

APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS, MAINTENANCE, STORAGE AND WARRANTY INFORMATION for SUPER STICKERS®



Thank you for purchasing Super Stickers®!

All instructions contained herein should be read before preparation and installation.

TIPS FOR STORING:

- Clean, dry areas. Any sand, dirt, particles, etc. will affect the durability of the Super Stickers®.
- Away from sunlight, excessive moisture or humidity.
- Ambient temperature between 50° F/ 10°C and 75°F/ 24°C, and humidity less than 70%.
- Keep in area with low humidity and consistent heating and cooling.
- Allow Super Stickers® to acclimate for a minimum of 24 hours prior to application.
- Apply within 3 months of purchase.
- Lay flat while not in use.
- Do not stack printed face to face.
- Do not apply pressure to stacks of cut sheets.

APPROVED APPLICATION SURFACES AND CONDITIONS: Test area with a sample of our Super Stickers® before full application. Super Stickers® can also be applied to some wall surfaces.

According to 3M®, the only approved flooring to receive these Super Stickers® are:

- Waxed vinyl
- Sealed concrete
- Marble
- Ceramic tile
- Sealed wood
- Terrazzo

Super Stickers® should be installed on approved flooring according to the following:

- In general, the floor surface must be secure and in good condition.
- Avoid installing Super Stickers® over loose or uneven surfaces.
- Be sure any topical floor finish is well bonded to the floor surface. Floor finishes that are not well-bonded to the surface may separate or release, resulting in premature lifting of the graphic. In addition, the floor finish may come off with the graphic when the graphic is removed, requiring the reapplication of the floor finish. Some types of floor finishes include concrete sealer, wood sealer, paint, and wax.
- Properly clean the floor surface, including removing any silicone coatings, except in grout line area of tile.
- The floor surface application temperature range is 50°F to 100°F (10°C to 38°C).

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Super Stickers® should be installed on wall surfaces according to the following:

- In general, the wall surface must be clean, smooth, secure, free of cracks and peeling, and in good condition.
- Avoid installing Super Stickers® over wall surfaces that are damaged, subject to water damage, moisture or excessive humidity.
- Be sure any topical wall finish is well bonded to the substrate. Finishes that are not well-bonded to the substrate may separate or release, resulting in premature lifting of the graphic. In addition, the wall finish may come off with the graphic when the graphic is removed, requiring the replacement or reapplication of the wall finish.
- The surface application temperature range is 50°F to 100°F (10°C to 38°C).

Conditions during application should be with ambient temperature between 50° F/ 10°C and 75°F/ 24°C, low humidity and consistent heating and cooling.

LOCATION OF SUPER STICKERS®: Any surface, including Super Stickers®, that is wet due to rain, snow or other contaminants may become slippery. To avoid personal injury due to slipping:

- Place Super Stickers® away from entryways.
- Use doormats to reduce moisture at entryways.
- Clean up water, spills or other contaminants immediately.
- Locate in areas that have minimal foot traffic.

APPLICATION TOOLS: The following items will be needed to properly install the Super Stickers® and can be purchased directly from Fit and Fun Playscapes® if not already included in your purchase:

- 3M® Hand Applicator Squeegee (PA 1) with felt edge
- Lint free cloth (s)
- 3M® Scotch Blue™ tape
- Other items:
 - Floor prep cleaning equipment like brooms, mops, cleaner
 - Garbage bags for waste
 - Scissors

SURFACE PREPARATION & CLEANING:

All surfaces must be cleaned prior to applying floor graphics, including surfaces that are sealed, waxed or painted to ensure there is no surface contamination including dust, dirt, or grit of any kind. To clean the surfaces, use the following procedure:

- 1) Clean an area that is 6 to 8 inches (15 to 20 cm) larger than the Super Stickers® by spraying the area where the Super Stickers® will be applied. Use a solution of 20 drops of detergent

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per pint (400 ml) of water. Do not use soaps or enzyme detergents. Additional cleaning measures may be needed depending on conditions present.

- 2) Once all dust, dirt, oil or grease is removed, wipe down cleaned areas with 91% rubbing alcohol that contains no lotions with a lint-free cloth such as a 3M® Lint Free Cloth before the alcohol evaporates.

APPLICATION PROCEDURES: Please read the following application instructions before actual application. Please call us at (800) 681-0684 or email us at info@fitandfunllc.com if you have any questions.

Super Stickers® Application:

- 1) After cleaning the surfaces according to the Surface Preparation & Cleaning instructions provided above, unpackage Super Stickers® carefully. Please note that there may be Pro Tips, reference diagrams and free Super Stickers® swag on the sheets. Please read those Pro Tips and save the diagrams for reference. The Super Stickers® swag is our little “thank you” and can be used just about anywhere for fun!
- 2) The sheets on which your Super Stickers® were printed may include dotted lines that you will likely need to separate. Follow the Pro Tip by folding along the dotted/ perforated edges before tearing apart for clean separation. If you ordered more than one Super Stickers® product, keep each product individually grouped after separating.
- 3) Carefully peel off excess sticky material on top surrounding the graphic to be applied with the exception of Tiptoe Loop, Rainbow Infinity Loop, Tree Hopscotch, Tiptoe Octopus, Galaxy Spin and any yoga pose or fitness circle. Use a small piece of piece of Scotch Blue™ tape at the edges or corners. This process is called “weeding” and the excess material can be discarded. There is no weeding necessary for the Tiptoe Loop, Rainbow Infinity Loop, Tree Hopscotch, Tiptoe Octopus, Galaxy Spin and any yoga pose or fitness circle. For these, carefully separate along the perforations using your fingers without bending, tearing or twisting the Super Stickers®.
- 4) Place the Super Stickers® in the sequence and pattern you desire or use the layout instructions on the reference diagram if provided.
- 5) Take a small piece of Scotch Blue™ tape (1-2 inches) and attach it firmly to the Super Stickers® surface. Using the tape as a handle, lift a small portion of the Super Stickers® surface by gently peeling up a small (1-2 inch) portion of the Super Stickers® and separating it from a small portion of the back paper, being careful not to tear the Super Stickers® especially at inside corners.
- 6) Using scissors, carefully cut a small portion of the separated back paper off from the Super Stickers®. DO NOT CUT the sticky Super Stickers®.

