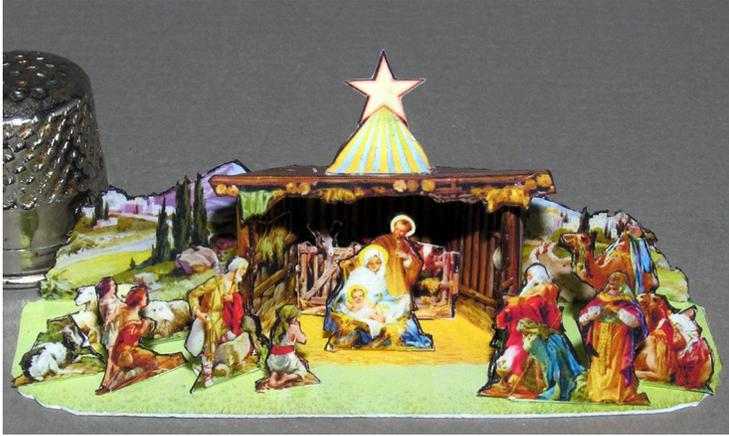


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1:12 dollhouse scale
Assembly instructions



Required tools and supplies:

- X-acto knife and fresh blade
- A thin metal straight-edge ruler and/or bone folder. Make fold lines by pressing against edge of the ruler.
- Detailing scissors
- Good cutting mat. Cardboard will ruin your blades and projects!!
- Fast-grab, quick-dry white craft glue that dries clear
- A glue stick
- Small piece of aluminum foil to use as a glue pot
- Slender artist's paint brush to apply glue

Note:

The design was adjusted for the 1:12 crèche. Therefore, there are no slits to poke. Instead you will use the white augmented tabs to glue, so no poking is required! End result is the same.



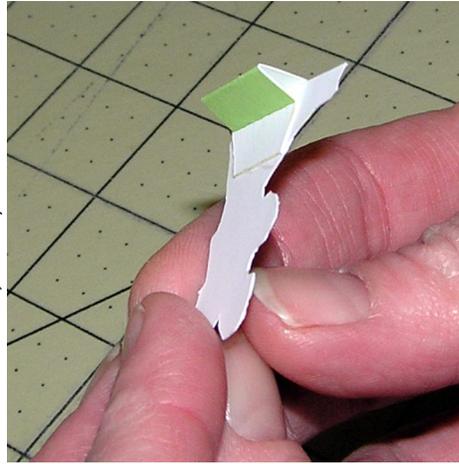
Cut out pieces. Fold according to photo(s). Backdrop should be folded upward. This roof will need the double hole if you plan to use lighting. Thread light through opening after construction.



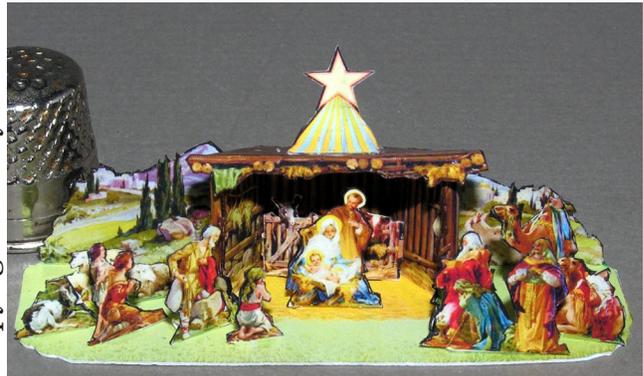
Cut as shown. Leave in white area for now.



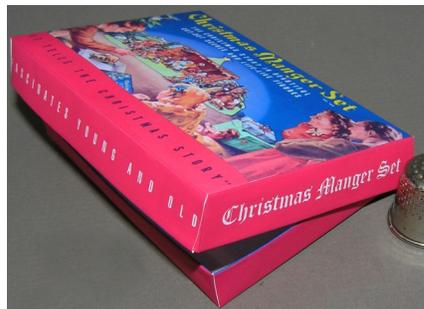
Glue blank sides together as shown. When dry, cut away white areas. Note the yellow tab at the base.



Cut out figures. Please see the on-line tutorial, under Need-to-Know, titled **Cutting Small, Detailed Items Such as Paper Dolls**. Glue stands as shown above.



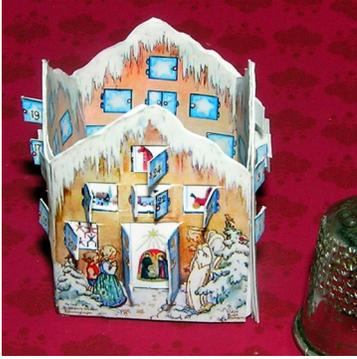
Assemble Crèche by attaching the roof to the manger. Glue the cow and donkey with fence in place. Glue down manger tabs on yellow "hay." Arrange figures and glue in place. NOTE: in the smaller version, several of the figures have been merged together.



Box is for staging purposes only. Crèche will not fit in it. Hinge box on the back as shown.

