



Smithsonian Associates

Book Arts Standards and Variations

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In this course I will teach 3 standard book formats per session and end it with a fun variation using creative materials.

Session 1: Accordion Book with sewn in pages & Matchbox Accordion

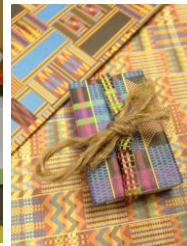
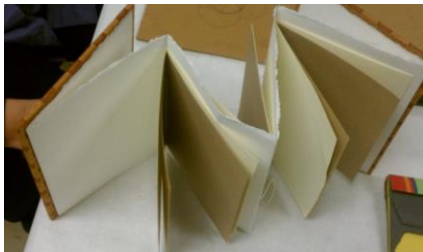
Session 2: Japanese Stab Bound Journal & History Journal

Session 3: One-Page book with sewn in pages & the Travel Journal

Material Max: \$30/person

Supplies for all Sessions:

Steel, cork-backed rulers for cutting
Xacto knife and cutting mat
Scissors
Big purple gluesticks or paper Glue and brush
Bonefolder
Needles, binding thread
Pencil and eraser
Binder clips (2, medium sized)
Bonefolder: https://www.dickblick.com/items/64214-1678/

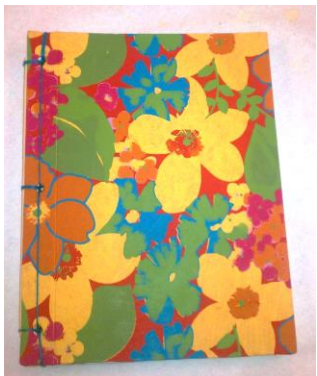


Session 1: ACCORDION Book		
<u>Watercolor paper w deckled edges</u>	1 sheet, 22" x 30"	\$3
Book cover board: <u>Lineco Acid-Free Binder's Board</u> - 15" x 20-1/2", 70 pt, Pkg of 4 Item #:12827-1007  OR <u>https://www.misterart.com/crafts/book-binding/sid~54776~/lineco-binder-s-board.html</u>	We will need 1, sheet for Session 1 and 2 (other 3 can be used later!)	\$16-21 (pkg of 4)

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Handmade paper to cover the boards	1 sheet	\$8
VARIATION: Matchbox accordion		
Matchbox, any size, empty		
Any colorful handmade paper to collage with		
Glue Stick		



Session 2: Japanese Stab Bound Journal		
1 book sumi-e paper (calligraphy and painting paper), 9 x 12	https://www.misterart.com/drawing-illustration/ink/sumi-ink-supplies/sid~59553~/aitoh-sumi-e-sketch-pads.html	\$9
12 x 12 scrapbook paper 2 sheets (can be 1 with design and one plain or both with same design, or each with a different design)		
Binding needle and linen thread		
VARIATION: History Journal		
Satin ribbon/yarn/raffia (3 different kinds of binding materials)		
Paper for inside pages https://www.staples.com/Staples-College-Ruled-Filler-Paper-5-1-2-x-8-1-2-100-Pack-12301M/product_200055	College ruled filler paper, hole-punched 5.5 x 8.5	\$6
Card stock 8.5 x 11, 2 sheets	Any color	
1/2/3-hole punch		

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Session 3: One Page Book		
Printmaking paper https://www.misterart.com/paper-boards/art-illustration/printmaking/sid~82682~/legion-paper-coventry-raq-printmaking-paper.html	1 sheet per person	
Paper for inside pages, 8.5 x 11	Any color	
VARIATION: Travel Journal		
World Map https://www.papersource.com/gift-wrap/world-map-flat-wrap-405848.html	Paper Source	\$8.95
Text pages 8.5 x 11	6 sheets, any color	
Hole punch		

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