

HAT HEAT PRESS INSTRUCTIONS

While our patches can be heat pressed to any non-nylon apparel, they are most commonly heat pressed to hats. Below are instructions for heat pressing onto hats using a hat press with top & bottom heat. If heat pressing onto apparel, you may need to tweak the time, temp, and pressure depending on the garment material & thickness.

EMBROIDERED PATCHES:

Top Temp: 285° F Bottom Temp: 320° F Time: 30 seconds Pressure: Medium (4-6) Notes: Use 1/8th inch Silicon Pad

3D PUFF PATCHES:

Top Temp: 310° F Bottom Temp: 320° F Time: 40 seconds Pressure: Medium (5-6) Notes: Use 1/8th inch Silicon Pad

RUBBER/PVC PATCHES

Top Temp: 280° F Bottom Temp: 320° F Time: 30 seconds Pressure: Medium (4-6) Notes: Use 1/8th inch Silicon Pad. Do not use thermal tape for placement as it can negatively impact the rubber.

MADE IN USA FAUX LEATHER

Top Temp: 300° F Bottom Temp: 320° F Time: 35 seconds Pressure: Medium (5-6) Notes: Use 1/8th inch Silicon Pad.

WOVEN PATCHES:

Top Temp: 280° F Bottom Temp: 320° F Time: 30 seconds Pressure: Medium (4-5) Notes: Use 1/8th inch Silicon Pad

SUBLIMATED PATCHES:

Top Temp: 280° F Bottom Temp: 320° F Time: 30 seconds Pressure: Medium (4-5) Notes: Use 1/8th inch Silicon Pad

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Top Temp: 285° F Bottom Temp: 320° F Time: 40 seconds Pressure: Medium (4-6) Notes: Use 1/8th inch Silicon Pad. Do not use thermal tape for placement as it can negatively impact the leather.

Tips for Heat Pressing Hats

1. Fold the sweatband down when securing the hat to ensure for better heat transfer.

2. To contour patches to the shape of a hat, place the patches in a paper towel tube for 5-10 minutes prior to application.

3. If the lever that is used to secure the hat during the press does not hold, try tightening the strap/snapback on the back of the hat for a better catch.