# Cricut EasyPress 3 - 12" x 10"



## **OVERVIEW**

- Tips for using this equipment.
- Manual Control Instructions
- Cricut Heat App on Forge iPads instructions





#### Welcome!

In this instruction guide, you will get a basic introduction to using our Cricut Easy Press 3. This piece of equipment can be used by one-on-one appointment only. Projects that you can create using this equipment are T-shirts, Canvas Totes, and so much more! If you have any questions please feel free to reach out to Forge staff via email (forge@eapl.org) or by phone 847-438-3433.

# Tips for using this equipment

- Always press on a sturdy, stable foundation.
  - Any of the Forge tables will work or our counter space. Please make sure to give yourself enough room to work with.
- Avoid pressing on heat-sensitive surfaces.
  - Be aware that not everything can handle heat.
    - Do NOT press on any plastics or materials that could be hazardous to you or others around you.
- Protect your surface with Forge's Cricut pressing mat.
  - This will keep your work surface safe from heat.
- Avoid seams, buttons, zippers, and bumps.
  - Keep the area that you are pressing flat and clear of any obstructions that are plastic or metal.
  - This could damage the equipment and have the potential to retain heat for longer periods, which can result in a burn.
- Follow a heat press guide to help you determine the temperature and time for your material type.

### Manual Control Instructions

- Press **Power button** to turn on/heat-up.
- The set temperature, press **Temperature Button**, use +/- to adjust.
- To set time, press **Time Button**, use +/- to adjust
- To start countdown, press **Go Button**, beep signals time is up.
- Press Power Button to turn off
- Auto-off after 13 minutes of inactivity





**CAUTION**: Heat Plate gets very hot during use. Always return to safety base when not in use.



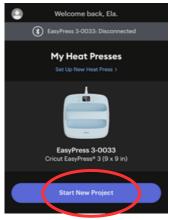


# Cricut Heat App on Forge iPads instructions



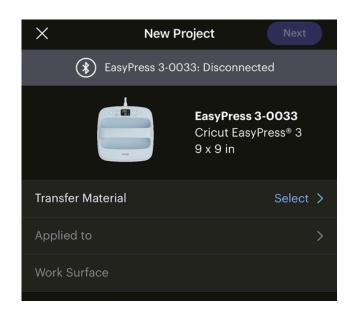
If you would like detailed instruction, please ask Forge staff to use our iPads. You will open up our Cricut Heat app. The app will require Forge's login information that our staff will input.

Follow the on-screen app prompts.



Click on **Start New Project**.





You will now need to select your Transfer Material (what your decal is made of.) and what you will be applying it to (your material).

## Transfer Material **IRON-ON**

Everyday Iron-on/Lite/Metallic Everyday Iron-on Mesh

Express Iron-On

Foil Iron-On

Glitter Iron-On

Holographic Iron-On

Holographic Sparkle Iron-On

Mosaic Iron-On

Iron-On Designs

Patterned Iron-On

SportFlex Iron-On

Glow-in-the-Dark Iron-On

Reflective Iron-On

**UV** Color Change

#### **SMART MATERIALS**

Smart Iron-On

Smart Iron-On - Glitter

Smart Iron-On - Holographic

Smart Iron-On - Patterned

#### **INFUSIBLE INK**

Infusible Ink Pen / Marker on Copy Paper Infusible Ink Transfer Sheet

## Applied to **IRON-ON**

Burlap

Cardstock

Chipboard

Corkboard

100% Cotton

Cotton Canvas

Cotton / Poly Blend

Faux Leather

Felt

Mesh

Muslin

Neoprene

Nylon

Polyester

Silk

Wood

Wool

#### CRICUT BLANKS

Baby Bodysuit

Cosmetic Bag

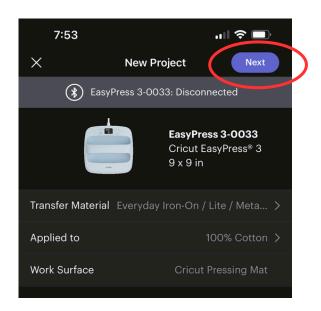
Pillow Cover

**Tote Bag** 

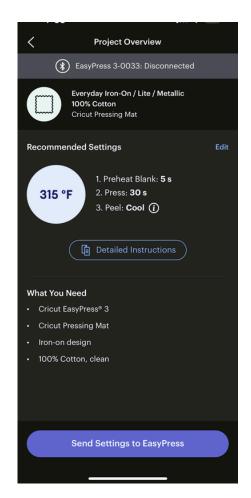
T-Shirt

Wine Bag





Once you pick your Transfer material and your Applied to material, click **Next.** 



You will get your detailed "1-2-3" Instructions. This will give you an accurate temprature to set the Cricut press to and how long you should press your material for.

You can not Send Setting to Easy Press and begin your project.

Please note, the library is not responsible for user error or problems that may happen during the use of the equipment.

#### **CAUTION!**

- Please keep your hands away from the hot plate.
- Keep your project on top of the Heat Press Mat.
- Always place the Cricut Press on it's stand when not in use.

