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STEP-BY-STEP INSTRUCTIONS



Making a fun Recipe Booklet

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Scrap-a-Doodles

Requirements

- 2 Chipboard covers cut to the size of your choice
- Corner rounding tool (optional)
- Embellishments e.g. die cut scrolls, paper flowers, brads, chipboard cut-outs, ribbon, lace, buttons etc.
- Foam squares or double-sided tape (Mirror tape)
- Glue or double-sided tape
- Hole punch to bind book with rings OR
- Decorative Stamp and Inkpad for stamping
- Patterned and plain coordinating paper or cardstock
- Photos
- Pieces of acetate and/or calico (optional)
- Recipes
- Scissors, paper trimmer or craft knife
- Spectrum Noir alcohol based pens
- Zutter Spiral Binder to bind book with spiral wire

Instructions

Step 1 – Making the Cover:

- Cut base cardstock (Yellow) to size, glue and trim edges where necessary.
- Stick a layer of complementing cardstock (red stars) to the lower half of the cover.
- Punch the edge of a strip of the red stars cardstock and stick to the top of the page.
- Use corner rounder to finish corners.
- Ink the edges
- Attach a ribbon from top to bottom and stick cupcake quote.
- Cut, ink and attach a green dotted matt to the page with foam tape.
- Ink the word “recipes” and stick to page.
- Attach cupcake letter work to page.

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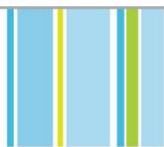
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Step 2 – Stamp Embellishment:

- Using an acrylic or rubber stamp of your choice, stamp the image with a Memento stamp pad.
- Colour the stamped image using the Spectrum Noir pens and blending the colours to create shading and depth.
- Edge and outline the design with a grey Spectrum Noir pen to define it and to make it stand out.
- Use the same technique to colour and shade the die-cut cupcake.
- Attach the cupcake to the cover.

Step 3 – Adding the inside pages and binding:

- Choose paper of your liking for the inside pages and cut to size.
- Using the Zutter binding tool, punch the holes for the spiral binding onto the covers and the inside pages as well.
- Attach the spiral binding wire and close it according to the instructions of the binding tool.

Alternative:

- If you do not have a Zutter binding tool, then punch a hole into the top left hand corner of the covers and inside pages using a Crop-a-dile punch or similar punching device.
- Attach a large enough ring to enable you to turn the pages easily.
- You may attach as many rings along the spine as you prefer

Step 4 – Finishing touches:

- Finish off your booklet by adding ribbons or bows to the spiral wire.
- Add any other tags and embellishments that appeal to you to create a design that you like.



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