Embroidery ring with handmade paper

Instructions No. 2198

Difficulty: Beginner

Working time: 4 Hours

Many great things can be made from handmade paper. These decorative embroidery rings were covered with handmade paper and then decorated with dried flowers, pressed blossoms and paper tags. A beautiful decoration for your home.



Paper making - this is how it works:

- 1. Tear waste paper such as newspaper or printed copy paper into small pieces and cover them with warm water in a bowl. Leave to soak for at least 1 hour.
- 2. Blend the soaked paper with a hand mixer to a smooth paste, add chalk powder and cotton cellulose and mix well. (For 5 pages of newsprint, use about 10 tablespoons of cotton cellulose and/or chalk powder).

- 3. Take a large tub in which the paper scoop frame fits well and can also be swivelled. Fill it with water to a height of approx. 10-15 cm, add the paper mixture and mix it all together.
- 4. Immerse the paper scoop frame, move it slightly back and forth and lift it slowly and straight up out of the water. The frame should drip over the tub for a few minutes.
- 5. Lay out 2x felt on a table.
- 6. Remove the outer wooden frame of the scoop frame and carefully place a piece felt on the wet paper. Then turn the whole thing over onto the felt and loosen the screen of the scoop frame.
- 7. Now place the second felt on the paper and roll everything well with the help of a rolling pin or a bottle.
- 8. Remove the top felt and leave to dry for several days.
- 9. After the drying time, the paper can easily be coloured as desired. Simply mix a few drops of colour concentrate in water and dab onto the paper with a sponge. Allow to dry.

Decorating - almost done:

- 1. Carefully clamp the dried paper into the embroidery hoops.
- 2. Stick the pressed flowers onto the paper with napkin varnish. Apply a thin layer of varnish, glue the flowers on top and coat again with napkin varnish.
- 3. Make a small bouquet from the dried flowers and fix it with hot glue.
- 4. Cut different sized tags from kraft paper, write on them with markers.
- 5. Punch two holes in each tag with a hole punch.
- 6. Place the tags on the frames and draw marks on the paper through the holes.
- 7. Poke holes through the marks with a needle, place the tags on top and secure with clips.

Article information:

Article number	Article name	Qty
12722	Paper scoop frameDIN A4 (leider ausverkauft)	1
14137	Whitees chalk powder	1
14135	Cotton cellulose, superfine	1
25422	Craft felt mix "Colorful", 1-5 mm, 500 g	1
371384	Embroidery ring, height 8 mmØ 15.5 cm	1
371377	Embroidery ring, height 8 mmØ 12.5 cm	1
15377	Rico Design Mix Set pressed flowers "Orange Turquoise"	1
756556-08	VBS Colour Concentrate, 25 mlSun yellow	1
13457	Lagurus	1
14389	Lavender natural blue	1
16860	Dried flowers set "Phalaris"	1
14388	Lona natural yellow	1
15396	Round head clamps, 60 pieces	1
133050	VBS Hole puncher	1
862493	Kraft paper DIN A4	1