APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS
FOR THE
HAND PRINTS

Product Number: 11-1P-003
SIZE: width from 5-17 inches each
ESTIMATED PAINT TIME: 1-2 people for less than 1 hour

FIRST READ: Completely read “General Instructions & Paint Info” attached to this document. Prepare surfaces as recommended before painting.

1. Using various sized brushes or rollers, paint each stencil as shown. Repeat 1-2 more times to achieve desired vividness, drying after each application, and remove stencil. Allow to dry for 24 hours before use.

   Completely read “Considerations for Your Stencils” that is located in the Fit and Fun Playscapes folder or can be found on the Fit and Fun Playscapes CD for storage guidelines.

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Fit and Fun Playscapes, LLC does not provide paint or painting materials, and is not responsible for the performance of any paint or painting materials recommended in these instructions. All paint and painting materials should be determined after consulting with your local hardware store and/or paint manufacturer.
GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS

FIT & FUN PLAYSCAPES ARE DURABLE; NOT INDESTRUCTABLE. STENCILS SHOULD BE HANDLED BY AT LEAST TWO (2) PEOPLE AT ALL TIMES, INCLUDING APPLICATION, REMOVAL AND STORAGE.

DO NOT USE SPRAY PAINTS ON STENCILS AS SOME SPRAY PAINTS MAY DAMAGE STENCILS.

DO NOT REMOVE TAPE OR PAPER MATERIALS WITH ANY SHARP OBJECTS SUCH AS KNIVES OR CUTTERS.

IT IS CRITICALLY IMPORTANT TO WIPE STENCIL OF EXCESS PAINT BETWEEN APPLICATIONS AND TO NOT TWIST OR HANDLE STENCIL UNEVENLY OR ABRUPTLY WHICH MAY RESULT IN BREAKAGE. LEVEL OF CARE IN HANDLING, WHICH WHEN PROPERLY EXERCISED WILL INCREASE REUSABILITY OF THE STENCIL.

IT IS BEST TO APPLY PAINT IN THIN COATS RATHER THAN THICK TO PREVENT SMUDGES, ESPECIALLY ON DETAILED OR SMALL STENCIL CUT OUTS.

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2. that is relatively flat;
3. on pavement that is free of cracks and completely dry;
4. on pavement that was swept clean of any debris including rocks, pebbles, dirt, sticks, etc.;
5. on pavement that is free of other paint, oil or residue;
6. in a location where supervision of children is sufficient; and
7. on pavement that has cured for at least one year.

Open each stencil and lay flat to allow stencil to re-shape if rolled for extended period of time, approximately 24 hours. Curled edges may need to be taped and some stencils need to be chalked for alignment.

WEATHER CONDITIONS FOR PAINTING

Check with your local hardware store and paint manufacturer for recommendations regarding optimum weather conditions and paint before application. As a general guide, the following conditions should be considered:

1. Temperature – Warm and cool conditions are best. Extremely hot, cold or freezing conditions are not recommended at all.
2. Weather – Application during humid, rainy or any precipitous weather or within 24 hours minimum following humid, rainy or precipitous weather should not be performed. In addition, consult your local weather forecast so that no humid, rainy or precipitous weather is anticipated within 24 hours of the completion of any painting.

STORING THE STENCIL

Each stencil should be dry and wiped free of large areas of paint and debris. Stack the stencils upon each other and roll or lay flat for storage. Store in a cool, clean and dry area. Do not store in direct sunlight or near any flames, heater, heating elements or appliance or tool giving off heat.

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