

## Cutting guide for 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 8 $\frac{1}{4}$ " Album

featuring Stamperia Timeless Collection

### Album

1 x A4 sheet cut to 11.5". Score at 2.5" and 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ "

### Inner flaps

8 x 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ " (14cm) by 8" (20.3cm) long. Score at  $\frac{1}{2}$ "

### Gatefold doors

2 x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " by 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ " . Score at  $\frac{1}{2}$ "

**Additional (optional) item:** (See video for more detail.)

Mat layer for topper/journal card of choice to hold gatefold in place

### Pockets

1 x 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " by 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ "

1 x 3" by 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ "

### Holding pieces

2 x 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ " by 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ "

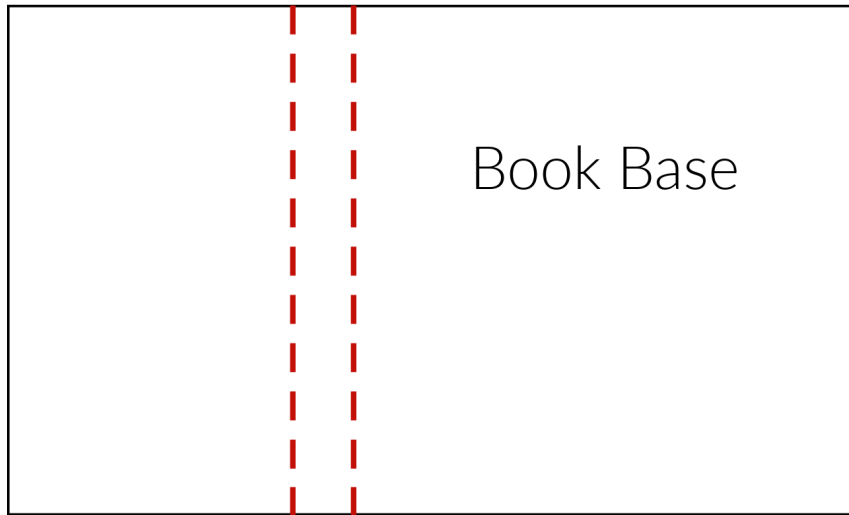
**Additional (optional) item:** (see video for more detail):

6 x 6" by 2". Score at 1" and 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ "

2 x 5 $\frac{3}{4}$ " by 1"

Mat layer to match topper/journal card of choice (x2)

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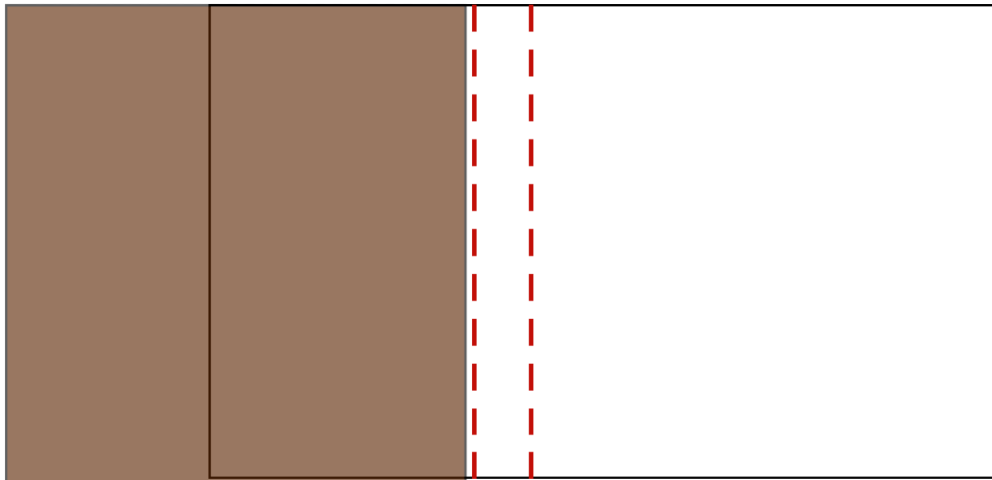


Cut down an A4 sheet to measure 11.5"

Score at 2.5" and 3 1/4"

