Ink Jet Tattoo Sheets Helpful Hints

Printing Your Tattoo

- **Only** print this product using ink jet printers. Make sure your print quality is set to “good.” Also, the best results are typically obtained by setting the printer to **PLAIN PAPER – 360 or 720 DPI**.
- **DO NOT USE** photocopiers, laser printers, HP Deskjet 1200C or 1600C ink jet printers. In addition, avoid using a 3-in-1 printer as they tend run hot and your tattoos may not print well.
- Print on the **plain** brown side of the tattoo paper.

- If the tattoo sheets go through the printer, but the images don’t print, you may need to increase the thickness of the tattoo sheet. To do this, tape a sheet of 8.5” x 11” computer paper to the back side (with the grid). Now print again.
- You **do not** need to reverse images, even if you are printing words. Example – our Janlynn logo. Words will run in the correct direction from the monitor to your tattoo design.

- White ink will not print. Example – this snowman clipart. All areas that appear white on your monitor will appear flesh-toned once your tattoo is applied to skin.

- After printing, let the sheet dry for 15 minutes to avoid smudging.

Applying Your Tattoo

- Cut the image out, leaving a small border around the image. Only place fingers on areas of the paper where there is no ink.
- Skin should be clean and free of creams, lotions or cosmetics.
- To apply the tattoo, place the sticky side of the tattoo on bare skin and press with fingers.
- Carefully peel the image from the backing and slowly lift off the membrane.
  - We found that the easiest way to apply is to peel half the tattoo from the backing, and stick it to the skin before proceeding to remove the rest of the backing.
- The bigger your tattoo is, the harder it will be to pull the backing off. **Use extreme caution and be patient when removing larger designs from the backing.**

Removing Your Tattoo

- **Tattoos are not waterproof.**
- To remove the tattoo design, wash with soap and water.