

Make a larger greeting card and notelet journal:
adding different paper, paper bags and tags



You will need

The instructions 'Make a greeting card, notelet and envelope journal' and the items listed there and you will also need:

Paper bags, paper or thin card, carrier bags*

Card tags with string, ribbon, yarn etc

Paper or light card such as gift wrap, carrier bags, gift bags, old music, pages from an old book

Cardboard for the journal cover

The instructions 'Make a journal using envelopes'

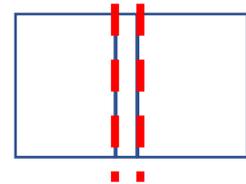
1. Follow the instructions 1 to 4 in 'Make a greeting card, notelet and envelope journal' and make 4 more sets
I used 5 sets of notelets, paper, card and bags*



2. Make a cover from card.
Put the sets of notelets, paper, card and bags on the card to decide on the size needed
Measure and draw a line where each set will be attached, leaving the same size space between the outermost line and the fold lines



3. Cut it out in one piece and score the folds
The instructions 'Make a journal using envelopes' 9 to 12 may help with this. (I used strips of some of the paper I used in the sets for the cover)



4. To add the ribbon tie, draw a line across the centre of the cover.
Fix the ribbon right across, using double sided tape.



5. Glue the inside cover in place in 2 parts, leaving the lines you drew showing



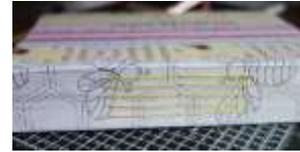
6. Mark where the holes need to go on the cover to attach each set, using the holes you made in the sets as a guide



7. Sew each set in place using instructions 5 to 9 in 'Make a greeting card, notelet and envelope journal'
This time I started on the inside of each set, tied the thread on the inside and threaded the ends back through the holes in each set, but not the cover, and trimmed them



8. I did not cover the thread on the outside but you can do so if you wish



9. I used 2 spare notelets to make a pocket on the inside of the front and back covers

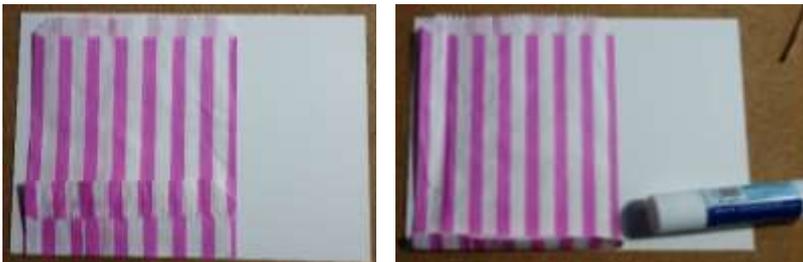


*To use the paper bags:

1. Fold them in half lengthways and trim the top to size.
- If they are too wide, cut one side and glue to size



2. If they are too long and you want the tops left as they are, fold them up at the bottom to the length you want, cut and glue



3. If they are too narrow, you can glue two together





4. If you will lose the design on them by cutting at the top or bottom, cut the sides and glue them to use with tags or leave them open to use as slide in pockets



5. To use a carrier bag, trim to size as above. You can leave the handles on or glue them in place. To stop it being too bulky if you do this, remove one handle

