FIRED-ON Photo Fusing Decal Paper Frequently Asked Questions:

1. Will my printer work?

If it is a Black and White HP or Canon Laser Printer or copier and has absolutely NO capability of printing in color... it will work. NO COLOR LASERS or INJETS and just to be clear...NO you cannot use just the black ink in your color machine.

2. What do I do with the tissue paper film covering the paper?

Remove the tissue paper film covering the decal paper before you print.

3. Why has some toner wiped off or smudged? BEFORE Firing

The printer fuser is not hot enough to adhere the image to the transfer paper. Run a few sheets of regular paper through the printer first before you print on the transfer paper.

4. Why has my image disappeared COMPLETELY after firing?

Make sure that you are using an HP or Canon BLACK AND WHITE Laser printer or Multifunction printer/ photocopier to make your image. Use a fresh toner cartridge if your results fade over time. Only use authentic HP toners, no substitutes. Make sure to use only Fired-On Transfer Paper.

5. Why is my image faded or very reddish after firing?

Transfer firing temperature is too hot. Try again at a lower firing temperature.

6. Why has my image wiped off or smudged? AFTER firing

Refer to #3 or Transfer firing too low, try again at a higher temperature.

7. How do I make colored images?

All images fire to a lovely sepia brown you can easily add color either under or over your image in separate firings using glass paints, enamels or frits. This is explained in the instructions that come with the paper and in the book "Fusing images on Glass/ Photographs, Graphics and Words" by Terrie Banhazl

8. Why does my image have big cracks in it?

A certain amount of microscopic cracking is normal but if you see large cracks this may be due to poor contact between the transfer and the surface. Do not overlap transfer material, make sure there are no bubbles under your transfer and let it dry thoroughly before firing.