

Creative Arts

Cling Stamps

Cling Stamps are clear acrylic stamps which have adhesive on the back and can be used with clear acrylic blocks or with a stamping platform (Mini Misti or Stamparatus, to name a few). This tool is an upgrade to the normal wood block stamps, as it allows the crafter to align a stamp on a card and stamp an image once, and then again in the exact same position if the image comes out too faint on the first try. It is a wonderful tool and allows not only for an image to be printed numerous times in the same place, but also provides you a clear view of the placement on your card.



Clear Cling Stamps – Stamping Steps

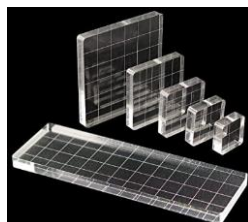
1. Select the paper or card in which you would like to stamp.
2. Select the cling stamp you would like to use.
3. Open the stamping platform (Mini Misti or Stamparatus) and place the paper or card base in the stamping base and anchor it with the magnet provided.
4. Place the cling stamp, smooth side up, on top of your base where you would like to print it.
5. Close the lid of the stamping platform and the cling stamp will attach itself to the clear lid.
6. Select a stamp pad in a desired color and ink the cling stamp. (Don't worry if you are not sure if there is enough ink on the stamp).
7. Close the lid of the platform. The inked cling stamp will imprint onto your card base.
8. If the imprint is not clear or dark enough, simply reink and repeat as many times as you wish to achieve the desired result!

You will never waste paper again with a stamp that is not dark or clear enough for your project. This is one of the best tools a cardmaker can own!

Foamed Backed Stamps (Not on wooden blocks) – Simply remove the grid paper from the stamping platform (Misti) or the black foam base in the platform to allow for the thicker stamps. Use the same steps as listed for the cling stamps.



The Mini Misti Stamping Platform is available on Amazon and other sources. A larger version is also available, but typically the smaller version is adequate for standard sized card making.



Clear blocks can also be used, but like wooden block pads, they only allow for a single stamp usage, yet provide a clear view of placement.