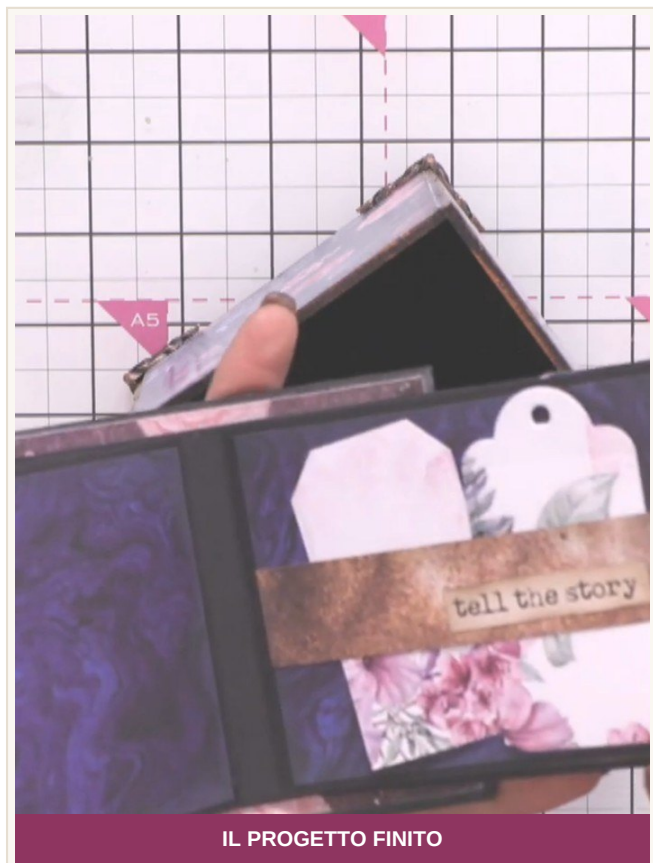


Album in a Box - Hidden Hinge Mini Album

UN PROGETTO DALLA NOSTRA DIRETTA - ALBUM IN A BOX - 7 DICEMBRE 2023



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Create a beautiful hidden hinge mini album housed in a decorative MDF box. This memory-keeping project features ten pages with built-in pockets in elegant navy blue and pink floral patterns, perfect for storing photos, tags and memorabilia. The album uses a clever hidden hinge binding system and is embellished with decorative elements and sentiment tags.

Dalla puntata: Album in a Box

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PASSO PASSO



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PASSAGGIO 1 DI 12

Assemble the MDF box by gluing the four sides to the base piece, ensuring the riveted edges align correctly. Hold each joint secure while the glue sets.

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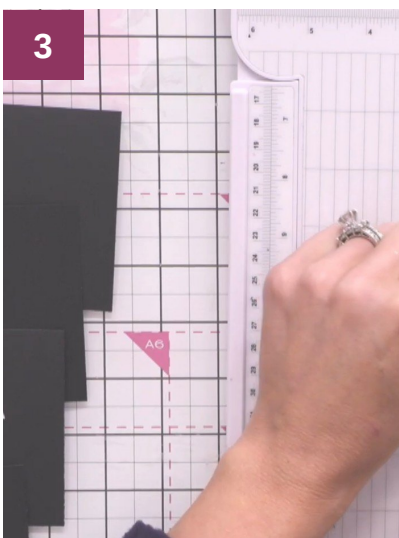


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PASSAGGIO 2 DI 12

Cut five pieces of black card stock to create the hidden hinge system with the following measurements: 13cm × 9cm, 11cm × 9cm, 9cm × 9cm, 7cm × 9cm, and 5cm × 9cm. Each piece should be 9cm in height, with widths decreasing by 2cm increments.

