

Silhouette Cameo – Loading and Unloading a Cut Mat

Step 1: Decide whether to use a cut mat

- Materials that will be cut all the way through – for example paper and cardstock, must be cut on a cut mat.
- Materials with a backing – for example sticker paper – do not need to be cut on a cut mat.
- If desired, materials with a backing can be cut on a cut mat, but it tends to require some tinkering with cut settings for that material.



Step 2: Adhere the material to the cut mat

- Peel the protective cover sheet off the cut mat.
- Align the material with the upper left corner of the grid and press it firmly into place.



Step 3: Align the cut mat with the rollers

- With the black arrow on the cut mat facing into the machine, align the edge of the cut mat with the blue line on the Silhouette. Make sure the top edge of the cut mat is under both of the white rollers.



Step 4: Load the cut mat

- Press the “Load Cut Mat” option on the Silhouette’s touch screen.



Step 5: Unload the cut mat

- To unload when a project is finished, press the “Unload” option on the Silhouette’s touch screen.

