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CARE GUIDE

Aftercare & *Longevity*

With the right care, your K-tip extensions will look salon-fresh for months. These are our non-negotiable golden rules.





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Brushing Routine

Proper brushing is essential to keep your extensions smooth and tangle-free. Always use a brush designed specifically for extensions — soft, flexible bristles without rounded tips help avoid pulling on the bonds.

Begin brushing from the ends and gradually move upward using gentle downward motions. Pay special attention to the root area, as skipping it can lead to tangling near the bonds.

For best results, divide your hair into sections and support the roots while brushing to minimize tension. Take your time — a thorough brushing routine only takes a few minutes and helps maintain both your extensions and scalp health.

Brushing daily, especially in the morning and before bed, keeps your hair polished, soft, and easy to manage.



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Cleansing & Washing

Choose a lightweight, sulfate-free shampoo that cleanses without stripping moisture or weakening the bonds. Avoid applying heavy oils or residue-forming products near the roots, as buildup can affect both the bonds and your scalp.

Focus shampoo on the scalp and gently lather, allowing it to rinse through the lengths without rubbing or scrubbing the extensions. Rinse thoroughly, especially around the root area.

Conditioner or masks should be applied only to the mid-lengths and ends. Keep all conditioning products away from the bonds to prevent weakening and shedding.

Make sure all product is fully rinsed out. Clean hair with no residue is key to maintaining longevity and comfort.

To extend the lifespan of your extensions, limit washing to 1–2 times per week. Dry shampoo can be used between washes if needed, but it's important to properly cleanse your scalp during regular washing to avoid buildup or irritation.

If you use purple shampoo, avoid contact with the bonds and do not leave it on for extended periods, as it may affect both the keratin and the tone of the hair.



Styling & Heat Care

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Your extensions can be styled just like natural hair — blow-dried, curled, or straightened — but controlled heat is essential.

Always start with completely dry hair. Applying heat to damp strands can cause internal damage due to trapped moisture.

Before styling, apply a heat protectant to the mid-lengths and ends. Keep tools at moderate temperatures (ideally below 180°C / 356°F), especially near the root area.

Avoid direct contact between hot tools and the bonds. Excess heat near the roots can weaken the keratin, leading to tangling, matting, or premature breakdown.

When blow-drying, avoid concentrating heat on one area for too long. A gentle, controlled approach will help maintain the softness, shine, and longevity of your extensions.



Night Care

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Before bedtime, loosely secure your hair to reduce friction and prevent tangling. A low ponytail or a soft braid works best.

Always go to sleep with completely dry hair. Leaving the root area or bonds damp — especially overnight — is one of the main causes of matting.



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Products & Extra Care

Your routine should go beyond just shampoo and conditioner. Both your natural hair and extensions benefit from additional hydration and protection.

Hair masks help deeply nourish and restore softness. Leave-in conditioners improve manageability and reduce tangling. Heat protectants are essential if you regularly use styling tools.

Optional products like lightweight oils can be used on the ends to prevent dryness, while styling products such as hairspray or dry shampoo can be used in moderation.

If your extensions are wavy or curly, consider adding curl-enhancing products like serums, mousse, or styling gel to maintain definition and reduce frizz.

Avoid applying oil-based or silicone-heavy products near the bonds, as they can weaken the attachment.

If you're ever unsure about a product, you're always welcome to check with us.



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What You May Notice

It's normal to experience slight sensitivity or mild itching during the first few days as your scalp adjusts. This will pass as you get used to the added hair.

Sleeping with extensions may feel different at first, but most clients adjust quickly.

Occasional shedding of individual strands can happen and is not a concern — these can be reinstalled during your next maintenance appointment.

If you experience discomfort beyond the initial adjustment period, please reach out — we're always here to help.

QUICK REFERENCE

Brush

Extensions brush — ends first, upward. Daily, morning & night.

Wash

Sulfate-free shampoo. 1–2x per week max. Conditioner on mid-lengths only.

Heat

Always dry first. Protectant applied. Max 180°C. Avoid bonds.

Sleep

Loose braid or ponytail. Fully dry hair before bed — always.

Products

No oils or silicones near bonds. Masks & leave-ins on lengths only.

Concerns

Mild itching in day 1–3 is normal. Reach out if discomfort continues.