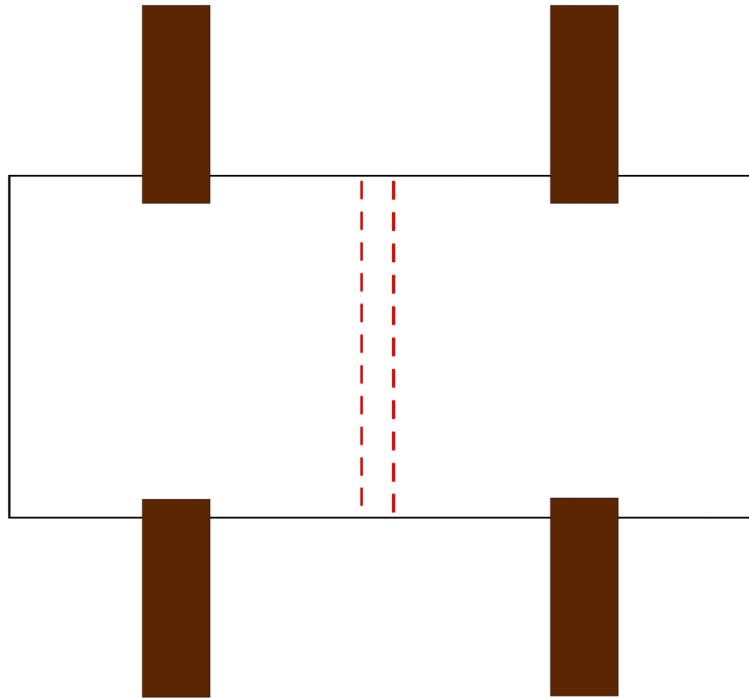
2] Cut 3 pieces of card measuring 8 1/4" x 8 1/4". These will be used to create both the base & also strength the album.

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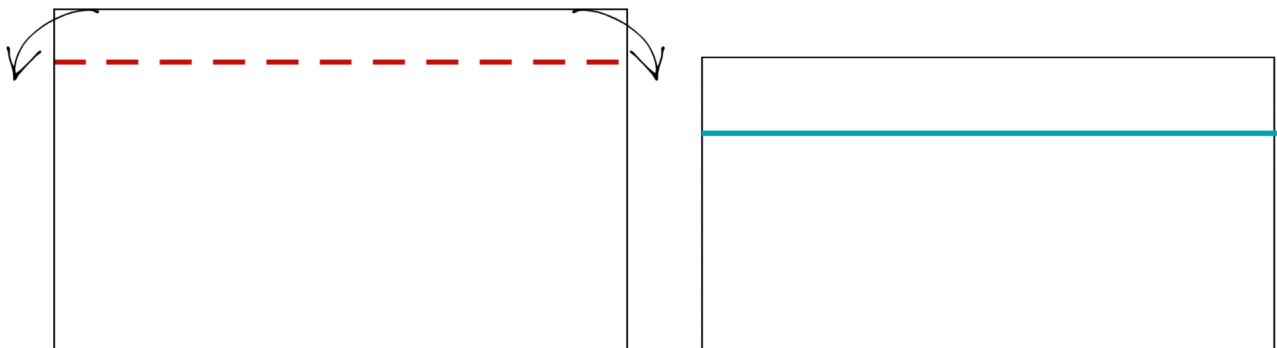


Stick one of the 8 1/4" pieces to the short flap to create your book. Glue the other two 8 1/4" pieces to the base to add strength.

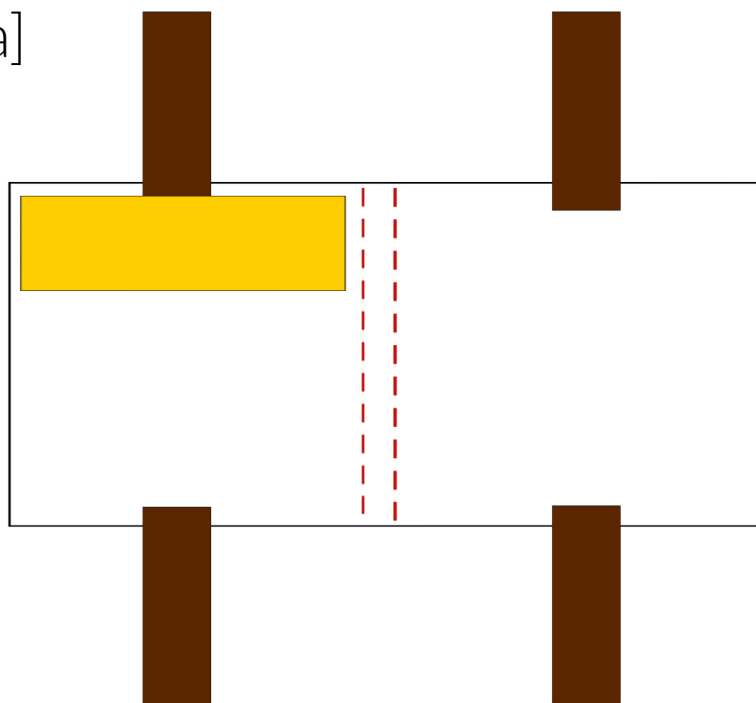
- 4] Cut 4 pieces of card measuring 6" by 2". Score at 1" & 1 1/4". These will hold flaps in place.