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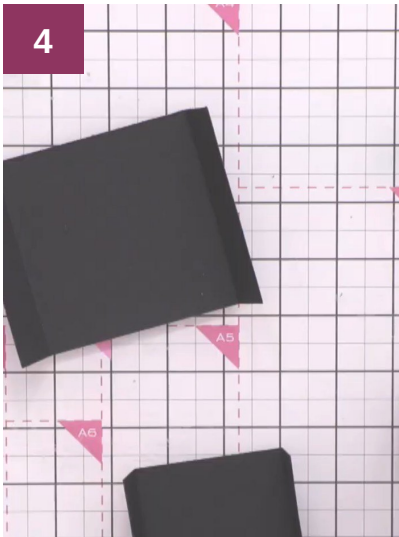


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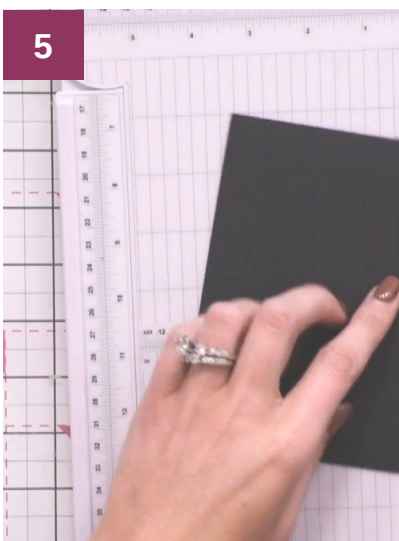
Score the 13 x 9 cm black card piece 2 cm from both the left and right edges using your scoring tool and ruler. These score lines will create the fold lines for the hinge mechanism.

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**PASSAGGIO 4 DI 12**

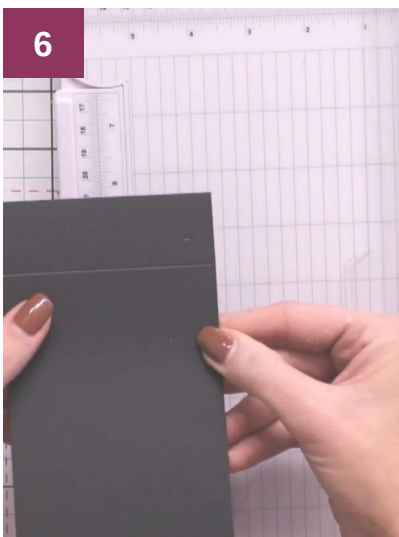
Glue the five black hinge pieces together, nesting each smaller piece inside the larger one. Centre them carefully to create the accordion-style hinge.

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**PASSAGGIO 5 DI 12**

Cut ten pieces of black cardstock measuring 9cm x 15cm. These will form the album pages that attach to the hinge flaps.

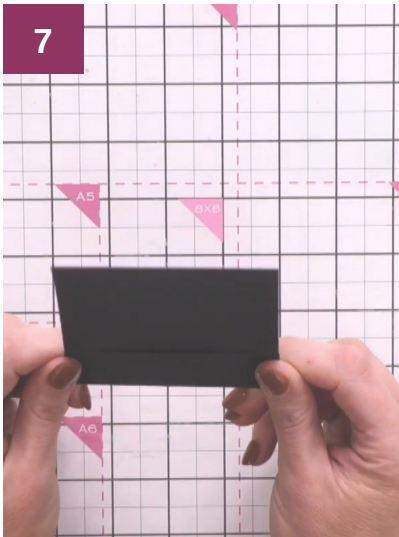
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**PASSAGGIO 6 DI 12**

Score each dark grey page 3.5cm from one end using your scoreboard. This creates a fold line that forms a built-in pocket on each page for inserting tags, vouchers or photos.

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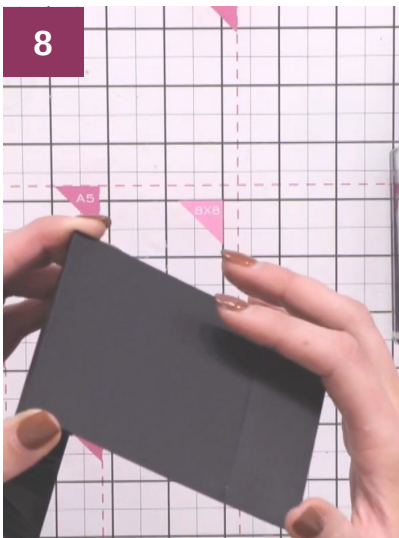


PASSAGGIO 7 DI 12

Glue the sides of the scored section to create pockets on all ten black pages. Alternatively, leave some unglued if you prefer to cover them with patterned paper instead.

