

# **ERY** Light Fabric Transfer Instructions



# Warning!

Please read all directions below. Visit **avery.ca/transfers** for more information.

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Scan to link directly to a How-To video for Avery Light Fabric Transfers.

Avery Light Fabric Transfers are designed for white or light coloured 100% cotton or poly/cotton blend fabrics. Visit **avery.ca/transfers** for easy-to-use design tools, templates, how-to videos, and other tips on the complete transfer line of products. Follow the steps below to ensure great-looking results. *Note that your results may vary based on a variety of factors, including fabric type, ironing equipment, temperatures, and wash methods.* 

#### Dos & Don'ts of Fabric Transfers:

- Don't use a laser printer.
- Don't use steam in the iron.
- Don't use an ironing board, glass, granite, concrete or other heat sensitive or heat-retaining surfaces.
- Do empty all water from the reservoir and put steam setting to off.
- Do iron on a heat resistant surface, such as a wooden table.
- Do follow washing instructions before wearing.





#### **Items Needed:**



100% cotton or poly/cotton blend, white or light coloured fabric



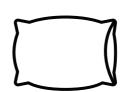
Waist-high smooth heat-resistant surface



Household iron



Inkjet printer



Large cotton pillowcase

## 1. Design & Print



#### Design

- Go to **avery.ca/print** and customize your design, using our free templates and online design tools.
- Design image normally as you want it to appear.
   Note: Image will be flipped in print preview.



#### **Print**

- Test print your design on plain paper to ensure the design looks accurate.
- Feed one fabric sheet at a time.



### 2. Prep & Ironing



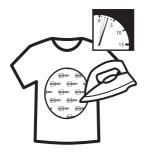
#### **Trim Material**

- Cut out design with a narrow margin around image.
- Keep edges rounded (if possible) to avoid lifting during ironing and washing.



#### Prep workspace

- Place a pillowcase down on a hard, heat-resistant surface, not an ironing board. A wooden table is best.
- Be sure iron does not have water in it and steam setting is off.
- Set iron to cotton setting and preheat for 5 minutes.
- Iron the pillowcase and garment to remove wrinkles.
- Use extreme caution when ironing.
   Avoid leaving iron face-down on ironing surface for extended period of time as it may result in injury or damage to the project or ironing surface.



#### Ironing

- Place transfer design down on the garment in the desired location.
- Iron transfer, applying firm pressure slowly from left to right and then from top to bottom.
- Be sure to iron over the edges.
- Turn off iron when finished.

#### **Ironing Time:**

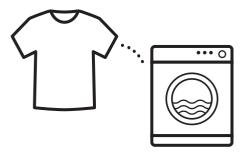
Image Size	Ironing Time
Full sheet	3 minutes
1/2 sheet	1½ minutes
1/4 sheet	45 seconds

## 3. Finishing & Care



#### Finish transfer

- After ironing, remove your garment from the heating area and allow to cool for 2 minutes.
- Smoothly and slowly peel tissue paper away from top corner to bottom corner.
- If image begins to lift, re-iron image focusing on lifting areas. Allow to cool once more before attempting to peel again.



#### **Care and Maintenance**

- Wait 24 hours before washing garment.
- Wash garment before wearing:
  - Turn garment inside out and machine wash cold separately from other clothes.
  - Use colour-safe detergent and remove promptly from the washer.
  - Colours may bleed if left wet too long. Do not use
  - Tumble dry low with garment turned inside out.
  - Do not iron directly on transferred image after it has been applied to the garment.
  - The transferred image is not intended to withstand stretching other than normal wear and tear.