- 5] Cut 8 pieces of card measuring 8" x 5.5". Score at 1/2". These will be used to create your flaps. When gluing in place, the 1/2" tab will be folded underneath to help with placing other pieces.

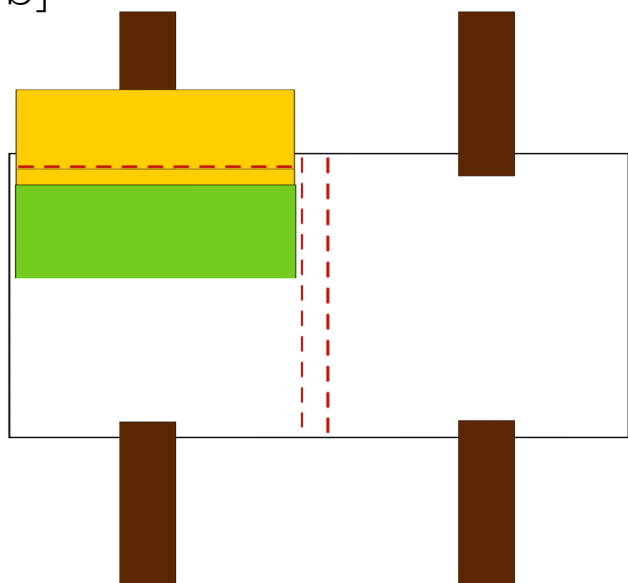


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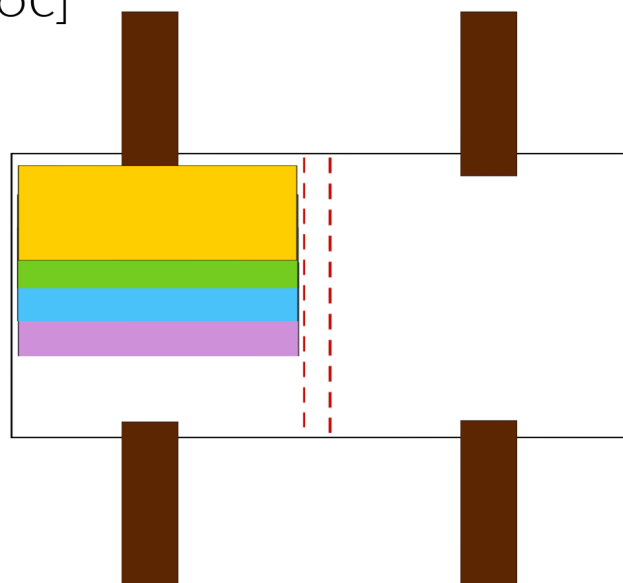


Glue flaps in place, starting from the top remembering that the tab will be tucked underneath.

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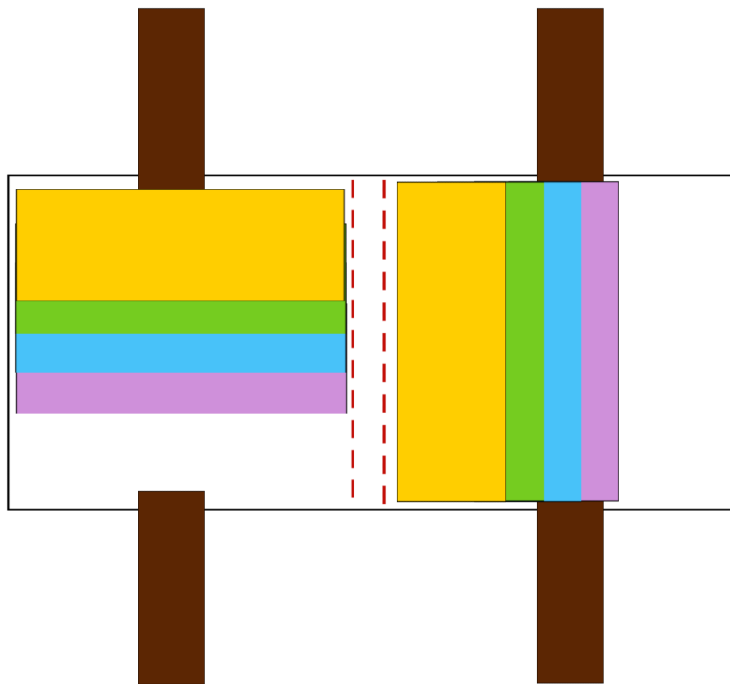