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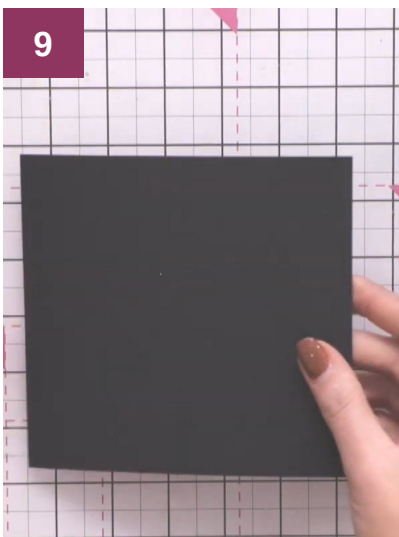


PASSAGGIO 8 DI 12

Attach each page to the hidden hinge system by applying a tiny amount of glue mill floss along the edge of the page. Position each page slightly away from the score line to allow smooth, flexible movement when opening and closing the album.

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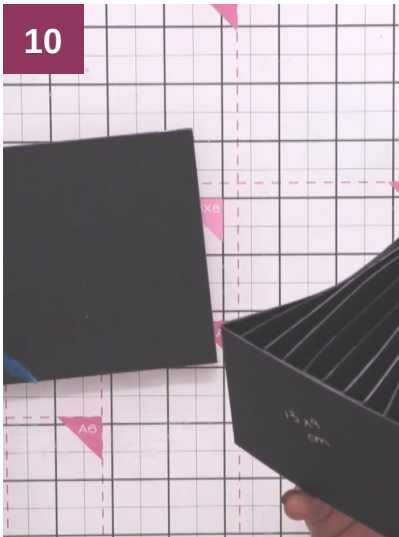


PASSAGGIO 9 DI 12

Cut a piece of black card to approximately 10.75cm x 10.75cm to fit the inside of the lid. Glue the black card in place inside the lid to hide the hinge system.

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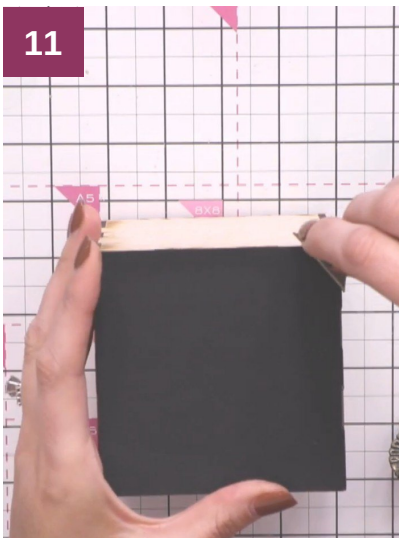


PASSAGGIO 10 DI 12

Position the completed black album inside the black box lid, ensuring it sits centrally with even gaps on all sides. Secure the album in place with strong adhesive or double-sided tape.

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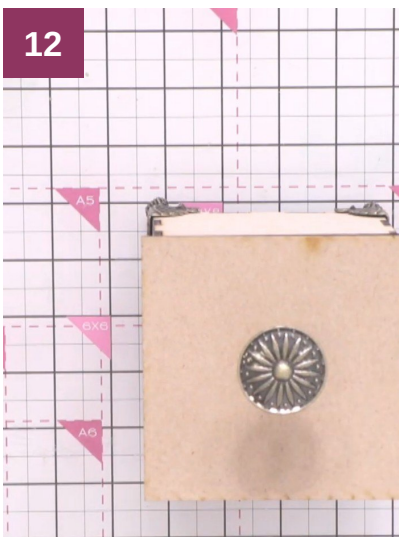


PASSAGGIO 11 DI 12

Apply glue to the flat base of each brass foot using a hot glue gun. Attach the four brass feet to the base of the box, ensuring only the flat base is glued to avoid excess adhesive showing.

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PASSAGGIO 12 DI 12

Glue the brass handle centrally to the top of the lid. Use minimal glue to prevent it from splurging out when pressed down.

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CONSIGLI DALLA PUNTATA

- Use red liner tape in addition to glue for extra durability if making this as a special gift or for sale.
- Score at 3.5cm rather than 3cm on the pages to ensure they fit properly inside the box lid without being too long.
- Build the structural system first before decorating, so your patterned paper will hide all the black hinge connectors for a seamless appearance.

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