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- 7) Carefully lower exposed sticky part of the Super Stickers® into position using Scotch Blue™ tape handle. You can make minor adjustments at this time. Do not handle the adhesive surface too much as it can adversely affect its durability and performance.
- 8) Gently stroke/ rub the small portion of the Super Stickers® using the soft edge of the hand tool working across the shortest, edge-to-edge distance from the center towards edges.
- 9) Once Super Stickers® is adhered to surface in its desired position, and is flat with no visible bubbles or wrinkles, you are ready to finish application as follows:
 - i) Remove any remaining Scotch Blue™ tape.
 - ii) Lift any remaining back paper up so none is touching surface. Slowly peel Super Stickers® graphic from back paper simultaneously using hand applicator tool by stroking Super Stickers® back and forth using the soft edge of the hand tool. Work across the shortest, edge-to-edge distance from the center towards edges or across entire Super Stickers® depending on width. This should be one fluid motion, back and forth and lifting up back paper as Super Stickers® adheres to surface.
 - iii) The application is not complete until you strike/ rub the Super Stickers® in place using firm pressure. This ensures a good seal and works the adhesive into the surface to provide a stronger bond.
- 10) Application is complete and should not be used for 24 hours until a strong bond is formed.

APPLICATION TIPS:

- Do not smooth the graphics with your hands because this entraps air.
- Only use soft/ felt edge of applicator on Super Stickers® surface.
- Do not leave Scotch Blue™ tape on graphic for extended lengths of time. Only place tape on Super Stickers® at time of application and removed immediately after application.

OPTIONAL WAXING INFORMATION: If you apply the Super Stickers® to a floor that is routinely maintained using buffing or scrubbing equipment, we suggest waxing over the Super Stickers® as soon as possible after applying it to the floor. This further protects the Super Stickers®. Following the application and waxing, if used, keep the Super Stickers® and surrounding floor surface clean and dry for at least four hours; do not scrub or buff the area during that time. Avoid using the Super Stickers® for 24 hours after installation and waxing is completely cured. Refer to wax materials for curing time.

CARE OF SUPER STICKERS®: The following precautions and care should be exercised when using the Super Stickers®:

- Super Stickers® may be damaged by heavy equipment, such as forklifts, as well as by dragging or rolling heavy items across the top of the graphic like furniture. If possible,

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locate Super Stickers® out of the mainstream flow of heavy equipment traffic and protect graphic when moving/ dragging furniture. Minor edge chipping is unavoidable.

- Do not pick at Super Stickers®.
- Do not allow standing water to pool on or near Super Stickers®.
- High heel shoes can damage Super Stickers®.
- Do not strip floors over Super Stickers® unless tested. Fit and Fun Playscapes will not be liable for damaged Super Stickers® from stripping or other cleaning procedures or materials.
- Do not slide, run or use equipment on Super Stickers®.

CAUTION: To reduce the risk of tripping, remove and replace the entire Super Stickers® if there is any lifting from the floor surface. Call Fit and Fun Playscapes® at (800) 681-0684 for replacements.

MAINTENANCE AND CLEANING: According to 3M®, use routine floor maintenance procedures and equipment to maintain the Super Stickers® as follows:

- 1) Select a floor finish or wax that meets or exceeds the 0.5 Static Coefficient of Friction value using the ASTM D 2047 test procedure.
- 2) Clean the Super Stickers® prior to waxing it.
- 3) Follow the manufacturers' recommendations for applying the floor finish or wax.
- 4) Do not use buffing equipment over Super Stickers® unless they are waxed regularly.
- 5) If high-speed, propane-type buffers are used, we recommend that you apply four to six coats of wax to the Super Stickers® before buffing it. Multiple coatings of wax reduce the chance of the edge of the graphic wearing prematurely during buffing.

REMOVAL

Floors:

1. Remove the Super Stickers® from the floor by lifting one edge and pulling it off at a sharp angle (180 degree angle) with smooth, even tension. A scraper, such as a putty knife, may be used to lift the edge, if needed.
2. The floor wax under the Super Stickers® may also be removed in this process; therefore, the area may have to be re-waxed.

Walls:

1. Remove the Super Stickers® from the walls by gently lifting one edge and peeling it off at a slight angle, with a smooth even tension.
2. The wall finish, including paint may also be removed during this process; therefore, the area may have to be repainted/ finished.

NOTE: Fit and Fun Playscapes LLC is not responsible for any damage to the floor or wall surfaces. Please test with a sample before full application.

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WARRANTY

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Any questions?

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