

Pointillism tattoos

Pointillism tattoos (also called **dotwork tattoos**) are made using **tiny individual dots** to create images, shading, and textures. Instead of solid lines or traditional shading, the artist builds the design gradually with dots creating a soft, detailed, and often very precise look.

This style is often used in **geometric designs**, **mandalas**, **sacred symbols**, or even **realistic portraits**. The closer the dots are placed, the darker the area looks; more space between dots creates lighter tones.

Pointillism tattoos are known for their **clean, minimalist feel**, and require a lot of **patience and precision** from both the artist and the client.