

## Project 2 — Mini Photo Wallet

### Materials

- 2–4 sheets of card stock
- X-acto knife
- Metal-edged ruler
- Teaspoon or burnishing tool
- Butter knife or scoring tool
- 1 laminating sheet, 8-1/2" x 11"
- Tape
- Double-sided tape
- Photos trimmed to 2" w x 2-1/2" h (vertical photos work best)
- Round corner punch (optional)

### Instructions

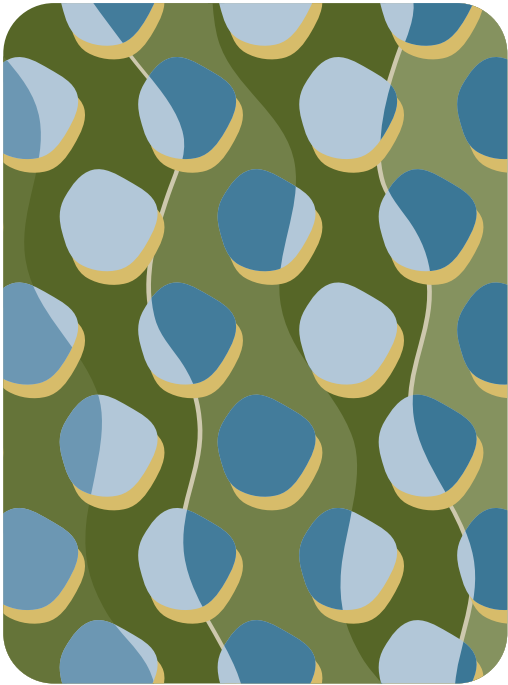
1. Choose the pattern for your mini photo wallet. (Dots pages 3 and 4, checks pages 5 and 6)
2. Arrange your photos from top to bottom. In the pdf document, (page 4 or 6 depending on the design), type photo descriptions to correspond with your photos (example: Dad's 50th birthday).
3. Print the art on card stock. Set aside to dry completely.
4. Trim two pieces of the laminating sheet to place over the covers. Each piece of laminating sheet should be about 1/4" larger than the cover on each side. One at a time, peel the backing from each sheet and place on top of the pattern. To completely seal the laminating sheet to the paper, burnish in place. To do this, rub firmly with the back of a teaspoon or burnishing tool.
5. Using the X-acto knife and ruler as a guide, cut the covers out along the edges and set aside for later. (If you are using the round corner punch, leave the corners square and punch the white area out at the very end.)
6. For easier folding, score the photo windows. To do this, lay a ruler along each set of red dotted lines and run a butter knife along the ruler, using medium pressure to create an indentation on the paper.
7. Using the X-acto knife and ruler as a guide, cut out the art from the page, leaving the photo windows in place. The patterned squares will remain on the page.
8. Fold the tab on top of window 3 so that the blue stays on the outside. Apply a piece of double-sided tape to the blue part of the tab, making sure that the tape is no larger than the tab. Attach the taped tab to the bottom of the photo window 2, carefully lining up the edges to create a long rectangle.



