



Hair System Attachment Guide

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Ready to attach your new hair system with confidence?

Before You Start


Before you begin, make sure both your scalp and the hair system are clean, completely dry, and free of any grease or oil. Also, gently remove any stubble or hair from the area of your scalp where the system will bond.

Important Note: Once you've finished attaching your hair system, avoid washing your hair for 24 hours.

What You'll Need

- Scalp Protector
- Tape or Adhesive (glue) according to your choice of attachment
- Eyebrow Pencil
- Polystyrene head
- Skin Wipes

Step-by-Step Instructions

1. Once the scalp and hair piece have been cleaned, the hair piece needs to be placed back on.
 2. Prepare the hair piece as to your specifications (Glue, Tape or both) – place on a polystyrene head
 3. Mark out where the hair piece sits on the forehead by making with a marker pencil 4 fingers from the eyebrow.
 4. Wipe scalp with Skin Wipes
 5. Spray with Scalp Protect then the scalp is ready for the hair piece to be placed.
 6. Cut your own hair into the desired style to blend with hair piece or have Haircreations do it for you or a salon of your choice
 7. Remove hair piece from the polystyrene head and position it on your head.
 8. Position the front of your hair system exactly where you want it where you put the marks on your forehead. Then, gently roll the system back over your scalp, being careful to keep the hair off the tape.
 9. Make sure there are no lumps or bubbles. Press firmly on all the taped areas to secure the hair system to your scalp. Smooth it out thoroughly to prevent any wrinkles or folds.
 10. Use a tail comb to push down around the perimeter of the hair piece to adhere to the scalp
 11. Comb in to blend into client's hair and finish styling to desired result
 12. Don't forget to wipe off the marks off your forehead.
 13. Final Blend: Simply brush your hair system to blend it seamlessly with your own hair, and you're all set!
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FAQs About Tape Bonding

Tape vs. Adhesive: Which is better for attaching hair systems?

Both work extremely well, and your choice depends on your scalp's oiliness and your lifestyle. Haircreations tapes and adhesives are medical grade and perform excellently, whether you need a prolonged hold (2-4 weeks) or a shorter one (5-7 days).

- **Tapes** are very easy to use and don't take much getting used to. You'll likely be as skilled as a stylist within a week!
- **Adhesives** offer a stronger, longer hold, which is ideal if you have a very active lifestyle. The main difference from tape is the stronger hold, meaning precise application is key.

Should I leave gaps between each length of tape?

Yes, this is recommended, especially for those with oily scalps who need extra scalp breathing. Gaps also help shampoo and water rinse away product from under the base. If you use tape around the entire perimeter for extra security, just spend a little more time rinsing to ensure all product is released from the hair system.

How long can a tape bond last?

This varies by individual preference. Some of our clients wear their fully bonded hair systems for 4-5 weeks, while others who choose tape attachments wear theirs daily, up to 7 days. If you have oily skin or sweat a lot, 2-5 days might be ideal. If your scalp is dry and cool, it can last much longer. Haircreations recommends regular removal and, most importantly, thorough cleanup (please refer to our Hair System Cleaning Guide). Keeping your hair system clean and your scalp cleansed is crucial for hygiene.

Where do I position my hairline with the hair system?

This is very important for a natural look! As a general rule, your hairline should begin about 3-4 fingers above your eyebrows. Modern hair systems make achieving natural-looking hairlines easy. Your hairline should start where your natural hairline began. Never place the front of your hair system on your frown line—that's too low, as hair doesn't naturally grow there. Look in a mirror and feel your head; visually, your fingers should indicate if they're on your forehead or at the front of your scalp. To summarize, aim for 3-4 fingers from your eyebrow, NOT on your frown lines.

