

bookfd5: Vintage Toys

The Paper Minis' Foldout Book of a Victorian Dollhouse. Plus Crazy Cards and Storage Box
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For 1:6 Fashion Doll/Play Scale



Required tools and supplies:

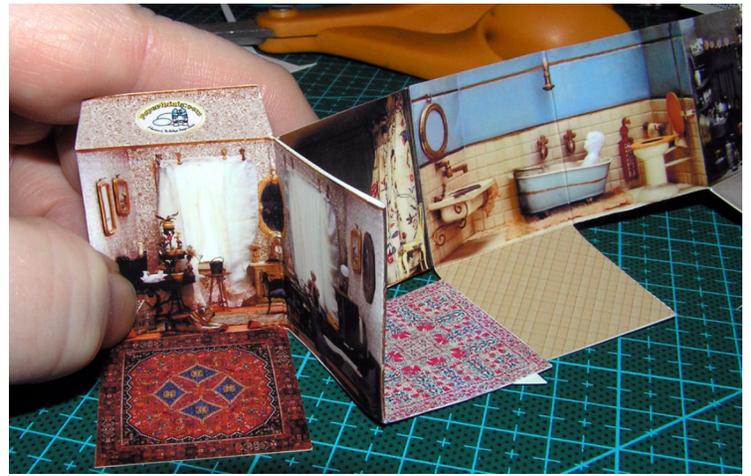
- A thin metal straight-edge ruler. Make fold lines by pressing against edge of the ruler.
- Detailing scissors and tweezers
- A couple of black office clip
- Fast-grab, quick-dry white craft glue that dries clear
- Acid-free glue stick
- Small piece of aluminum foil to use as a glue pot
- Slender flat artist's paint brush to apply glue
- Color coordinated thin ribbon.



1. Cut out the main pieces and fold as shown here. Use the back of a spoon or a bone folder to get crisp folds.



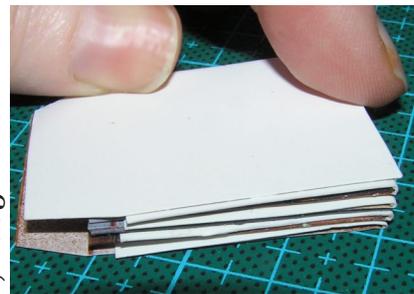
2. Use the glue stick and glue the tab to the blank back side of the 2nd half.



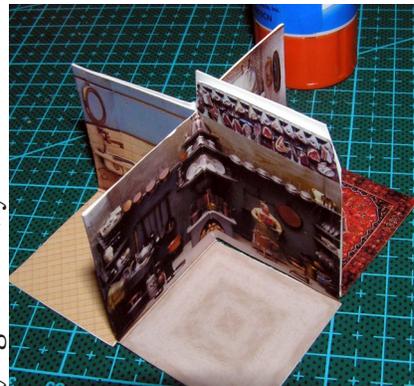
3. Stand the pages upright then use the glue stick to glue the backsides of the living room and bedroom as shown above. Make sure to level the bottom edge on the table top so as to glue it perfectly straight.



4. Next glue the blank backside of the bedroom to the backside of the bathroom.



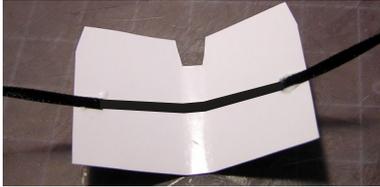
5. Continue until all are glued and press the bundle flat as shown above to further flatten the folds.



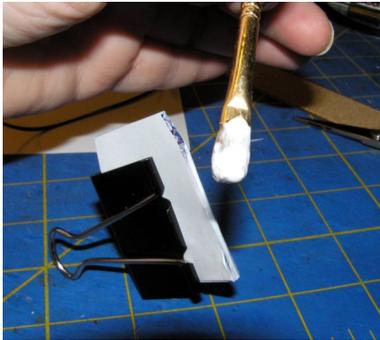
6. You may set up the rooms just to see your work.



7. Carefully cut out the laminated book cover and fold as shown.



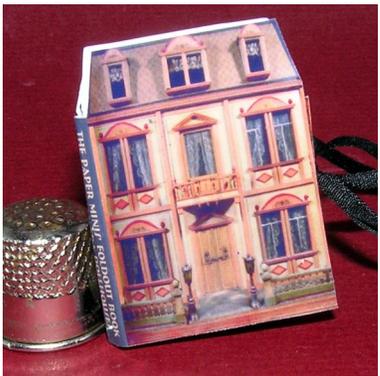
8. Glue the ribbon to the inside surface of the cover. This will serve as the tie to hold the book shut as well as to hold the book open at a 360 degree four-room dollhouse.



9. Place the open side of the pages in a large binder clip. Add a thick layer of glue to the binder side of the pages and allow to dry.



