

∞ Installing Stickers ∞

Items needed:

1. Soapy water.
2. Some sort of soft brush.



Step 1 – Wetting the frame.

Simply brush some soapy water on the area the sticker is to be applied. When wet, the sticker can be positioned without setting. If enough water used, it can be slid around to get it in the right spot. Or, it can be removed without damage if you do something wrong.



Step 2 – Placing the sticker in the proper location.

Begin laying the sticker down in location starting in the center of the sticker and work toward the edges. This should allow you to more easily remove the sticker if the location seems off. This also helps limit the number of bubbles and wrinkles at initial placement.

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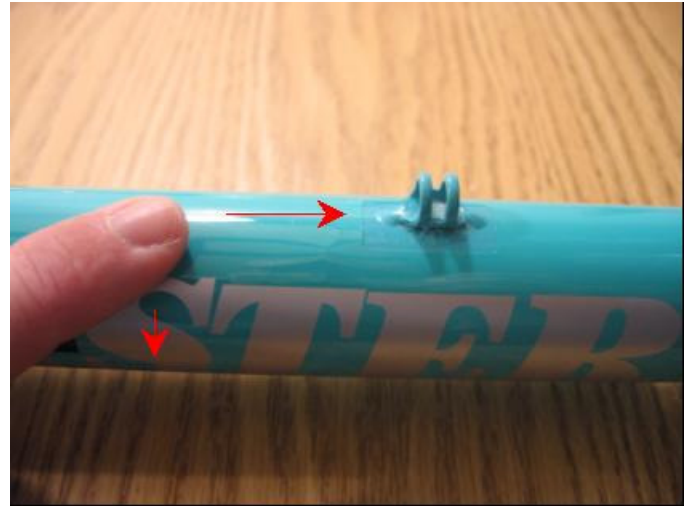
Step 3 – Smoothing out the sticker.

After the sticker is in the correct location it is time to start setting it. This is where you need to take your time and be patient. You need to work all the soapy water and air bubble out from under the sticker with your finger.

Start in the middle and work toward the edges. When you start use one hand to hold the sticker in place and use the other with moderate pressure to work the water and soap from under the sticker. This also helps eliminate bubbles under the sticker.

Just remember not to push too hard or you may stretch out the sticker. A stretched sticker will get wrinkles. If you have a large air pocket it is probably better to pull the sticker off up to the air pocket and replace. If you try and smooth it, you may get wrinkles.

Just keep working at it. You will know you are done when no water is squeezing out from the edges of the stickers and the edges stay down. Then just let the sticker dry and it should stay in place just fine as long as you have pushed all the soapy water out.



Step 4 – Admire your old school restoration.

No How-to needed here.

