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# Crafty Adults

### Creative You! craft kit

Adult crafters!! Get creative and enjoy a fun, carefree, & stress-relieving activity with our **Creative You!** craft kits.

Each kit contains supplies & a step-by-step guide to help you with the crafts' creation.

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### January's craft kit: Inspirational Flip Desk Calendar



With provided inspirational tags and stickers, you can design a fun flip desk calendar that will keep you inspired & positive throughout the whole year!

#### Craft kit includes:

- 1 Calendar base (with inserted eyelets)
- 12 Assorted inspirational craft tags
- 2 Inspirational stickers
- 2 Clip rings
- 1 Mini clothespin
- 1 Star sticker

#### <u>Additional supplies needed:</u>

- Hole punch
- Sharpie or craft pen



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We hope you've enjoyed creating your inspirational flip desk calendar & that it helps you to have a positive and uplifting year!

Wishing everyone a happy 8 safe 2021!

 Take your ruler & use it to bend the card-stock paper straight across where you've marked the dots.



• This will create a triangle shaped base for your calendar.



• Now, take a hole punch (single or full-page) and punch 2 holes at the top of the opening of the triangle base, about 2 inches from the ends.



• Now, insert your 2 eyelets into the holes you've created & using your eyelet setter tool, press them into place.



Now your flip calendar base is ready for decorating!

#### Step-by-step guide:

Step #1: Cut out your 12 calendar month cards

• Follow the gold lines and cut out the 12 calendar month cards.

#### Step 2: Organize your inspirational tags

 Decide the order that your inspirational tags will be displayed on your flip calendar.



Step #3: Punch holes in your calendar cards and inspirational tags

• Find the top, center spot for each calendar card & inspirational tag, & punch a hole with your hole-punch.

• If it works better for your design you may decide to place the holes off-center on some of your inspirational tags.

#### Step #4: Book rings

- Take your calendar cards & insert them onto a book ring.
- Then insert the ring into a hole on the calendar base.
- Close the book ring latch.
- Repeat this with your tags, organizing how you want them to be bdisplayed.



## Step #5: Decorate your calendar: Add inspirational tags & stickers, a star clothespin, and the year!

- Now you can choose how to decorate your calendar base with the stickers in your kit, and the mini clothespin & star sticker.
  - Remove the back of the glittery star & stick it on top of the clothespin.
- You can also take a craft pen or sharpie & write the year on the calendar base.



#### More on how to make the calendar base:

For this craft, we've pre-prepared the calendar's base for you because we have the eyelet setter tool.

But, if you would like to make another flip desk calendar, here's how you can make the base for yourself!

#### <u>Supplies needed:</u>

- 1 piece of thick card-stock paper
- 1 eyelet setter
- 2 eyelets
- Ruler
- Pencil



- Pick a piece of thick, card-stock paper it can be decorative or plain...your choice!
- Single sheets of various weights can be purchased at craft stores.
  - We used 110 lb/300 gsm weight card-stock paper for it's sturdiness to ensure that the base would support the weight of the 12 calendar cards & the inspirational tags.
  - In the landscape position, measure 4.5 inches from each side of your paper & mark with a dot.