

Tools You Will Need:

- Artesprix® Sublimation Iron-on-Ink
- Artesprix® Sublimation Blank Picture Frame
- Plain Copy Paper
- Artesprix® Heat Tape
- Artesprix® Protective Paper
- Heat Source: Artesprix® Heat Press, Dry Iron, or Home Iron
- Artesprix® Project Mat



1. Using the Artesprix® Iron-on-Ink, create your design on plain copy paper. Don't worry if the color looks dull, it will come to life when heat is applied.

Note: While applying the Iron-on-Ink to the copy paper, protect your work surface from potential ink bleed by placing an additional sheet(s) of copy paper under the original.
2. If using an Artesprix® Heat Press, set your temperature to 400° F. For a Dry Iron, set to linen or highest setting. For a Home Iron, set to linen or highest setting, and "No Steam".

Note: The holes in your home iron do not allow heat to pass through evenly.
3. Open your picture frame. Remove all pieces, set picture frame backing, mylar protective film, and protective tissue aside. Secure your design (face-down) to the white side of the hardboard Artesprix® Picture Frame with Artesprix® Heat Tape.

Note: Only use Artesprix® Heat Tape on the outer edge of your design, not over it, as the heat resistant characteristic of the tape will affect the consistency of the transfer.
4. Create a "Sublimation Sandwich" from bottom to top:
 1. Artesprix® Protective Paper
 2. Artesprix® Picture Frame (white side up) with design secured (face-down) on top
 3. Artesprix® Protective Paper

Note: If using a Home Iron/Dry Iron you will want to use an Artesprix® Project Mat to absorb heat, protect your craft table, and ensure even pressure.
5. Set your Artesprix® Heat Press timer for 90 seconds and press. If using a Home Iron/Dry Iron, place "Sublimation Sandwich" on your Artesprix® Project Mat and hold stationary while pressing firmly for approximately 3 minutes.

Note: DO NOT leave heat source unattended.
6. Gently remove the paper from the blank to reveal your unique vivid design!
7. Assemble picture frame as desired, horizontally or vertically. Place protective mylar film in picture frame before assembling.
8. Do not forget to turn your Heat Source off.