GUIDE

Change Front Grill Mk2.5 Focus



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Step by step Guide to removing and fitting the front lower grill on all ford focus models excluding ST and RS from 2008-2011

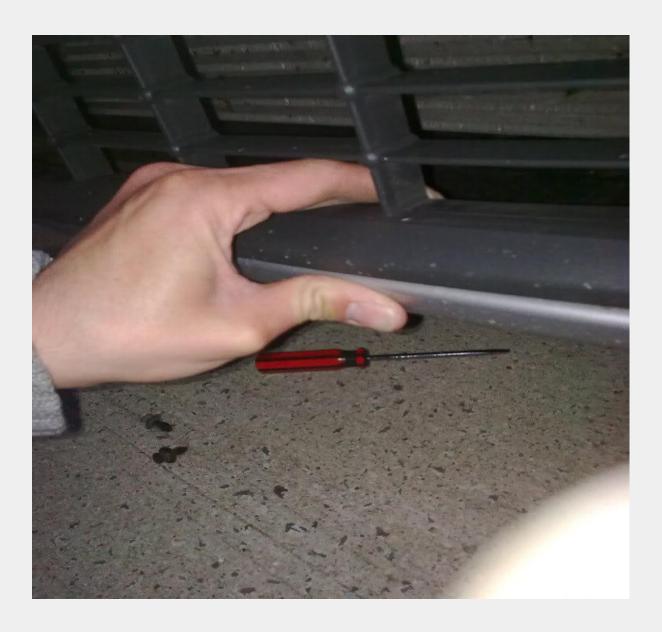
After spending hours trying to find a step by step guide on removing/Changing the front lower grill on my focus i decided to create on for all to see, all of the grills for the Mk3 range are all interchangeable

Meaning they all fit in the same whole except the ST grill,

REMOVING THE GRILL

Firstly ensue hand brake is tightly in place and car is in gear with engine off and keys removed,

Lie down in front of the grill place the palm of your hand on the lower Painted part of the bumper and the other hand as shown below,

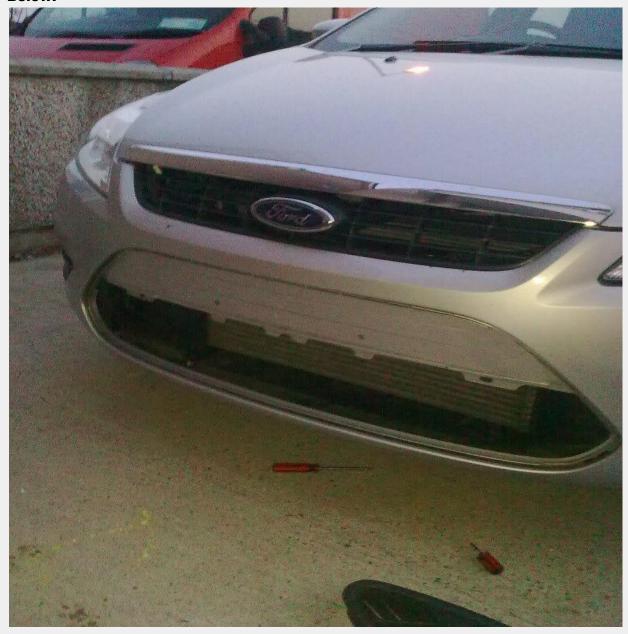




Gently pull the panel from the bumper and work your way around anti-clockwise inch by inch gently pulling straight not at an Angle,



Ready for the new grill to be mounted you should eventually look like this Picture Below:



My choice of Replacement Grill was the Titanium version with the chrome lip, this is the only grill out of the three grills that requires two parts to be purchased there are three types of Grill that will fit the focus mk 2.5 Bumper I have listed them below, including ford Finis Numbers for ordering the parts or searching for them online.

Lower Grill 2008-2011	First Part	Second Part
Focus Zetec S	Ford Finis 1529043	N/A
Focus Style Grill	8M51 17B968	N/A
Focus Titanium/Cabriolet Grill	Ford Finis 1520644	Ford Finis 1528578

The chrome and the grill are two separate parts which should be clipped together prior to mounting, it is also advised to mount the number plate while the grill is off the car,

To attach the chrome piece to the grill prior to fitting on the car Gently press the chrome lip on to the grill again inch by inch working you way around the panel,





Once the number plate is fitted to the grill,

Gently line the grill up to the front panel of the car

Starting in the lower right corner gently line the fins of the grill up with the slots around the panel,

When pressing along the bottom of the grill pull the painted panel gently towards you to ensure a tight fit and also that it doesn't split while your pushing,

Once fitted correctly the body panel at the bottom Centre the thin part should stick out slightly more than the grill, if it doesn't, your grill is not pushed in enough,

Gently push the lip of the Grill and pull the panel at the same time until snug.



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