




Care For Your Airbrush Shirt

All printed shirts can fade with time, but if you follow these easy steps, your airbrush shirt can retain the color long after your first wear.

1. Before you wear or wash your shirt, it is important that you “heat-set” the paint so that it clings to the fabric. Heat-setting can be accomplished by following these steps:
 - a. Lay the fabric paint side up on a flat surface with a towel between the shirt and surface.
 - b. Use wax paper if available, regular white copy paper is also okay to cover every inch of the airbrush surface
 - c. Set your iron to non steam  and set it for cotton fabric (highest setting)
 - d. Iron the shirt by adding equal pressure to each section of the airbrushed surface a region at a time holding down on each area from 15 to 25 seconds depending on the heat source.
 - e. When you remove the sheet, the paint should go from a rough finely coarse texture, to a smooth iron-on like feel.
2. Hand washing the shirt is recommended. You should use cold water and wash the shirt inside out. If you prefer to use a washing machine, turn shirt inside out and use a gentle cycle. Color safe bleach will not harm the paint on the shirt.
3. If possible, hang-dry your shirt. If dryer must be used, set to low heat and make sure shirt is inside out.

Quick Tip: In my 20+ years experience in the airbrush shirt field, I have found that after heat-setting my own shirts, I would not wear the shirt for at least a month or two. This seemed to have a more lasting affect on the color and its brightness on the fabric.

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