

List of Materials for “Interlocking Folds Book”

Tools needed:

Scissors

Pencil with eraser

Ruler

Liquid glue, such as PVA, Modge Podge, mat medium, Elmer's or Yes Glue
Paintbrush (1/4" and 1/2" or so wide), jar for water, rag

Bone folder

Ingredients to make the book:

Double-sided paper works well for this book, for example: computer paper you have printed on both sides, magazine pages, or map pages.

Do a “fold test” to see if the paper cracks or shows white when folded.

Don't use it if it does!

- For the interlocking folds: 2 pieces of paper, 2" by 10 1/2". We may end up trimming off a bit after you have completed the folding.

- For the covers: 2 pieces mat board, 1 1/4" by 2 1/8". If you do not have mat board you can use cardboard from the back of a pad of paper, or from food packaging. Do not use corrugated cardboard.

- Paper to cover the outside of the book covers: 2 pieces 2" by 3". This can be a decorative, one-sided paper. Card stock is too stiff to use, so something more lightweight.

- Paper to cover the inside of the book covers: 2 pieces 1 1/8" by 2" wide. Card stock or decorative paper is fine.

- Belly band: 1 piece of paper 1 1/8" wide by 4" long.