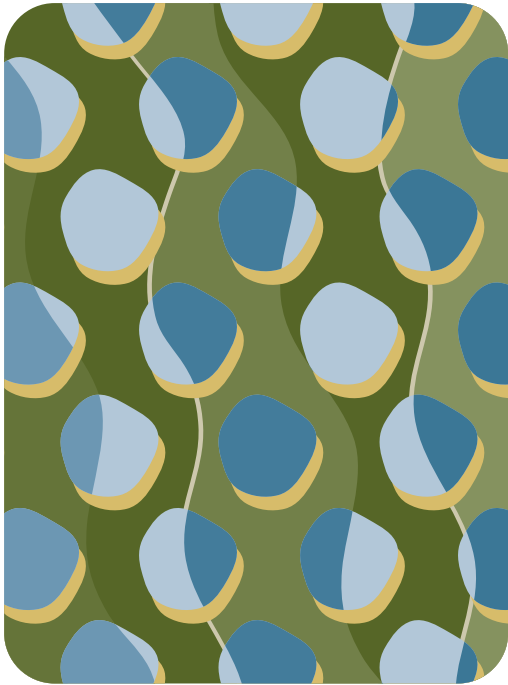


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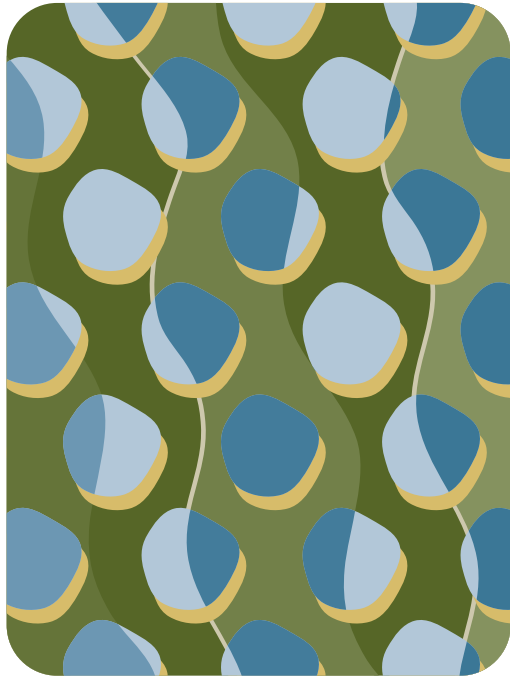
9. Fold the rectangle along the scored lines. Photo window 1 will be folded directly over photo window 2 (blue to blue), and photo window 3 will be folded directly over photo window 4 (blue to blue) to create an accordion style fold.
10. With the rectangle pulled out flat, cut out the photo windows using the X-acto knife and ruler as a guide.
11. Tape the photos in place from the back of the frame.
12. Cut out the two remaining patterned rectangles to use as backs for photos 2 and 3. If you have a corner punch, use it to round the corners.
13. Apply double-sided tape to the back of all four patterned rectangles and carefully press them into place on the back of the each photo, lining them up with the sides and tops of each photo window. (Make sure you tape the covers to the back of photo 1 and 4.)
14. Fold the mini photo wallet up completely, and round the remaining corners with an X-acto knife.



