crinkling the tape. 1 or 2 crinkles are to be expected, but anything more than that will make the fingerprint look jagged:



### STEP 5: TRANSFER TO A CLEAN SHEET OF PAPER

- Stick the tape to a clean sheet of white paper. Check that the lines do not look smudgy, but look clean and well-defined. You now have your fingerprint!:



### SUBMITTING YOUR PRINT & HELPFUL HINTS

- Remember that the final product will only be as good as the original impression, so don't be afraid to take multiple prints! We will select the one that works best for a transfer. Generally you can take 2-3 fingerprint impressions after rubbing your finger in the lead before the ink becomes too light.
- If you are sending in more than 1 set of fingerprints, be sure to label them clearly with the person's name. If you have one, please also write your order number on your submission.
- You can choose to send us your impressions in the mail or email it to us at [sales@kenanddanadesign.com](mailto:sales@kenanddanadesign.com) by scanning your prints. If scanning, please select a 600 dpi or higher resolution and use a TIF, JPEG or PNG format.