

Create

FREE

10 day minibook workshop

Supply List

THE BASICS

To make the basic mini book you will need:

5x sheets of 12x12 cardstock

2x 2" book rings

7 6x4 photographs

1 large die or punch - I'll be using the largest die in the Nestabilities labels One set which measures 4 inches across. If you don't have any die cutting tools or punches you can cut some tag shapes or plain 4 inch squares instead so don't worry too much.

Paper trimmer

Hole punch

Corner rounder punch, (optional)

Your favourite adhesive

NOTES

If you are buying the cardstock to use especially go for a basic like white or kraft. I'll be using kraft in the class but you can use up other cardstock you already have. The mini book will be entitled 'Favourite Photos Of...' so choose a subject and pick out seven of your favourite photos. It could be a topic, a person or a pet, whatever you choose. I used Photobox to get my photos printed and chose a matt finish.



DECORATING

The idea around this class is you can put your own personality into it following the techniques but using your own favourite supplies. There are a few basic things you'll need to pick out or put to one side.

Patterned paper

You'll need a sheet for your cover, (doublesided if possible) plus around 5 different sheets to decorate the inside of your book. The basic size of the book is 6x4 inches so you can use scraps of this size if you have them, they'll be 14 pages to decorate.

Labels

You'll need some labels for your book. These can be stickers or stamped images. Pick out your favourite journalling block or you can even use lined paper cut into shapes with punches. I'll be using some October Afternoon label stickers and some Sassafras Sweet Treat stickers.



Rub ons

Little word and picture rub ons or stickers will come in handy when decorating your book. If you have lots of stamps you can use those instead. I'll be using October Afternoon Everyday Basics rub on transfers.



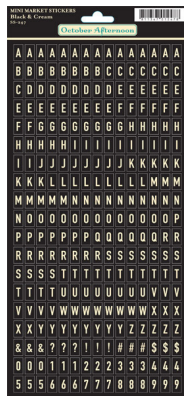
One through Seven

We're going to number each photo in our book so you'll need some numbers from one to seven. These can be anything you choose, Thickers, diecuts, chipboard etc. I'll be using Sassafra's Tailored Deck Paper Whimsies.



Mini Letter Stickers

Mini letter stickers will come in handy, they're great for adding words or journalling to minibooks. Lots of ranges do them now so you can pick out your favourite set or use some you already have. I'll be using October Afternoon Mini Market Stickers.



Fabric

We'll be making some embellishments to decorate the front of our minibook and inside using fabric. Scraps of fabric work well so if you already use fabric and have a scraps bag then you'll be set. If you don't generally use fabric you can have a root around for some old clothing to cut up and use or alternatively you can use ribbons - wide ones will work the best. You can also grab other bits and pieces with texture such as feathers, lace, felt and netting. You will be able to use one large piece of ribbon to tie around your book too.

Paper Clips

We'll be making some fun paper clip embellishments so you'll need paper clips as your base. You'll also need a strong glue such as glossy accents or you can use a glue gun.



Extras

A few extra bits and pieces to grab you'll be able to play with during the class are:

Teresa Collins Welcome Home: Frames Transparency

White paint

Black ink in a mini mister OR other spray mist you may already have

Threads or fibres

2 Jenni Bowlin large bingo cards

Decorative tapes - I'll be using Washi tape and Pink Paislee decorative tape.



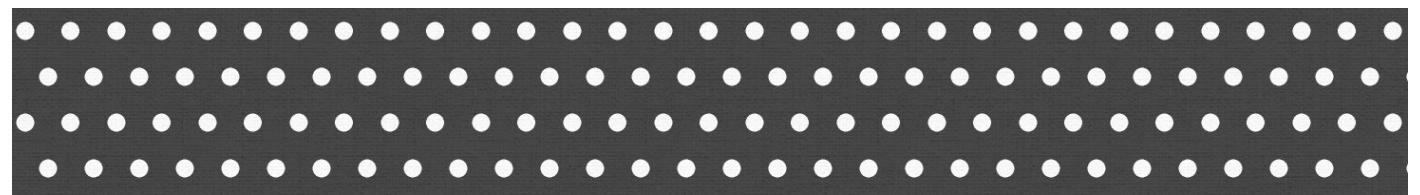
Tools

You'll be able to use general tools like decorative punches, I'll be using a small butterfly punch a few times over. Punches and dies are a great way to use up small leftover scraps of paper.

I'll also be using a sewing machine, this is not essential but just used as an extra decorative touch so you can choose to use one or not.

I hope you can get a general feel for what you need from your supplies. If you need any more help or have any questions you can email me at enquiries@craftyprincess.co.uk

xx Leonora



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