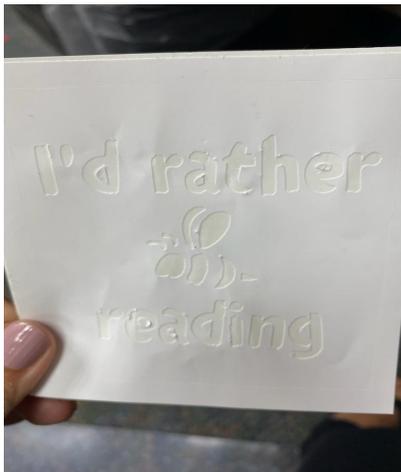




Supplies Provided: Glass mug, 2 oz Armour Etch, disposable gloves, vinyl stencil



1. Weed the vinyl stencil to remove the excess material you do not want on your design. Remember you will be weeding out the letters and bee shape therefore leaving the outside edge to create your stencil.

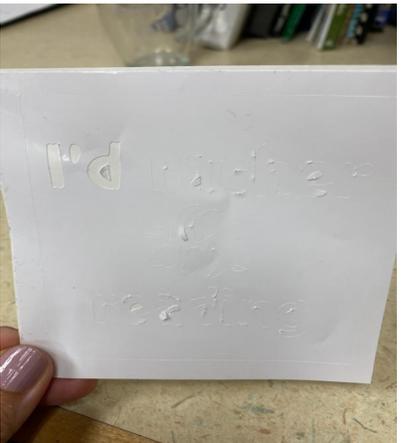
Tips for weeding vinyl stencil

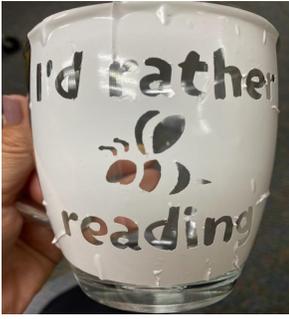
Find a tool that works for you, a good pair of tweezers or a straight pin/needle for removing the tiny pieces.

Use a good, bright light to weed under. Go slowly and methodically. Take it slowly and carefully, making sure what you want to remain on the backing material remains, and what needs to come up comes up. Your instinct may be to just pull everything up, as fast as you can. But that's a surefire way to lose the centers to your "e"s, "a"s, and "g"s.

**If you are right-handed start in the upper left. If you are left handed start in the upper right. If you start in the upper left, you can weed down and across.*

Once you are done, hold your project up to the light to make sure you haven't missed any pieces.





2. Peel the backing from your now weeded stencil. Center it onto the cup where you would like it to be and slowly press into place.

*It is very important to smooth out any bubbles or creases. Be sure the stencil is flat against your cup. The goal is to keep the Armour Etch from bleeding under the vinyl and distorting your image. Be sure you have the center dots back in place on the letters that require them if they have come askew.



3. Read all safety instructions before opening the Armour Etch and wear the gloves provided. Then using a Qtip dab the Armour Etch in a thick layer over the exposed glass in the stencil. Be sure to cover all the letters and parts of the bee. Leave stand for 20-30 minutes.



4. Rinse completely off under cool water and remove the stencil.