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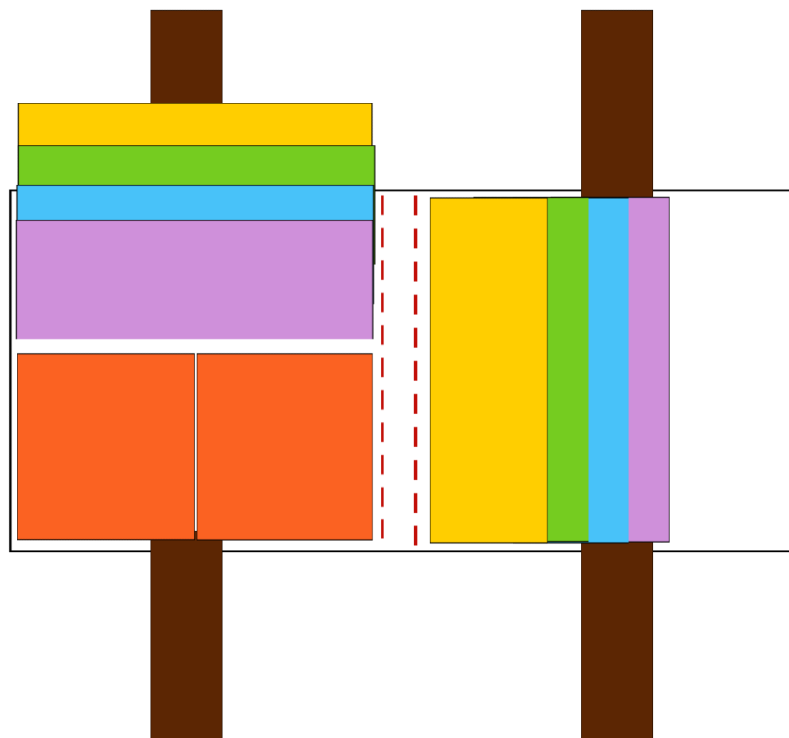


Add remaining flaps, using the glue tabs for placement.

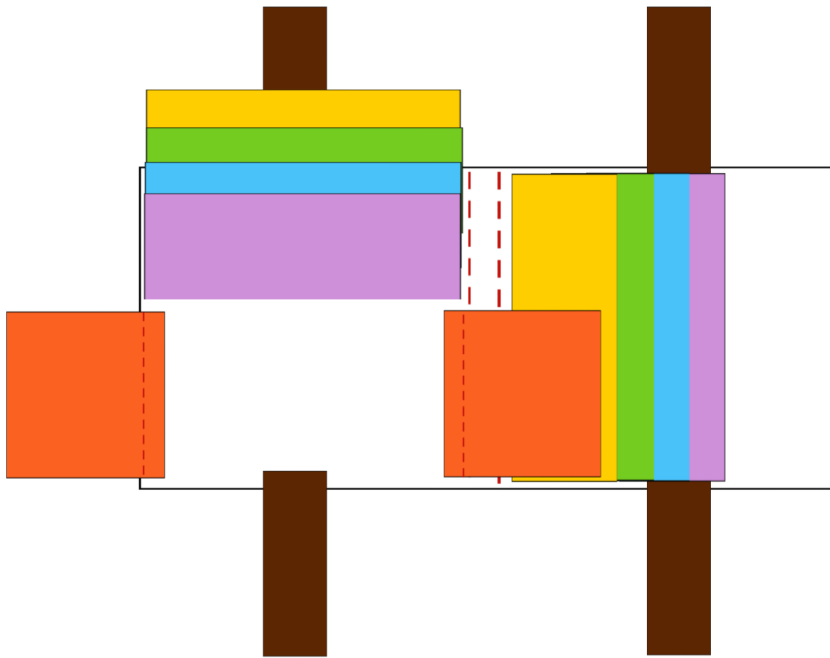
7] Repeat for opposite side. We show the flaps as vertical but could also be placed horizontally - personal preference.



