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MY PAPERCRAFTING LIFE

Distressed Elements Stencil Scrap Journal Page



Supplies:

- Weathered Indigo Scrap Journal Paper Pack
- Weathered Indigo Stickers
- Bright White Cardstock (1 sheet)
- Distressed Elements Stencil
- Cool Gray (Gray Flannel) Ink and Matching Blending Brush
- Place and Peel Tape
- Black Journaling Pen
- 12" Trimmer
- 12" Trimmer Pinking Blade
- Micro-Tip Scissors
- Repositionable Tape Runner
- Thin Foam Squares or Rolls
- 13" Cutting System Cutting Mat
- Craft Mat

Step 1: Use a piece of 6 $\frac{3}{4}$ " x 10" Bright White cardstock for the base.

Step 2: To build the center section, cut the following pieces and ink the edges of all pieces with Gray Flannel. Attach them starting at the top, centering from side to side: 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ " newsprint, 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 6 $\frac{1}{4}$ " dark gray print, and 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ " newsprint.

Step 3: Cut a 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 12" piece of scratch paper. Tape this over the center pieces so that you can ink without worry. Stencil the grid part of the stencil 3" from the left top and $\frac{3}{4}$ " from the bottom right. Next, stencil splatter drops by the grid. Finally, use the coffee stain and stencil half on each side of the page as shown. This all gives you a nice layer of ink and shows how well this stencil works for clustering!

Step 4: Adhere (2) 4" x 3" photos to the dark gray mat. Next cut a 4 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x $\frac{3}{8}$ " piece of plaid paper using the pinking blade on one side. Add below the gray photo mat. Next cut (2) plaid pieces in the following sizes: 1" x 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ " and 1" x 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ ". Dovetail the bottom ends and adhere to the page as shown.

Step 5: Finish with stickers and journaling.