

Composites Used with Ribbond® Fibers (Not an exclusive list) compiled: 11/8/23

“Wetting” or bonding adhesive to wet Ribbond fibers:

Use a plain unfilled-enamel bonding resin to wet the Ribbond fibers. Do not wet the Ribbond fibers with a one bottle dentin-enamel bonding system, a bonding system that contains fillers, a self-etch bonding system, or a flowable composite. Ribbond, Inc. offers a 5 ml bottle of “Ribbond Wetting Resin” for \$29.

Ribbond Securing Composite to attach fibers to teeth:

Ribbond Securing Composite is specifically designed to adapt Ribbond fibers to the teeth. It has a special tacky characteristic to hold the fibers in position. Unlike a thicker filled composite, the unique viscosity of Ribbond Securing Composite allows it to be easily displaced during adaptation of the fibers. This minimizes the bond-line, maximizes the laminate effect and makes adaptation easier. This viscosity is especially good for composite restorations.

OR use a filled composite resin to attach fibers to teeth:

Use a moderately viscous, sculptable, paste-like restorative composite to attach the Ribbond closely against the teeth. Do not use a flowable composite for this layer. Standard viscosity flowable composite are too “slippery” and are not tacky enough to hold the Ribbond in position prior to curing.

Flowable composite to cover fibers:

Use standard flowable composites over the Ribbond fibers. Ribbond fibers do not polish well so the smooth surface of the flowable composite minimizes polishing. Ribbond Securing Composite does not work for this layer.

	<u>Wetting Resin</u>	<u>Filled Composite to attach fibers to teeth</u>	<u>Flowable Composites</u>
<u>Ribbond, Inc.</u>	<i>Ribbond Wetting Resin</i>	<i>Ribbond Securing Composite</i>	-----
<u>3M</u>	Scotch Bond Multi-purpose (do <u>not</u> use Universal)	Filtek Supreme Z-250	Filtek Flow
<u>3M Unitek</u>	Transbond XT Light cure primer	Transbond LR or XT Light cure adhesive paste	-----
<u>Bisco</u>	ALL-BOND D/E Resin (do <u>not</u> use Universal)	Aelite All Purpose Body	Aeliteflow
<u>Caulk/Dentsply</u>	-----	TPH	Esthetics Flow
<u>Den-Mat</u>	Visar Seal	True Vitality	FlöRestore
<u>DMG</u>	Ecusit Mono	Ecusit	Ecuflow
<u>Ivoclar</u>	HelioBond	Tetric or Helio Molar (microfill)	Tetric Flow
<u>Kerr</u>	OptiGuard	Herculite or Prodigy	Porcelite or Nexus
<u>Kuraray</u>	Clearfil SE Bond Clearfil SE Bond Protect (do <u>not</u> use Universal)	Majesty Esthetic	Majesty Flow
<u>Reliance</u>	Light Bond Sealant	L.C.R (Light Cure Retainer)	-----
<u>Shofu</u>	Ceramage Modeling Liquid	Beautiful II	Beautiful Flow
<u>Ultradent</u>	Permaseal	Mosaic	Permaflow
<u>Voco</u>	Solobond Plus Adhesive	GrandioSo Heavy Flow	GrandioSo Flow