

Pipe Smoking is Not an Art..... it is Relaxation and Enjoyment!

PIPE TIPS



Filling a Pipe

Fill your pipe in layers. The first pinch must be packed firmly into the bottom of your bowl. Always fill your bowl full. Use two matches to light your pipe. The first singes the top layer - it will go out. Before relighting, tamp your tobacco firmly. If your pipe goes out, the tobacco is not tightly packed.

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"Keeping Pipe Sweet"

Always empty your bowl just after smoking and clean your stem and shank with a pipe cleaner. When cleaned, set pipe bowl down with the stem up. Let the briar dry before resmoking. Never leave a pipe in your car during extreme cold or heat. Pipe will remain sweetest when left at room temperature.

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"Dry Tobacco"

Don't put pieces of apple, celery, etc., in your tobacco pouch to keep your tobacco moist. This procedure adds too much acid to your tobacco. It is better to smoke dryer tobacco than tobacco which is too moist.

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"For Wet Smokers"

Pack your tobacco in layers being certain to get tobacco in to bottom of bowl. Pack medium tight. Tamp the tobacco during your smoke. Smoke only two thirds - waste the rest. Don't reload a wet pipe. Remove from mouth when not lit. Empty and let dry.

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"New Pipes"

Pipes are charred and treated for easy breaking in. Fill a new pipe full - smoke only the portion you like - it is not necessary to smoke down to the bottom. Just smoke your new pipe the very first time as you would your favorite old pipe.

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"Tongue Bite"

Avoid tongue bite by filling the bowl full and smoking only the portion which is enjoyable. Don't smoke all the way to the bottom, but waste that portion since it acts as a filter for the smoke and an absorbent for the juices.

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Tongue Bite

A sore tongue is not caused from heat if you are packing tobacco medium tight. Usually caused from too much smoking and stomach upset. Chain smoking - one pipe load after another - will give you a good case of tongue bite. The more you smoke, the more heel of your tobacco you should waste.

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Choosing a Pipe

The larger the bowl, the easier a pipe will smoke. Look for a lightweight pipe with a thin bit that will feel easy in your mouth. Preferably, look for one with no metal plumbing or filters. Pipes without metal dry by themselves and remain sweet and odorless.

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"Stem-Biters"

Remove pipe from your mouth when pipe is not lit. You do 90% of your stem chewing when you keep the pipe in your mouth and aren't smoking.

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