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book32: Winter Holidays, Vol. 2 Vintage 3-D Advent Calendar



Required tools and supplies:

- X-acto knife and fresh blade
- A thin metal straightedge ruler. Make fold lines by pressing against edge of the ruler.
- Small detailing scissors
- Good cutting mat. No cardboard, for it will ruin your project.
- Fast-grab, quick-dry white craft glue that dries clear
- Small piece of aluminum foil to use as a glue pot
- Slender artist's paintbrush to apply glue



1. Cut windows on front panel using a blade tool with new blade.
2. Cut out 'prizes' panel as shown. Line up backing to pre-cut windows to assure accuracy.



3. Place tiny dots of quick-dry craft glue at each corner and peak of each panel -- more if possible. Adhere both panels together. Allow to dry thoroughly.



4. Fold vertically between each of 4 house sides and tab.
5. Glue tab to inside of calendar.



6. Glue courtyard panels to inside of calendar. Match pictures--the courtyard panels have been flipped for perfect alignment.



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Gift Bag Assembly

1. Cut out pieces and fold at crease lines. Glue the long side seam on the bag and press bond with your fingers or cotton swab.

2. Glue bottom tabs.

3. Make Handles. Thread needle with embroidery floss, and knot end. For larger scale gift bags you can use thin ribbon or trim. Pull floss through from inside of bag.

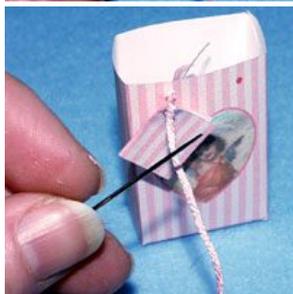
4. Attach Tag. Thread tag onto floss.

5. Finish Handle. Pierce needle through next handle point and pull to desired handle length. Knot end of floss. Repeat instructions for other handle.

6. Tissue Stuffing. See the Gift Bag Stuffing tutorial.

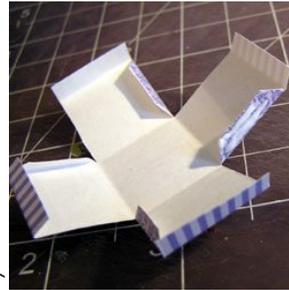
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7. Place tissue in bag and arrange attractively. Trim top edge, if necessary



Gift Wrap Pack:

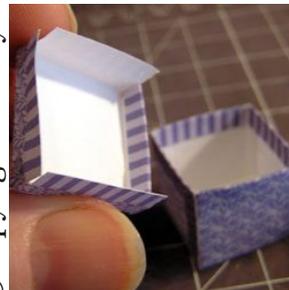
1. Glue caddy ends creating open box shapes.
2. Wind gift wrap on stick/dowel. Check fit into one of the caddy ends.
3. If it is the right circumference, glue roll's edge into place.
4. Repeat for all 4 rolls.
5. Glue caddy ends onto the 4 rolls.



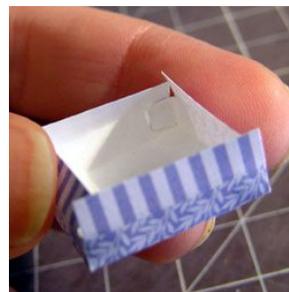
1. Cut out top and bottom of lidded gift box. Use a blade tool to cut items that have tight spots. Use the straight edge ruler to fold against. You'll get much cleaner folds that way.



2. Place glue to 1st side tab of box bottom. Use tweezers to create a tight bond between tab and side panel of box bottom. Repeat for all 4 sides.



3. Fold down the box lip linings. Fold out again and place a layer of glue to blank sides of lip linings. Fold back into place and pinch with tweezers in order to make the box edge even in thickness. The box lid will fit more easily with an even edge.



4. Repeat Steps 1-3 for the box lid as well.



6. Here is your finished box.

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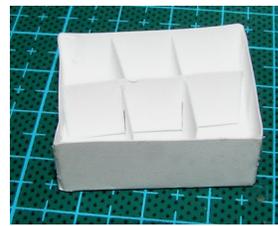
Required tools and supplies:

- X-acto knife and fresh blade
- A thin metal straight-edge ruler. Make fold lines by pressing against edge of the ruler.
- Tweezers, detailing scissors
- Good cutting mat
- Fast-grab, quick-dry white craft glue that dries clear
- Stapler
- Small piece of aluminum foil to use as a glue pot
- Slender artist's paint brush to apply glue.
- Mardi Gras plastic beads
- Small sheet of acetate plastic



Ornaments Box:

1. Photos are different from your boxed ornaments but constructed the same way. It is easiest to cut display window out before cutting the box perimeters.
2. Next cut boxes.
3. Use a straight-edge ruler to create crease lines.
4. Glue side tabs. Make sure that the bottom fits into the top before completely glueing box bottoms.
5. Use the pattern to size acetate and glue acetate into back side of window.



6. Cut dividers and slide cuts into each other.



7. Place a ball into each section. Mardi Gras beads are used here. If beads look too small with box top in place, glue the balls in the dividers close to the center of the box.



Nesting Blocks Assembly:

1. Cut out pieces and fold against a ruler, including tabs and bottom panels.
2. Glue block's side tabs to blank inside surfaces. Pinch with tweezers.



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