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Technique Tips For Paper Crafting

How To Use Zippers for Paper Crafts A Technique A Week Series Volume 1, Issue 8

How many of you have used zippers in your paper crafts? We've seen them in a variety of ways through scrapbooking. They're inexpensive and available in a variety of colors and sizes.



With the technique, we took a zipper (ours are self-adhesive ones from Junkitz) and unzipped the entire zipper. Then we started with the end that has the heavy twill tape and used that for the center of the circle and wound it around creating a "bud".

We took the "bud" and placed it in the center of a small rust colored flower and then layered it again onto a larger coordinating lighter colored flower. We then inked the edges of the lighter colored one to complete our embellishment.



I hope you enjoy this technique. It's very bulky, so we recommend that you use it on cards that you hand out or tags that are attached to gifts or paper crafting home décor projects. The Junkitz zippers are very inexpensive in our on-line store – the ones we have in stock are a variety of 12 zippers in a package in 4", 6", 8" and 12" lengths for only \$3.00!! See them here – <http://www.scrapbooksnstickers.com/Store/Products/Catalog/-306-1-17/3.html> All our zippers are also self-adhesive with red sticky tape on the backs of them. See you next week!

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