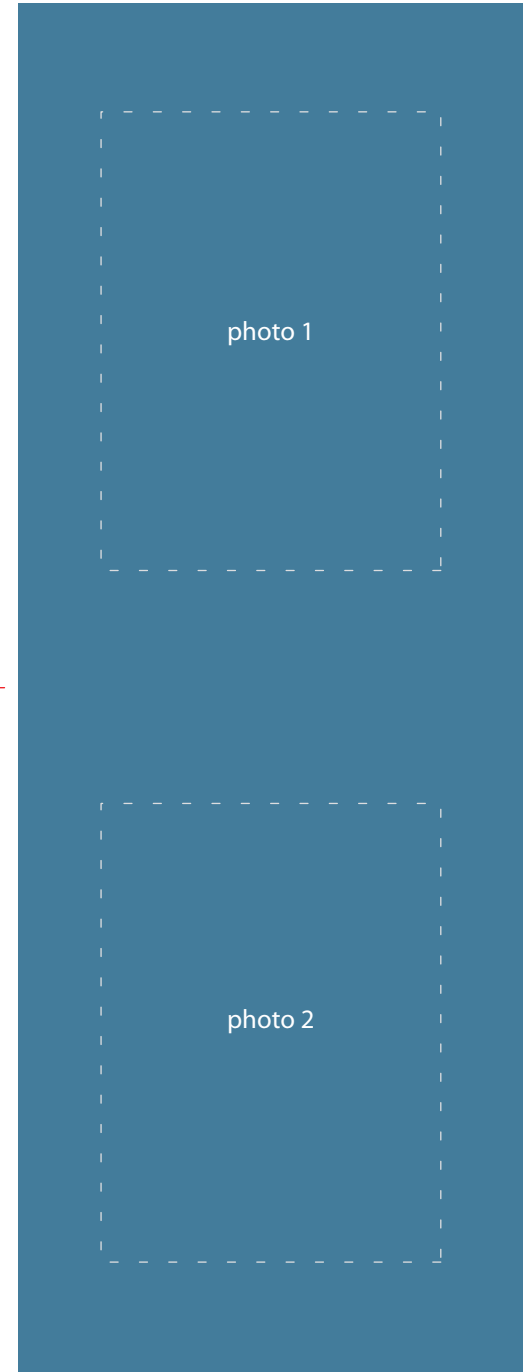
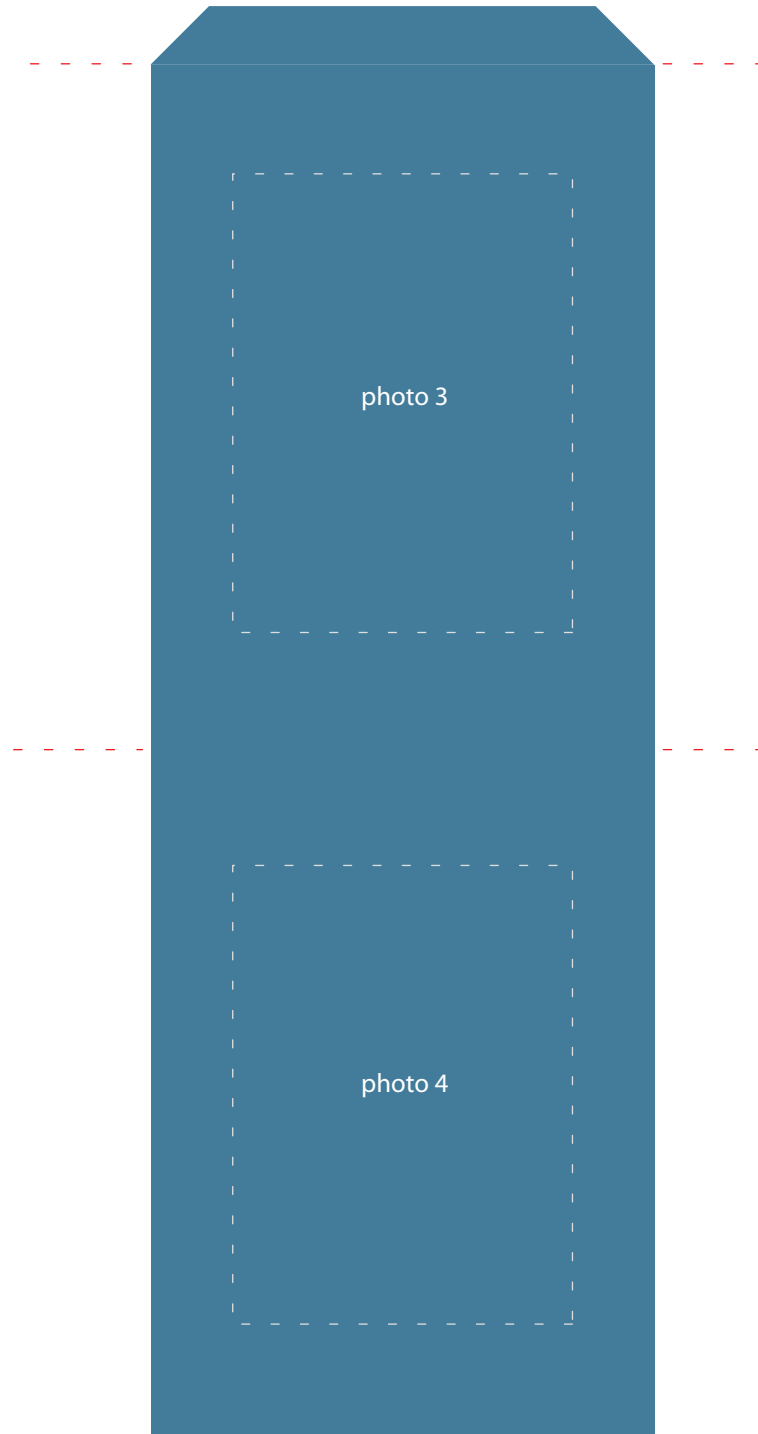
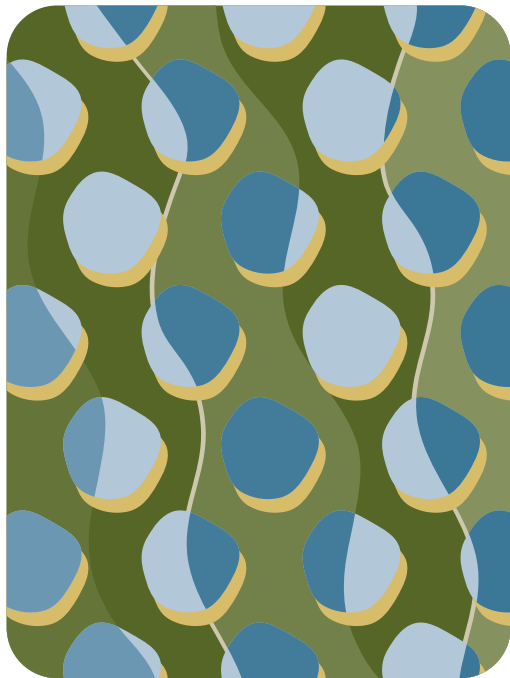
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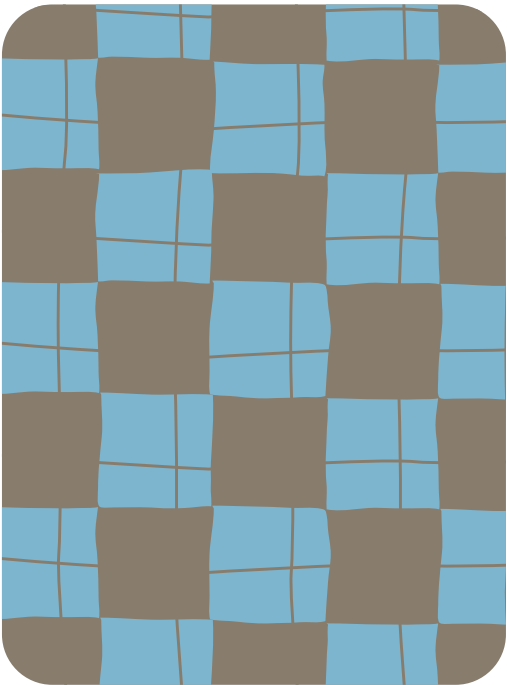


