

Cricut Maker3 Quick Guide

Supplies Needed for Cricut Maker3

- Cricut Maker3 machine
- Access to Design Space software
- Cricut cutting mat
- Material for cutting
- Cricut accessory box

1. Plug the USB power cord into the Cricut, and the plug into a power outlet.

2. Connect the Cricut to your laptop by plugging the USB connecting cable into a USB port, and connecting the opposite end to the Cricut.

- 3. Prepare you material and place it on the cutting mat.
- 4. On your laptop, open Cricut Design Space.

5. Prepare your design to your specifications. When you are ready to cut your design, click "Make It" in the Design Space software.

6. Follow the prompts based on the materials you are using, the mat, the cutting tools you will need, etc. Click next. The software should recognize the Cricut automatically. If it does not make sure the machine in use says "Cricut Maker3."

7. Load the mat prior to pressing Go on the cut. The machine will pull the mat through to measure and ensure proper sizing.

8. When prompted, press the Go button on the machine to begin cutting (this is the little cricut "C" icon.) The Cricut will stop when the cut is finished, and the Load/Unload button will blink.

- Press it to unload your material.

9. Carefully peel your material off the mat. Weed your design of unnecessary material. All done!









<u>Safety</u>

Always ask a staff member if you have questions about using the machine. Ensure that your material is firmly pressed onto the mat and will not move. Never attempt to adjust the material during the cut; always pause the machine if needed. Keep fingers and hands away from the blade at all times, and away from the inside of the machine during cuts. Do not attempt to change the blade or adjust the machine.