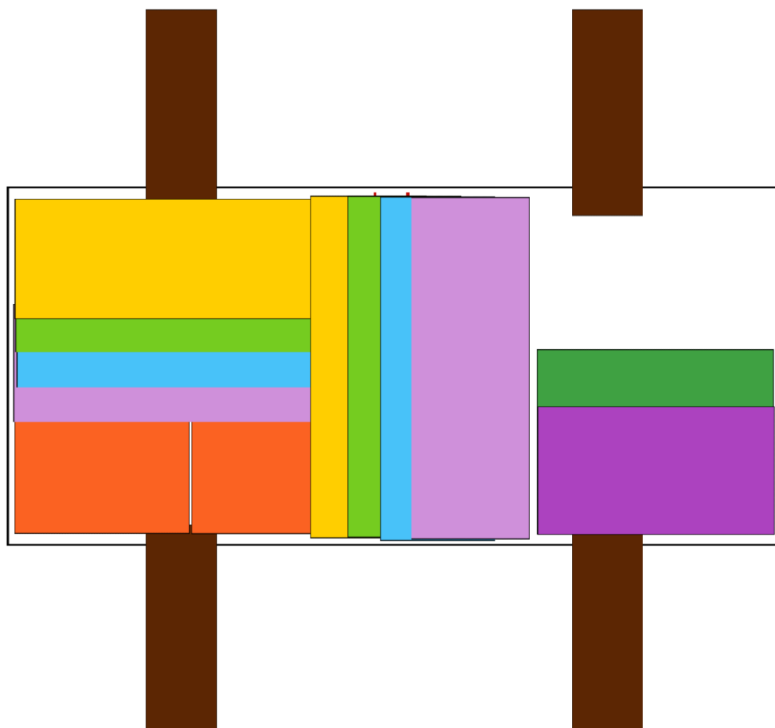
8a] Cut two pieces of card measuring 4.5" by 5 3/4". Score at 1/2". The 1/2" will be the glue tab which is tucked underneath.



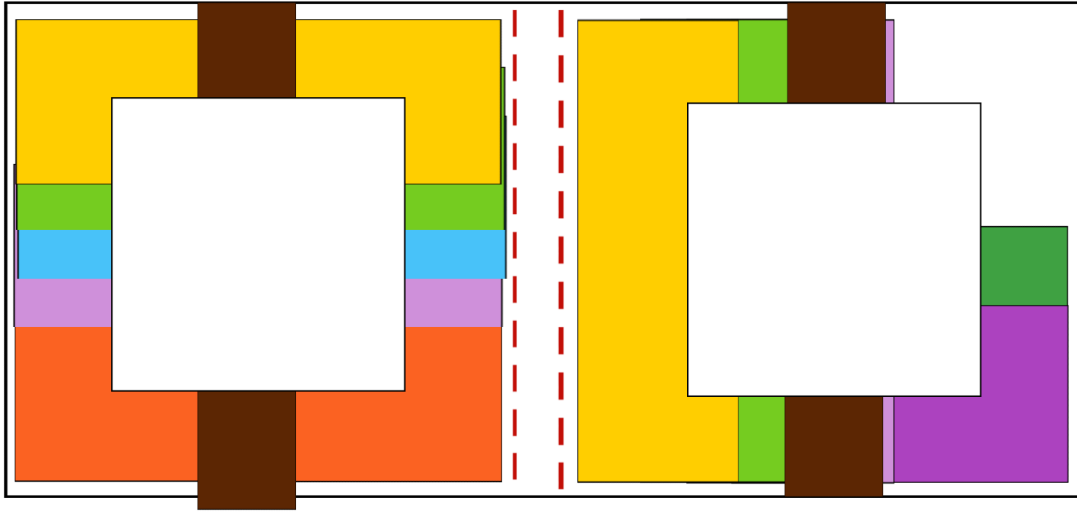
8b] Illustration to show doors open



9] Cut two pieces of card measuring 4.5" by 5 3/4" and 3" by 5 3/4". These will make the pockets. Glue around 3 edges: both sides & bottom. Layer small piece on top of larger piece.



10] Cut two pieces of card measuring  $5\frac{3}{4}$ " by  $5\frac{3}{4}$ ". Fold bottom holding strips (brown) inwards and then top strips. Next stick  $5\frac{3}{4}$ " square on top



Your basic album is now finished, ready to be decorated.

In the accompanying video, on the  $5\frac{3}{4}$ " square pieces, we create belly bands & a topper layer - this is not needed but an idea to embellish these pieces. These additional "extras" have been included in the full cutting guide.

You can also use magnets to hold the square centre panels in place.