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ACRYLIC CARE

Cleaning acrylic is as simple as using a soft damp cloth and a mild dish washing detergent mixed with water.

CAUTION: Never use window cleaner, glass cleaner, ammonia products, methylated spirits, acetones, bleach or other chemical sprays on acrylic! As they will eat into the material and cause it to craze.

Should anything ever stick to an acrylic surface (such as an adhesive label or gummy substance) use Turps to remove it (Not Methylated spirits)

Never use the same cloth that you clean other household items with – it can retain dirt, grit, and chemical residues that may harm your acrylic items. We recommend using a new or separate cloth for your acrylic care.

However, scratches do happen – but don't worry! Unlike other materials, scratches on acrylic can be removed.

Silicone

Always use a water soluble, slow curing silicone and not a quick cure. We recommend Neutral cure silicone.

Drilling Holes and Fixings

Pre-drill holes. Both acrylic and polycarbonate expand and contract with temperature so ensure holes are at least 2mm larger than the fixing being used to avoid cracking around the hole. Do not use a sharp drill bit, go slow and do not force the bit. Use neoprene or rubber washers with fixing and do not over tighten. Never use pop rivets.



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