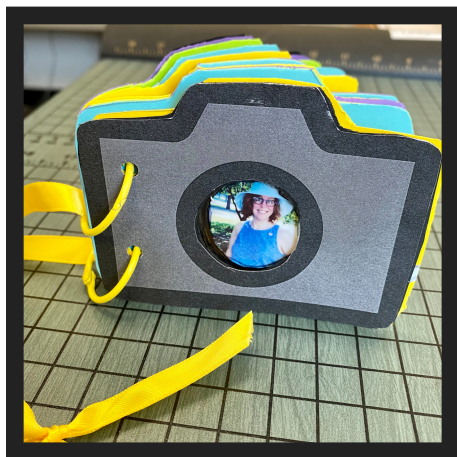


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## Camera-Shaped Journal

Document your favorite memories in life with this photographic journal. The kit includes a camera template, cardstock, loose leaf rings, stickers, glue, and more.



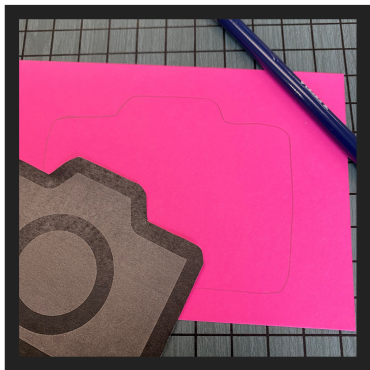
## Ingredients (Included):

- camera template
- 12 pieces cardstock
- 2 loose leaf rings
- ribbon
- stickers

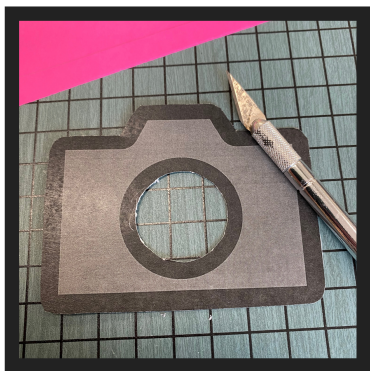
## You Supply:

- scissors or x-acto craft knife
- glue
- hole punch
- pencil
- your photos

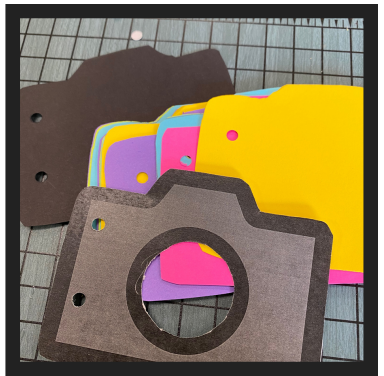
1. Carefully cut out the camera template. Then take the camera template and trace the outline onto each piece of cardstock. Then carefully cut out the camera shapes on each cardstock piece and stack together. Try to make them as even as possible.



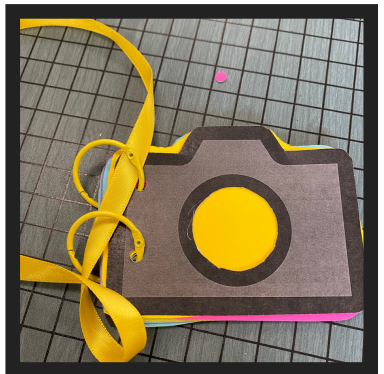
2. Cut out the inner lens circle on one cardstock piece. This will be the cover of your photo album. You can use the camera template for this or choose another colored piece.



3. Stack your cover and the cut cardstock pieces. Gather a few at a time and use a hole punch to make two holes on the left side. You can use one of the punched sheets as a guide and continue until all the cardstock pieces have two holes for the rings.



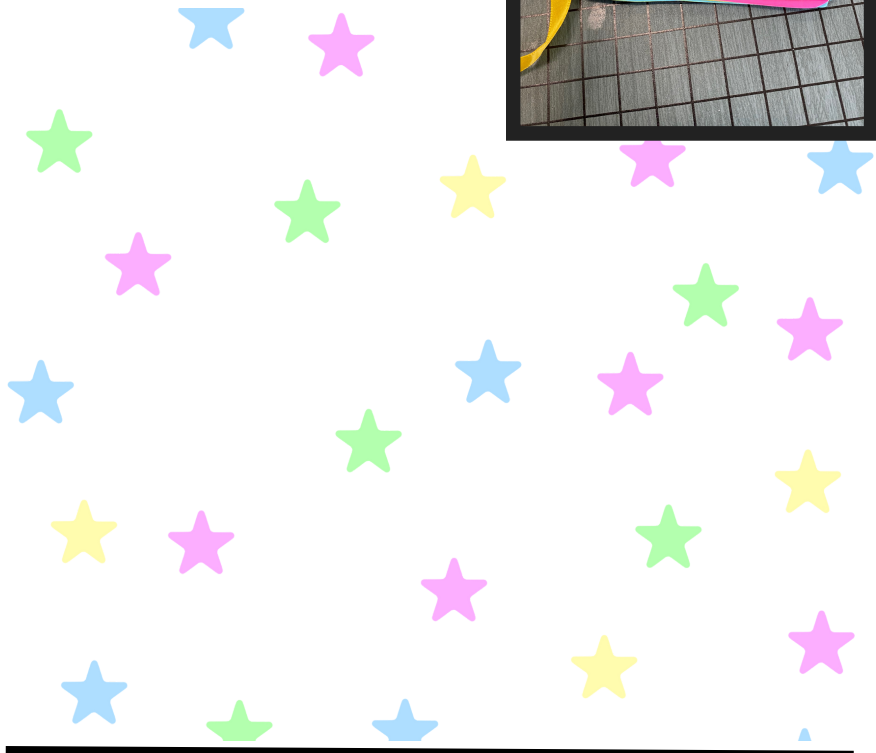
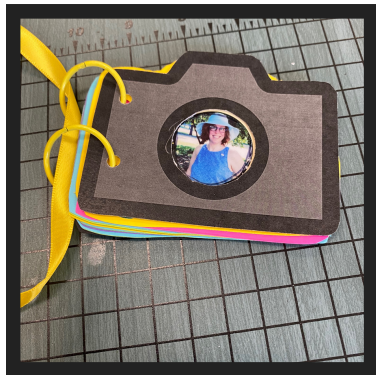
4. Feed the two loose leaf rings through the holes and secure. Feed the ribbon through the loose leaf rings and tie the ends together.



5. Glue a picture to the first page. This should peek through the camera lens so make sure to center it where the hole is on the cover. You can add stickers or other decorative touches here too.



6. Continue to add pictures, stickers, and text to the pages to document your favorite memories and meaningful moments in life.



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