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Instructions for replacing Lincoln Gear Shift & Turn Signal Knobs:
These instructions are for the replacement knobs (plastic portion).
READ COMPLETELY BEFORE USING PRODUCT.

Gear Shift Knob- Knob can be installed without removing gear shift lever from steering column. Remove old plastic knob from lever, being careful that you don't loosen the metal end piece. Clean any residue from lever. Place small end of plastic knob onto lever as far you can by pushing it toward steering column. Put a small piece of cardboard over large end of knob, and with a small nylon or wood mallet, tap the new knob all the way onto the lever. Place the metal end piece into the opening in the large end of the knob and tap into the end using the cardboard and mallet.

Turn Signal Knob- Remove turn signal lever from the turn signal switch in the steering column. Place a nut on the threaded end to protect the threads. Remove old plastic knob from lever, saving metal end piece for re-use. (We also have reproduction ends for sale if your end is no good: [Chrome End for 1954-1955 Lincoln,](#) or [Chrome End for 1956-1957 Lincoln](#)). Stand lever on threaded end and push small end of knob onto lever as far as you can. If necessary, use cardboard and mallet as described above in Gear Shift Knob directions to get knob all the way on the lever. Re-install the metal (chrome) end piece, also using the cardboard and mallet as described above in Gear Shift Knob directions.

Remove nut from lever and re-install lever assembly in turn signal switch in steering column. Be careful when removing and re-installing the lever, as the turn signal switch contains fragile parts that can break.

Notes: The holes in the knobs are approximately .003 of an inch undersized to ensure a snug fit. That is why it is necessary to use the cardboard & mallet. Take your time and be very patient!!!!!!!!!!!!

Thank you for your business and good luck with your Lincoln.

If you need any help, please call our Tech Support Line at 727-445-7551.