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Original Recipe



Reversible Pocket Calendar Cover by Monica Solorio-Snow

Little inexpensive clear vinyl covered pocket calendars can go from ho-humm functional - to oh-so-cute in a matter of minutes. The pocket calendars with the clear removable covers can be found in almost any store that sells office supplies, and can occasionally be found at "dollar stores".

Ingredients:



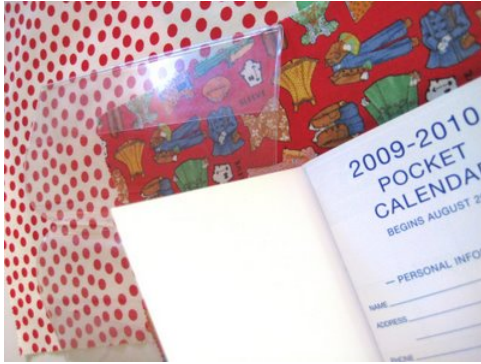
2 slices of a Moda Layer Cake (2 - 10" x 10" squares). Snippets by American Jane featured here but any moda fabric will work.

1 pocket calendar with clear vinyl removable cover

Iron-on Adhesive for fabric (example, Heat n Bond Lite)

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Instructions:



1. Select two Layer Cakes (2 - 10" x 10" squares), and remove vinyl cover from calendar.

2. Cut a piece of iron-on adhesive larger than your calendar. A good half inch extra on all four sides is plenty.



3. Iron on the adhesive (according to manufacture's instructions) - bumpy side down, paper side up - to the WRONG side of your fabric. Leave yourself a 1/4" clearance near the edge of your fabric and the adhesive so you don't fuse your project to your ironing board.



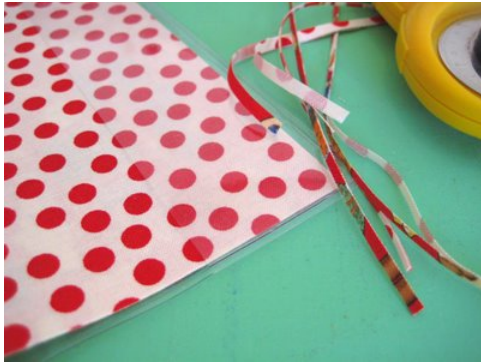
4. Remove the adhesive's paper after ironing.



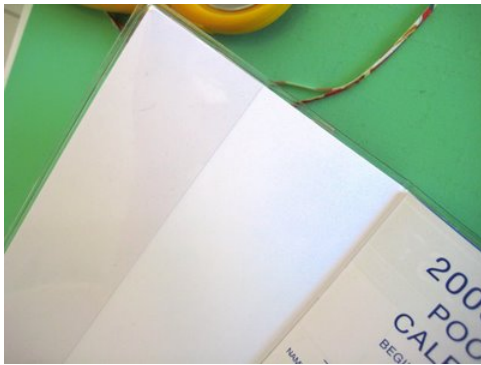
5. Place second fabric, WRONG side down - so adhesive is sandwiched between your fabrics. Iron to fuse the pieces together.



6. Place your calendar over your fused fabric unit, at least a 1/2" in from the side and bottom. This will insure your sandwiched unit will be fused on all four sides (this will help prevent fraying). Mark the four corners of the calendar with a pencil as a cutting guide.



7. Trim unit using your pencil marks as your guide. TIP: It is better to cut larger, and then trim as needed to fit unit inside your clear vinyl cover.



8. Slide fused unit in cover. You may need to do a little trimming to get it to fit accurately and neatly.

9. Insert calendar and you're done! Done of course, unless you can't decide which side of the fused unit to use. Alternating the sides of the fused unit takes only seconds to change.

Yield:



One package of Moda Layer Cakes will yield 20 reversible calendar covers. Make 20 to give to your friends, family, co-workers and the appointmently challenged ... or keep them for yourself to alternate with your mood, fashion/desk accessories or season.

You can take your personalized cover a step further - and embellish your cover with fused/ironed on applique pieces. Your iron is your oyster. Something like that.

Happy Days! And months. And year...

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