

HOW TO APPLY FLOOR GRAPHICS

Thank you for purchasing a Retro Planet graphic decal. If you have any questions about applying your decal, give us a call at 888-242-6633 or 603-318-7200. We'll be glad to help. For more info and helpful tips, be sure to check our informative videos and FAQ section on www.retroplanet.com/wall-decals-info.html



Painter's Tape

Scissors/Utility Knife



Measuring Tape

Squeegee/Credit Card



Level

Ladder/Step-stool



Before applying :

Our floor graphics are durable and very easy to apply. They feature a very strong adhesive and protective lamination layer that will last for years. Here are some tips for making your application easier.

- Lay your graphic on a flat surface overnight to straighten out any curl that occurred in the shipping tube.
- Be sure to wipe the surface you are applying to with a dust cloth to remove any dust or dirt.

Floor Graphic Application Instructions :

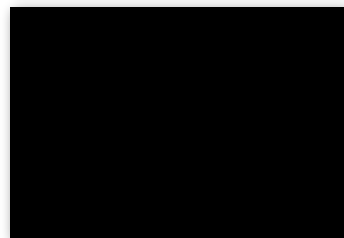
To start, lay the decal on the floor and use a strip of painter's tape across the entire length of the decal to hold it in place as you work.

Separate a portion of the backing layer to expose a few inches of the adhesive side of the graphic.

While holding the exposed adhesive out of the way, cut away the backing paper with a scissors or hobby knife.

Press the adhesive side of the graphic to the floor and rub over the surface with a squeegee or credit card. Always working from the center outward to the edges. Once this part of the decal is in place you may remove the painter's tape.

Lift the remaining part of the decal to peel back part of the backing paper to expose the adhesive side of the graphic a few inches at a time. Flatten the decal in place as you go to apply the entire graphic.



Bubbles :

If you see air bubbles, work them out gently using a squeegee or credit card. You can also use a hair dryer if necessary to warm up and soften the adhesive bond between the decal and the floor. This will make it easier to work out any bubbles that may have occurred during application.



Paint & Moisture :

If you have a freshly painted cement floor or have applied a protective coat on the floor, please refer to the manufacturer's recommendations for drying times before applying the decal. It can take a few days or weeks for paint and other finishes to cure and if you apply the decal too soon, the paint/coating will adhere to the decal adhesive. Please note that some chemical resistant floorings or coatings may also repel the adhesive graphic.

The condition of the floor you're applying the decal to is a very important factor. Always apply to smooth surfaces for best results. Do not apply your decal to a wet floor or one with cracks or loose chips. Do not apply these floor decals on textured flooring.

Removing the Floor Decal :

Before removing a floor decal that's been in place for three months or more, apply heat with a common hair dryer. This will loosen the bond on the adhesive enough to easily and safely pull the decal up from the floor.

Cleaning :

Your floor decal is very durable and will hold up well to normal foot traffic. It also is laminated for protection from liquid spills. Clean with mild soap and water, but it is recommended that you avoid harsh chemicals that may dissolve the plastic laminate.

