



At Odd Angles

Create 10 Simple Recipes Class 5

Today we're going to add angles to our recipe. Angle are a great way to add a simple design change to your projects. To begin with as always we need to gather the supplies for our recipe. I'm going to start with a layout and I'm using one large photo, (my photo is 4x8 inches). You can use one smaller photo or two regular 4x6 inch size photos will work too. For the base cardstock I'm working with another basic, this time a white. My accent colour I've picked out from my photo – orange! Remember you can pick any accent colour you choose to suit your project.



So that's what I've ended up with, some of the stuff only has bits of orange in but I picked it out as I didn't have that many orange bits and pieces. To break up the orange I'm going to add in another basic as usual - this time I've gone for black.

Now we've got the ingredients we're ready to begin. To start with I need to make the pieces I've collected a little neater as most of them are off cuts so I'm just going to cut the smaller pieces into random rectangles. Some of the things I had were journalling spots too so I've just cut those out.



I've also cut out a piece of the black and white paper from the basic colour bits I collected. It's 4x12".



To start with I'm going to add the black and white paper piece. I want to tuck some of the other paper pieces behind it so I'm just putting tape on the bottom edge of the paper. Remember to add an angle to each piece of paper you stick down. You can go on ahead on your own if you like, just add the pieces of paper at different odd angles.



Next I've attached the other large piece of paper I had underneath along the same angle. Don't worry if the pieces go off the edge of your page when you lay them at the odd angles because you can trim those down later.



Next I've added some of the rectangle pieces of paper behind the large paper piece, just changing up the angles they're stuck down at. I've also added a boarder to the bottom and a bit of lace.



Next I've added the photo and another rectangle over the top of the layers. I've added the photo with glue just at the sides and bottom again so I can tuck some more paper pieces behind it.



I've decided to use this paper block as part of my title so I've added that on top as the last layer – now I just need to add the rest of the title around it.



I've added a piece of fabric to add the last part of the title on.



Finally I just need to trim off the bits of paper that have gone over the edge so it fits in my album.

Photo of finished layout:



Experiment with your angles. If you have enough bits and pieces leftover why not have a go at another layout using the same idea, just chop put your leftovers and get playing and sticking down at odd angles!

You can also have a go at using up your remaining bits and pieces on some greetings cards like this one. Have fun!

