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This is a traditional holiday design with red craft paper, white faux fur and silver bells. Photographs have been incorporated into the design to add a personalized touch.



Permanent Box

A permanent box can either be the wrapping for a gift or the gift itself.



Difficulty – Hard

Materials

- Medium sized paper mache box with removable lid (paper mache boxes can be found at your local craft store)
- Red patterned craft or scrapbooking paper medium weight
- Red coordinating scrapbooking paper medium weight
- 1/2-inch wide red grosgrain (ribbed) ribbon
- 1-inch wide faux fur trim (available by the yard at your local fabric store)
- 4 small silver bells
- Scotch® Self-Sealing Laminating Pouches
- Scotch® Precision Scissors (6" for cutting ribbon and 8" for cutting craft paper)
- Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick (for attaching craft paper)
- Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue (for gluing bells and photo pouches)

Instructions

1. Cut two pieces of the patterned craft paper measuring the entire length and width of one side box. Add 1/2-inch to the width measurement to overlap the corners.
2. Measure 1/4-inch on both width edges of each piece of the craft paper and fold to create a box edge.
3. Wrap the paper around the box to make sure the folded edges fit nicely to the shape of the box. Adjust the folds if necessary.
4. Using the Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick, apply glue to the wrong side of the craft paper, especially around the edges. Attach one piece of craft paper to the side of the box, lining up the top and bottom edge of the paper with the edges of the box, fitting the folded edges over the corners. Repeat with the other piece on the opposite side of the box.



5. Cut two more pieces of the patterned craft paper measuring the exact size of the side of the box that is not covered with paper.
6. Using the Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick, apply glue to the wrong side of the craft paper, especially around the edges. Attach one piece of craft paper to the side of the box, lining up with the edges of the box. Repeat with the other piece on the opposite side of the box.



7. Cut a piece of the red craft paper the exact size of the top of the box lid plus 1/4-inch on all sides. You can use the box to trace the shape.
8. Measure a 1/4-inch on the wrong side of all edges of the paper and fold to create a box edge. Place the paper on the top of the box to make sure the folded edges fit nicely to the shape of the box. Adjust the folds if necessary. Cut a square off of each corner of the 1/4-inch fold so the edges will form a box shape.



9. Using the Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick, apply glue to the wrong side of the craft paper, especially around the edges and attach it to the top of the box lid, fitting the folded edges over the corners.



10. Cut a piece of the patterned craft paper the exact size of the top of the box lid minus 1/2-inch on all sides. Using the Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick, apply glue to the wrong side of the craft paper, especially around the edges. Attach the craft paper to the box lid, centering the paper evenly on the top.



11. Seal a photo inside a Scotch® Self-Sealing Laminating Pouch by following the instructions on the package.



12. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, apply glue to the wrong side of the laminated photo and attach it to the center of the top of the box lid.



13. Cut two pieces of ribbon the length of the sides of the laminated photo and two pieces the length of the top and bottom of the photo.
14. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, apply small amounts of glue to the back of the ribbon and attach it to the photo so it is overlapping on to the box. Glue the ribbon to the sides of the photo first followed by the top and bottom.



15. Cut a piece of the faux fur trim long enough to wrap around the sides of the box lid.
16. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, apply glue to the trim and attach it to the sides of the box. Start on a corner of the box so the ends meet at the same corner to make the seam invisible.



17. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, attach the silver bells on the corners of the box and let dry.



Gift Bag

The gift bag can be saved to hold cards or other decorations.



Difficulty – Medium

Materials

- Medium red gift bag with stiff handles (plain gift bags are inexpensive and easy to find at your local craft or party store)
- Red patterned craft or scrapbooking paper medium weight
- Red coordinating scrapbooking paper medium weight
- 1/2-inch wide red grosgrain (ribbed) ribbon
- 1-inch wide faux fur trim (available by the yard at your local fabric store)
- 2 small silver bells and 1 large silver bell
- Scotch® Self-Sealing Laminating Pouches
- Scotch® Precision Scissors (6" for cutting ribbon and 8" for cutting craft paper)
- Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick (for attaching craft paper)
- Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue (for gluing bells and photo pouch)
- Decorative white tissue paper

Instructions

1. Cut a piece of the red patterned craft paper 3/4 the length and the full width of the front of the gift bag.
2. Using the Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick, apply glue to the wrong side of the craft paper especially around the edges. Attach the paper to the front of the gift bag, lining up the edges of the paper with the bottom edge of the bag.
3. Cut a piece of the red craft paper 1/4 the length and the full width of the front of the gift bag.
4. Using the Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick, apply glue to the wrong side of the craft paper especially around the edges. Attach the paper to the front of the gift bag, lining up the edges of the paper with the top edge of the bag.



