

Paper Blossoms

Mold Paper to Create 3D Realistic Flowers

Punch
Shape
Assemble

How To Make a Black-Eyed Susan

Black-Eyed Susan Supplies

Punches:

- Multi Daisy 64540 - 1 sun shape in Black
- Large Daisy 64542 - 1 shape in Golden Yellow
- Birch Leaf 64502 - 2 or 3 in Palo Verde

Tools:

- Paper Tool Kit and Case 65800
- Craft Molding Mat 65900

Additional:

- Cardstock: Golden Yellow and Black
- Orange pigment ink (Colorbox)
- Finger Dauber (Tsukineko)
- Flower Soft® - Black
- Thread covered wire - 18 gauge
- Needle nose pliers
- Crafter's Pick Ultimate Adhesive
- Non-stick Craft Mat or Scrap Paper



Black-Eyed Susan Assembly

1. Punch one large daisy shape in Golden yellow cardstock and one Sun shape in Black cardstock.
2. Color the center of the Daisy shape and part way down the petals with the Orange pigment ink.
3. Follow Step #1 to soften the paper using the 8mm Stylus. Turn the shape over and follow Step #4 to cause the paper to curve up.
4. Center the Tweezers on each petal and squeeze paper as shown in Step #2.
5. Follow Step #1 to soften the Sun shape. Use the 6mm Stylus to curve the shape up.
6. Cut a 6-8" length of thread covered wire and create a small loop on one end using the pliers.
7. Punch a small hole in the center of the large Daisy shape using the 1/16" Punchline punch 53200. Pull the wire through the hole until the loop is sitting against the center of the shape. Place a small dot of glue under the wire to hold it to the shape.
7. Gently fold the petals of the Daisy shape back so they are almost against the wire. Glue the curved black Sun shape over the center of the Daisy shape covering the wire.
(Caution: Don't use glue on or over the Craft Molding Mat. Keep it clean and dry.)
8. Spread glue over the center of the Sun shape leaving the rays clear of glue. Dip into black Flower Soft®.
9. Place 2 or 3 Birch Leaf shapes on the Craft Molding Mat. Follow Step #1 to form the leaves. Move shapes to a harder surface and with the 1mm stylus, add thin veining details to each leaf.
10. Glue leaves around the stem to complete each Black-eyed Susan.



Steps to Prepare Paper Blossoms Shapes

Photo images for demonstration only. Shapes may not match this project. Steps needed vary per flower.

Step #1

Place a punched shape on the Craft Molding Mat. Press down with the 8mm Ball Stylus as you move it around in circular motions to soften the cardstock.



Step #2

Center the Tweezers over the narrow end of the shape. Use your fingers to squeeze the paper around the end of the tweezers.



Step #3

Hold the narrow end of the shape and use the Tweezers to grab one side of the paper as you roll it back. Repeat on the other side of the shape.



Step #4

Place shape on the Craft Molding Mat. Use the 5mm stylus at a 90° angle to press down and roll in the center to curl up the sides.



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