

The Thumb Tip is an incredibly useful device which can enable you to perform literally hundreds of tricks. If you do not own a thumb tip, you can find information about how to get one quickly at [this link](#). They are a must for magicians of any skill level.

Setup

The Thumb Tip must be on the tip of your right thumb when you begin the trick. **(Photo 2)** There are any number of ways to get the Thumb Tip onto your thumb during a performance.

The simplest is to place the Thumb Tip into your right trouser pocket. You can keep the deck in that pocket as well so that after the card is selected, you can return the deck to the pocket and come out with the tip in place. The Tip should not be too snug, it needs to come off easily.



photo 2

Performance

The performance is basically the same whether you use a playing card, dollar bill or credit card. The trick will be described with a playing card. Display the face of the selected card to your audience, concealing the thumb tip behind the card as in **photo 3**. This allows you to show your left hand empty.



photo 3



photo 4