

Flip Calendar Class

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Supplies used: TPC A Year In The Life, Morning Post Numbers & Notable Alphabet stamp sets; various colors inks and CS; Banner Framelits dies; Binder Clip Book Rings, 1"; Crumb Cake CS base; chip board supports (inside); ribbon of choice for sides. Individual month details are below.

To assemble base, cut a 7" square piece of Crumb Cake CS, and score at the center. Mark where holes will be punched for rings and side tie ribbons.



On back of CS, glue two pieces of chip on either side of the score line, to add stability and to keep the calendar from sagging over time. When ready, flip back over, fold on score-line, and go ahead and punch holes using a Crop-A-Dile or other heavy duty hole punch.

Stamp and assemble calendar month cards, and numbers. Punch finished cards at upper corners, using the template provided, 1/4" in at both corners.

Tie sides with ribbon to keep base from collapsing.

String rings through each hole of folded calendar base, and add cards as appropriate. Snap rings closed.

You can add additional ribbons and décor as desired!



All month cards are cut to a finished size of 3" square, with a layer at 2 3/4".

January – Bermuda Bay CS, with a layer of Whisper White. Stamp 2 triangles from Pennant Parade in Pumpkin Pie & Smoky Slate, and two poms in same colors, on white scrap. Punch with Petite Pennants Builder & 3/8" Circle punches. Stamp month in Bermuda Bay ink, assemble layers, pop-dotting the party hats in place. Carefully stamp additional poms in Bermuda Bay between hats.

February – Real Red CS, with a layer of Whisper White. Stamp 3 banner shapes from Follow My Heart and punch with Banner Punch. Stamp month in Real Red at upper left of white layer, then using markers to ink up, stamp sentiment at lower right. Assemble layers, pop-dotting banners along upper left corner. Add rhinestones.

March – Old Olive CS, with Whisper White and Sweet Sorbet DSP layers. Stamp month in Old Olive onto lower right of DSP layer. Stamp shamrock from So Lucky (retired) stamp set, and cut out. Assemble layers, pop-dotting shamrock at center. Using two-way glue pen, add dots of gold glitter.

April – Soft Sky CS with a layer of Whisper White. Stamp month in Bermuda Bay at lower left corner of white layer. Stamp umbrella handle from Rain or Shine (retired) stamp set in Soft Suede, and raindrops in Soft Sky on either side of handle. Stamp umbrella shade of your choice in Calypso Coral on scrap and cut out. Assemble layers, pop-dotting umbrella shade in place.

May – Blushing Bride CS, with layers of Whisper White & Sweet Sorbet DSP. Assemble layers. On white scrap, stamp 3 flowers from Petite Petals in Basic Gray, and month in Perfect Plum. Using aqua-painter, color flowers, in Perfect Plum, So Saffron & Blushing Bride, with Pear Pizzazz centers. Punch flowers with Petite Petals punch, and month with 3/5" Oval punch. Pop-dot month at lower right, glue flat two flowers and pop-dot third.

June – Chocolate Chip Base, with layers of Whisper White and Manchester DSP. Assemble layers. Stamp month in Chocolate Chip onto Crumb Cake, and punch out with Stocking Builder Punch. In Chocolate Chip, stamp bow-tie from Dapper Dad (retired) stamp set or mustaches from Many Mustaches (retired) stamp set onto Baja Breeze (retired) CS. Cut out. Pop-dot with month to assembled layers as shown.

July – Night of Navy CS with Whisper White layer. Stamp month in Night of Navy at upper left corner of white layer. Stamp stars from Simply Stars stamp set in Real Red and Night of Navy. Punch out stars with small and large star punches (retired.) Assemble layers, gluing flat the two smaller stars, and pop-dotting the larger one. Add rhinestone to larger star as desired.

August – Crushed Curry CS, with a Whisper White layer. Stamp month in Crushed Curry at upper right of white layer. In Soft Suede, stamp tennis racquet from Have A Ball! (retired) stamp set diagonally across white layer. Stamp two tennis balls on either side of racquet in Crushed Curry, and one on white scrap. Punch with 1/2" Circle punch and pop-dot over racquet strings.

September – Marina Mist CS with layers in Whisper White & Storytime DSP (retired). Stamp month at lower left in Marina Mist. Assemble layers. Using Real Red, Old Olive & Early Espresso markers, stamp three apples from Perfectly Preserved (retired) stamp set on white scrap. Cut out with Cannery Set framelits. Glue two apples flat, and pop-dot third as shown.

October – Pumpkin Pie CS with a Whisper White layer. Stamp month at upper left on white layer in Basic Black. Stamp pumpkin from Jack-o-Lantern Fun (retired) stamp set in Pumpkin Pie on white scrap. Add stem in Old Olive, and face of choice in Basic Black. Cut out. Assemble layers, pop-dotting pumpkin in place as shown.

November – Cajun Craze with a layer of Whisper White. Stamp month in Cajun Craze at lower right of white layer. Stamp leaf from Gently Falling stamp set in Early Espresso on white layer as shown. Use aqua-painter to color leaf with Cajun Craze & Always Artichoke. Stamp acorn on white scrap, color cap with blender pen, and aqua-paint the rest. Cut out, and pop-dot as shown.

December – Silver Glimmer Specialty DSP with a layer of Whisper White. Stamp month in Silver Encore ink at upper right of white layer. Punch three stars using Bitty Star punch from Silver Glimmer scrap. Using Real Red, Old Olive & Early Espresso markers, ink up ornaments from Ornament Keepsakes stamp set and stamp on white scrap. Cut out with Holiday Ornaments framelits. Assemble layers, using generous glue over glimmer paper, and pop-dot ornaments in place. Glue stars flat as shown.