

New Shooter 101® – Gun Cleaning Kit

Here are the supplies used in the New Shooter 101 gun cleaning videos:



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BEFORE CLEANING YOUR GUN: PLEASE FOLLOW THE SAFETY RULES FOR UNLOADING YOUR GUN AND MAKING IT SAFE TO HANDLE!

Here are the items in our cleaning kit. All of these items are available on Amazon.com.

[Click here for the Amazon purchase list.](#)

	ITEM	AMAZON.COM DESCRIPTION
1.	Baby Blanket. Absorbs any spatters from the cleaning process.	Cozy Bed Egyptian Cotton Baby Blanket, White
2.	Nitrile exam gloves, protect your skin.	Nitrile Exam Gloves by Precision Disposables Blue Medium 4 mil Thickness, Powder-Free, Non-Latex, (Pack of 100)
3.	LED Headlamp, helps you see into the mechanical parts of the gun, while leaving your hands free.	GRDE Zoomable 3 Modes Super Bright LED Headlamp with Rechargeable Batteries, Car Charger, Wall Charger and USB Cable

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4.	Hoppe's pistol cleaning kit. Contains all the parts you need to clean .22, .38, 9mm, .40 and .45 caliber handguns.	Hoppe's No. 9 Dry Cleaning Kit, Universal Pistol
5.	Metal baking sheet. Catches any excess cleaning chemicals.	New Star 36893 Commercial Grade 18-Gauge Aluminum 2/3 Size Sheet Pan, 15 by 21-Inch
6.	Clear plastic safety glasses. If you wear glasses, these safety glasses should fit over them.	Howard Leight by Honeywell HL100 Series Safety Eyewear, Clear Frame & Lens (R-01701)
7.	Compressed air can, for blowing liquid cleaner out of the gun parts.	Dust-off Compressed Gas Duster Single, 12 oz. Can
8.	Hoppe's gun cleaner, unscented, biodegradable, non-flammable. Like so many others, we used to love Hoppe's No. 9, but it is just too toxic.	Hoppe's Elite Gun Cleaner Spray Bottle, 8 Ounces
9.	Break-Free CLP preservative. Used in the final cleaning step to protect the gun's finish.	Break-Free CLP-4 Cleaner Lubricant Preservative Squeeze Bottle (4 -Fluid Ounce)
10.	Hoppe's gun oil. Make sure to get the bottle with the long metal snout, which lets you apply very small drops, exactly where needed.	Hoppe's No. 9 Lubricating Oil, 14.9 ml Precision Bottle
11.	Gun cleaning brushes. Tooth brushes won't work, as they are not stiff enough. This kit has stiff nylon and bronze brushes.	Otis 316-3-NBBZ Variety Pack All Purpose Receiver Brushes (1 Each, Total 3)
12.	Gun cleaning picks. Used to get in tight places like around the extractor, where dirt likes to hide.	Tipton Cleaning Picks

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13.	Owner's manual for your gun.	These you can't get from Amazon. Make sure you have the manual that describes your specific model of gun. If you bought the gun used and didn't get a manual, go online to find one.
14.	Pro-Shot gun cleaning patches, 100% cotton flannel. Cut in thirds for cleaning .22 caliber. Beware of other brands which are not cotton, and therefore not absorbent.	Pro-Shot .38-.45 Caliber/20-.410 Gauge 2 1/4-Inch SQ. 250 Count Patches
15.	Old washcloths, used for wiping dirt and grime out of guns.	Gerber 6 Count Washcloth, White
16.	Kitchen apron. Absorbs any spatters from the cleaning process.	Aunt Martha's 28-Inch by 35-Inch Cotton Kitchen Apron, White

Our selection criteria for choosing items in this cleaning kit:

- Minimum number of items to do the job right.
- Unscented, biodegradable, non-toxic as much as possible.
- Established brands, reliable performers as much as possible.
- Easy to purchase – available online as much as possible.

About our choices:

- You can to use this kit indoors without toxic effects.
- We recognize all your friends will have different opinions about what you should use.
- Our goal is to get new shooters started – then you can refine your choices later.

How to use this kit:

- Lay the baby blanket (#1) down on your work surface.
- Set the metal baking sheet (#7) onto the blanket.
- Clean your gun over the metal sheet to contain any chemical spills.
- Follow the directions in the videos.