glue to back  
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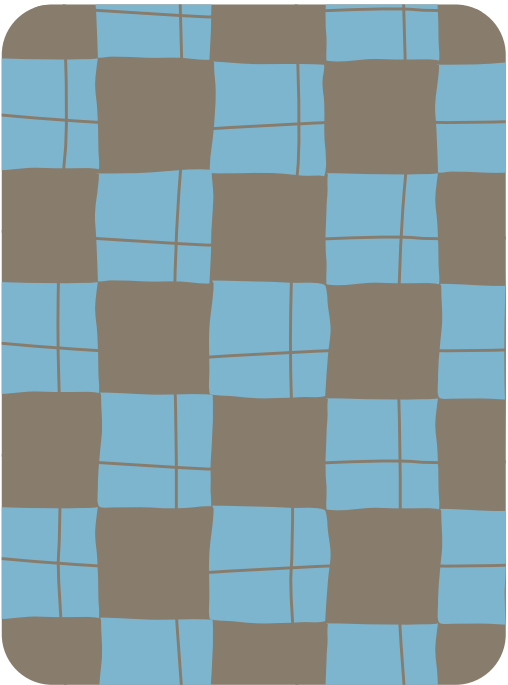


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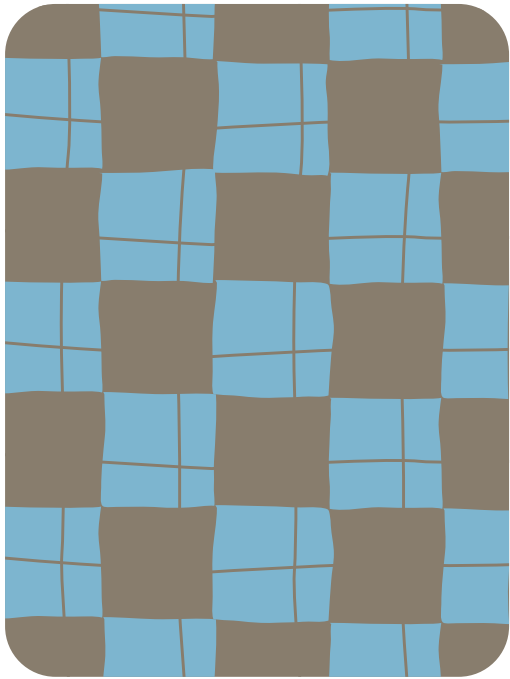




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