

Recycled Heart Box



Boxes can sometimes be recycled with not much trouble. In this case, we had a glossy red heart shaped box that was in good shape other than the words printed on the lid.

Materials Needed:

- Crater Paper White, Confetti Royale Red
- Box
- PVA Glue
- Craft Knife

For this project, we chose the Crater paper because it has an interesting texture that would also work for covering up the printing in the center of the box. If you have a similar box, use the top of the box as a guide for cutting the large white heart shape. Coat the top of the box with a thin layer of PVA Glue, press the white shape into place and let dry. A smaller heart shape is cut from the Red Confetti Royale, again using the top of the box as a guide, but about ¼" smaller. Lightly coat the Crater Paper with the PVA glue where the Confetti Royale heart will be placed. Smooth the red heart into place. The Confetti Royale conforms to the texture of the underlying Crater paper, without wrinkling, for a nice effect. Optional small heart shapes were cut from the Crater paper and glued to the edges of our box.

As a topper, we made a Cherry Blossom paper flower from the Red Confetti Royale with leaves of Green Silky Lace, and added it to center. A white paint marker was lightly dabbed to the edges of the flower for more definition on the petals.