5. To cover the handles, apply a small amount of Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue to a few inches of the back of the ribbon and wrap the ribbon around the handle where it meets with the inside of the bag.
6. Continue to add small amounts of glue to the ribbon, a few inches at a time, as you continue to wrap the ribbon around the handle, slightly overlapping the ribbon.
7. Finish by cutting the ribbon and gluing the end behind the handle where it meets with the inside of the bag. Repeat this process with the other handle.



8. Cut a piece of the white faux fur trim the entire width of the front of the gift bag.
9. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, attach the fur trim to the front of the gift bag so it is centered over the edges of the craft paper.



10. Seal a photo inside a Scotch® Self-Sealing Laminating Pouch by following the instructions on the package.



11. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, apply glue to the wrong side of the laminated photo and attach to the front of the gift bag, centered on the red patterned craft paper.



12. Cut two pieces of ribbon the length of the sides of the laminated photo and two pieces the length top and bottom of the photo.
13. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, apply small amounts of glue to the back of the ribbon and attach it to the photo so it is overlapping on to the bag. Glue the ribbon to the sides of the photo first followed by the top and bottom.
14. Glue the three silver bells on to the center of the fur trim with the largest in the middle and the small bells on each side.



15. Fill the bag with layered tissue paper.



Wrapped Box

This design uses the Scotch® Pop-up Foam Squares under the photo to give it dimension and also allows it to easily be removed from the box and saved. This design can be adapted to almost any size or shape box.



Difficulty – Easy

Materials

- Red wrapping paper
- Red patterned craft or scrapbooking paper medium weight
- Red coordinating scrapbooking paper medium weight
- 1/2-inch wide red grosgrain (ribbed) ribbon
- 1-inch wide faux fur trim (available by the yard at your local fabric store)
- 2 small silver bells and 1 large silver bell
- Scotch® Paper Cutter (for cutting wrapping paper)
- Scotch® Double Sided Tape or Scotch® Pop-Up Tape (for wrapping the gift)
- Scotch® Self-Sealing Laminating Pouches
- Scotch® Precision Scissors (6" for cutting ribbon and 8" for cutting craft paper)
- Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick (for attaching craft paper)
- Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue (for gluing bells and photo pouch)
- Scotch® Pop-up Foam Squares

Instructions

1. Wrap a box in red wrapping paper using either Scotch® Double Sided Tape or Scotch® Pop-Up Tape.
2. Cut a piece of the patterned craft paper 3/4 the width and the full length of the top of the box.
3. Using the Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick, apply glue to the wrong side of the craft paper especially around the edges. Attach the paper to the front of the box, lining up the edges of the paper with the right edge of the box.
4. Cut a piece of the red craft paper 1/4 the width and the full length of the top of the box.
5. Using the Scotch® Permanent Glue Stick, apply glue to the wrong side of the craft paper especially around the edges. Attach the paper to the front of the box, lining up the edges of the paper with the left edge of the box and with the edge of the patterned craft paper.



6. Cut a piece of the white faux fur trim the entire length of the top of the box.
7. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, attach the fur trim to the top of the box so it is centered over the edges of the craft paper.



8. Seal a photo inside a Scotch® Self-Sealing Laminating Pouch by following the instructions on the package.



9. Cut two pieces of ribbon the length of the sides of the laminated photo and two pieces the length top and bottom of the photo.
10. Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, apply small amounts of glue to the back of the ribbon and attach it to the photo. Glue the ribbon to the sides of the photo first followed by the top and bottom.



11. Apply one Scotch® Pop-up Foam Square on each corner of the wrong side of the laminated photo and attach it to the box, centered on the patterned craft paper.



- Using Scotch® Quick Drying Tacky Glue, glue the three silver bells on to the center of the fur trim with the largest in the middle and the small bells on each side.

