

A Guide to Fitting your Number Plates

You can fix your new number plates to your vehicle by using self-adhesive sticky pads or a variety of screw types. Whichever method you choose, please ensure you only use fixings suitable for number plate assembly.

Screw Fixing in Five Easy Steps






Please note: this method is only advised if your existing plates were attached with screws.

To fix number plates for the first time to a new vehicle, please refer to vehicle manufacturer guidelines.

What you need...

1. A cordless or electric drill
2. An appropriate type 4mm to 6mm drill bit
3. A Philips screw driver
4. Self tapping non-corrosive screws (use originals if undamaged)
5. Colour-coded screw caps (use originals if undamaged)
6. Piece of smooth wood (optional)
7. Soft, clean cloth

What to do...

<p>Step 1</p> <p>Remove Original Number Plate</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Pop open the plastic screw caps ▪ Remove the screws with the screwdriver. 	
<p>Step 2</p> <p>Templating</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Place the original number plate exactly on top of the new one – both plates facing downwards. 	
<p>Step 3</p> <p>Drilling</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Drill holes through the back of the new number plate using the original number plate holes as a template. ▪ You may wish to place a piece of wood beneath the plates to prevent drill damage to the surface upon which you are using. ▪ Drill slowly and carefully to ensure clean drill holes and to avoid slipping. Do not drill a pilot hole as this may cause cracking. 	
<p>Step 4</p> <p>Polishing</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Polish the plate in a circular motion using a soft, clean cloth to remove fingerprints and any acrylic residue around the drill holes. 	
<p>Step 5</p> <p>Fixing</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Thread the screws through the plastic caps. ▪ Screw the new number plate to the vehicle using the original number plate holes in the bumper. ▪ Do not overtighten the screws. ▪ The plastic caps can now be closed. 	

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