10. Apply a generous coat of glue to the entire interior surface of the book cover. If you do not use a lot of glue you will not be able to slide the book into proper position.



11. Position the front cover carefully over the living room's tall panel. Press in place and bond. Carefully align the back cover over the kitchen's tall panel. Press in place and bond.

12. Make sure that the pages separate from each other before the glue dries.

13. Tie a bow to hold book closed. Trim bow ends as needed, but remember to leave enough to retie.

14. The book will open and tie at a 360 degrees to reveal the four rooms. Please be aware that, as with anything this small, overworking joints will denigrate the book's integrity.

1. **Crazy Cards:** Cut cards and box.

2. Use a straight edge to fold against and prepare the box and box divider insert.

3. Glue the box tabs then press firmly with tweezers.

4. Glue the divider's 'hump' and allow to dry.

5. Glue the divider flat to the bottom of the box. check fit first.



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Goldilocks and the Three Bears Theater
 to Scale for 1:6 Fashion Dolls



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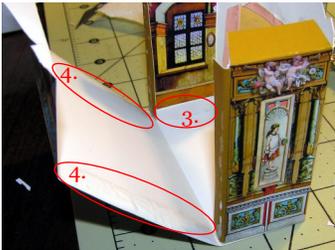
- X-acto knife and fresh blade
- A thin metal straight-edge ruler. Make fold lines by pressing against edge of the ruler.
- Tweezers, detailing scissors
- Good cutting mat
- Fast-grab, quick-dry white craft glue that dries clear
- Small piece of aluminum foil to use as a glue pot
- Slender artist's paint brush to apply glue
- Felt tip color pens
- Optional: beads for bed feet



1. Cut and fold as shown. Paint glue to salmon colored lining tabs. Use a bone folder or unpainted, smooth firm object to make a tight fold. the handle of a blade cutter is used in this photo. The back of a spoon's bowl will work.



1a. Glue the theater back to front so it looks like the photo above.



2. Glue the stage left and right inner walls in place.

3. Paint glue to the theater sides' floor tabs and adhere to the inside of the theater's floor.

4. Paint glue to tabs for theater backing.



5. Use a long flat object to press back tabs for a perfect adhesion.



6. Fold the sides of the stage floor downward so it looks like an upside-down open box. Place inside the theater. Use the paintbrush to smear a little bit of glue to the stage floor side. Just a little will do.



7. Glue the stage backdrop into place. Make sure you test its size before gluing.



8. Not shown: glue the lid's lining panel (it looks just like the lid). The purpose of this piece is to add strength to the top of the theater, this is not a cosmetic piece. Allow it to dry before moving forward.



9. Position the lid on the edge of the table so you can easily cut the slit with a blade tool.

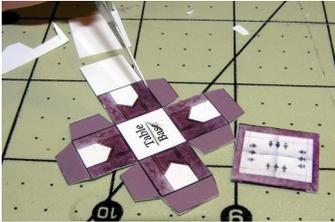
10. Glue the lid to the sides' top tabs and carefully glue the theater top embellishment back to front. Do the clean-up trimming after the glue is completely dry.



11. Slide the theater curtain into the slit and measure how much extra sticking out of the top you have to work with. With the extra, fold twice.



This photo demonstrate's the curtain with the two folds.

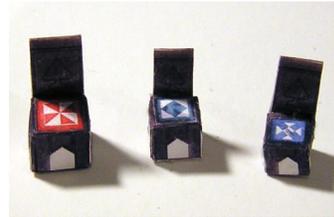


12. Fold the table top in half and glue blank sides together. At this point you may slit the table base and the table top separately or glue the table top to the base and then slit through both along the dotted line. Just do not glue the table top to the base's 'legs'!

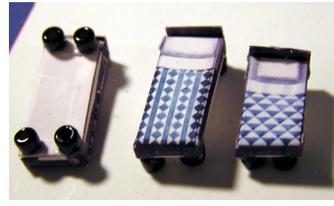


13. Assemble the base cube.

14. Fold porridge bowls in half along the rectangle. Glue blank sides together. Detail cut around bowls. Slide tab into slit on table top.



15. Make cubes of the chair seats. Fold the chair backs and glue blank sides together. Glue backs to chair cubes.



16. Create a box of the 'mattress' and glue tabs in place. Make sure to keep the box flat on the table surface while assembling to help eliminate any twists to the finished box.



Fold the headboard in half and glue blank sides together. Glue headboard to head of bed.

Optional: if you have some good sized beads, glue them to the underside as feet.



17. Glue toothpicks to the tops of the figures as shown.

18. If you want to display the characters as shown, lay the tops of the sticks lined up on a piece of tape. Cover that piece of tape with another piece of tape. All the furniture will fit in the theater.



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