

Instructions for T-Shirt Transfer Sheets for Light Colors

Purple Chimp™ T-Shirt Transfers for Light Colors are transparent transfer sheets that you print in your ink jet printer. Please note that this product is recommended for white or very light color fabrics, as the fabric color will show through your transfer. For best results, read these instructions before creating your masterpiece.



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Remember- Have an adult help with cutting and ironing.

GET READY . . .MATERIALS NEEDED

- Transfer sheets, included in your package
- New T-Shirt or other project surface. Do not wash or clean garment in any way prior to applying the transfer.
- Computer and color ink jet printer
- Household hand iron
- Pillowcase
- Smooth, hard, heat resistant surface for ironing, such as a wood cutting board. Do not use ironing board, glass, heat sensitive or padded surfaces.

GET SET . . . CREATE YOUR PICTURE

• Log onto www.purplechimp.com. Click on the "CREATE YOUR DESIGN" button. The left side of the screen is your working area where you can combine clip art, photos and words to create your picture. The right side of the screen has buttons where you can find clip art and frames, type words, change fonts and colors and get photos that you have stored on your computer. Monkey around with it - it's fun!

Note: You may also create your picture on your computer using your own programs, clip art, photos, and text.

Need some inspiration? Click on our "GALLERY OF IDEAS"

PRINT YOUR PICTURE

- Once you have completed your picture, click the "PRINT" button from the site in the middle of your screen. Your printer window will open.
- Place plain paper in your printer first, to make sure that you are happy with the results. Print your picture.
- When you like what you see, place one sheet of T-Shirt Transfer for Light Colors in your printer so that printing occurs on the plain, unmarked side of the transfer sheet.
- Click the same "Print" button. Your printer window will open again.
- Set your printer to "Mirror Image", normal quality, plain paper setting. Print picture.
- Allow ink to dry 30 minutes.
- Using a scissors, trim picture to desired shape.

PREPARE TO TRANSFER

- Preheat iron to highest, cotton setting.
- DO NOT USE STEAM. Empty any water that may be in iron and allow to preheat for five minutes.

- Place pillowcase on smooth, hard, heat resistant surface such as a wood cutting board. Do not use ironing board or padded surface. Iron pillowcase to remove wrinkles.
- Iron t-shirt or project to remove moisture and wrinkles.

GO!

TRANSFER TO PROJECT

- Position printed transfer FACE DOWN on project surface.
- Using firm pressure, iron over the entire transfer in a circular motion, making sure that each spot of the transfer, especially the edges, receives 15 to 20 seconds of heat.
- Remove paper backing while transfer is still warm but cool enough to touch for a satin finish or when completely cooled for a glossy finish.

If you would like a little extra help or have a question, click on our "VIDEO DEMONSTRATIONS" or "ASK THE EXPERT" for personalized assistance.

YOU DID IT! WEAR IT, SHOW IT, SHARE IT!

Click on the "SHARE YOUR PROJECT" button to see how you can share your masterpiece with other chimp artists. Or sign up to win chimp charms by clicking on the "WIN PRIZES" button. Make sure to check with an adult if it's ok.

WASHING INSTRUCTIONS

- Transfers have a stiff feel to them when new. This feel will become softer as you wash the garment.
- Turn t-shirt inside out.
- Machine wash cold or warm water in mild detergent, NO BLEACH. NO SOFTENER. Do not use hot water.
- Remove promptly from washer as bleeding may occur if left wet. If bleeding occurs, rewash.
- Tumble dry low or lay flat to dry. If air drying, blot excess water from image with a clean dry towel.
- Do not stretch as cracking may occur.
- Do not iron directly on transfer. If ironing is necessary, cover with a sheet of baking parchment (available at grocery stores) and allow to cool before removing.

STORAGE

Always store unused product in a flat, cool, dry place.

This product is intended for use in standard ink jet printers only. Do not use in other printers or copiers such as laser printers or any other printer/copier that applies heat as it may damage the machine. Test the product you plan to use to determine the suitability of the product for your equipment, methods and substrate material.