



Craft a Mini Scrapbook Folder

Easily create your own accordion folder or cheerful scrapbook folder. Perfect for storing all sorts of things, like notes, photos and stickers!



1
Take a piece of greyboard and cut out two panels for the cover measuring 2.8 x 3.3 inches (7 x 8.5 cm) and another measuring 2.8 x 1.2 inches (7 x 3 cm).



2
Cut decorative scrapbook paper to size, allowing approximately 0.4 inches (1 cm) of extra paper on each side to fold over the greyboard later on (for the 2.8 x 3.3 inches board use paper size 3.5 x 4.1 inches). Glue the board in the centre of the paper, cut the corners diagonally, and neatly fold the edges over the board. Use a bone folder to smooth everything down for a professional finish. TIP: Use the We R Makers book cover guide to make this step even easier!



3
Cut a piece of scrapbook paper measuring 3.1 x 2.8 inches (8 x 7 cm) and stick it on the inside of the cover, on top of the greyboard.





To make the folders or accordion pockets, cut a sheet of scrapbook paper to 6.7 x 3.5 inches (17 x 9 cm.)



Score these sheets horizontally at 0.4 inches (1 cm), vertically at 2.3 - 2.7 - 3.1 - 5.5 - 5.9 and 6.3 inches (6, 7, 8, 14, 15, and 16 cm). Then, cut away the horizontal strip, except for one panel you cut in (see the photo for the exact place).



Fold the folder together using double-sided tape for easy and quick adhesion.



Make as many of these folders as you like, each using a different patterned paper for a fun effect. For this example, we made 8.



Now stick all the folders together one by one.



Then attach the front and back folders to the inside of the cover.



Finish with a coloured ribbon of your choice, attaching it to the cover to be able to tie the album shut.

