

## Prevent Paint Damage By Carefully Following These Magnetic Sign Instructions

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### Preparation Is The First, Vital Step

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- Clean the back of the magnet AND the surface where the signs are being placed. Standard dishwashing detergent and water works well when the magnetics or surface gets dirty. Wipe dry with a soft cloth.
  - Create a moisture barrier of protection by waxing and buffing the doors where the magnetic signs will be positioned.
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### Properly Installing Your Magnetic Signs

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- **Temperature** – Your magnetic signs should be **at least 60-70 degrees F**. The warmer the better so the signs will easily flex to fit the gentle curves of a car, truck or van door.
- **Placement** - Do not place magnetics over protrusions, body side molding, sharp turns on doors, decals, pin striping, etc.
- **Installation** - Make contact with the bottom edge of the sign against the surface. Once the bottom edge is positioned where you want it, smooth the magnetic onto the surface with your hand to make sure there are no air pockets.
- **Repositioning / Removing**- If you place the magnet in the wrong position at first, **DO NOT SLIDE** the magnetic sign across the surface. Remove completely but **NEVER START AT THE CORNERS**.

**Always remove the sign by GENTLY LIFTING from the CENTER of one side.** This precaution will prevent bent, dog-eared corners.

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### Weekly Maintenance Routine (Yes, Weekly)

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To guard against moisture and dirt buildup between the magnet and the painted metal surface, **remove the magnet and clean weekly.** Wipe clean and dry with a soft cloth or allow to air-dry.

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### Storing Magnetic Signs

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- **Store Flat** - Only store magnetic signs perfectly flat. Flat surfaces like the side of a refrigerator or file cabinet are ideal, out-of-the-way places.
  - **Prevent Damage** – Do not place objects on top of your magnetic signs.
  - **Prevent Magnetic Failure** - Do not store with the magnetic sides facing each other.
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### PRECAUTIONS

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- **Surface must be steel** - Avoid use on non-metallic surfaces including vehicles repaired with body fillers or decorated with simulated wood grain siding. Doors and body side panels on some vehicles are made of plastic.
- Before applying your magnetic signs to any newly painted surfaces, make sure paint is completely cured. The **full drying time** for new paint to cure and fully harden is approximately 30 to 90 days.
- **Do not apply magnetic signs that are cold & stiff.**
- **Do not roll, fold or crease your magnetic signs.**

Proper use and care will extend the life of your magnetic signs and protect the metallic surface to which it is applied.