

HOW TO GUIDE TO J HERBIN REGULAR WAX STICKS

- J HERBIN WAX STICKS IS SUITABLE FOR OCCASIONAL USE
- TRADITIONAL SEALING WAX THAT IS BRITTLE WHEN SET
- SUITABLE FOR CERTIFICATES, CRAFT, BOTTLING & CREATING TAMPER PROOF SEALS TO DOCUMENTS OR PACKAGES
- SOLD IN INDIVIDUAL STICKS OR PACKS OF 10
- 1 STICK WITH PRODUCE APPROX. 30-34 WAX SEALS



INSTRUCTIONS FOR USE - REGULAR WAX STICKS

- 1.** We recommend you use a gentle and steady flame, a refillable gas torch works best. We find a torch more efficient and cleaner than a match or open flame as soot can be a problem with these methods.
- 2.** Hold the flame on the top side of the wax stick until it melts and begins to drop. Be sure to hold the flame to the side as it is important that the flame does not come from underneath the wax stick as this causes the wax to become too hot.
- 3.** As the wax melts move your hand around slightly to form a small pool of wax on your paper surface the size of your wax seal head. *A word of advice*; the wax stick will continue to melt after the flame is taken away as such we recommend holding the stick over the pool of melted wax until it stops falling. It may take some practice to become familiar with how much wax will continue to fall and also how much wax you need for a seal.

4. Once your pool of wax is ready wait up to 20 seconds for the wax to become tacky and then press your custom, letter or symbol wax seal firmly into the wax.

5. The seal should come away cleanly however if you find wax has come away with the seal wait until it cools and peel the wax off or use an alcohol formula like nail polish remover and a soft cloth.

TIPS & TRICKS

- Regular practice will ensure you get the perfect result every time. However at first you may not be happy with the result. If this is the case you can carefully re-melt the wax blob with a soft flame and reapply the seal.
- You can achieve different and beautiful results by mixing two colours of wax together to form a marbled effect or by sprinkling the wax with gold or silver ink dust for a beautiful finishing touch.
- We highly recommend the J Herbin Regular Sealing Wax for use with hand delivered items, gift wrap, certificates, or to create a tamper-proof seal which will crack upon bending. This range of J Herbin wax is made using the old world traditional, it is not designed to withstand the postal process.
- Visit www.telegram.net.au/waxseals for more information.

