G45/365 Monthly Project - Featuring: Couture

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Graphic 45® Supplies:
1 sheet Couture (#4500813)
1 sheet Fashion (#4500814)
1 sheet Gorgeous (#4500815)
1 sheet Chic (#4500818)
1 sheet Classy (#4500820)
1 sheet Cardstock Stickers (#4500831)
1 each Metal Label Holder Staples (#4500831)
1 sheet Staples Alphabet Stickers (#4500836)
1 each Large Tag Album Staples (#4500826)

Additional Supplies & Tools:
4 (6") pieces of a variety of black, cream, red or blue ribbon, scrap of black string, craft flower, large circle punch, score board/tool, corner rounder, pop dots or 3-D foam adhesive, tape runner/double sided adhesive, quick drying liquid adhesive

Paper Cutting Guide:
-Classy, Chic and Gorgeous-
Cut each sheet into two 5"x12" and one 2"x12" pieces.

-Fashion-
Cut into two 6"x12" pieces, then cut one of the pieces into three 3½"x6" and one 1½"x6" pieces. (Each participant needs one 6"x12" piece of Fashion.)

-Couture-
Cut signature page as shown to the right. After cutting the cut out pieces from around the edges and fussy cutting the rose element, cut the remaining center piece into 2 pocket inserts measuring 3½"x6½".

Instructions:
1. Score the six 5"x12" Chic, Classy and Gorgeous papers ½" on each long side. Fold each piece in half. Cut each piece (as shown next page) to create pockets. Attach Ornate Label Holder to one of the Chic pockets (in the right bottom corner). Glue each pocket together. Punch pocket notches with large circle punch (save punches for later).
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2. Place a Staples Large Tag in each pocket. A small line of adhesive can be added to the bottom of each tag to secure in pocket.

Embellish Pocket Tags:

3. Chic pocket tag (w/ the label holder attached)- adhere two border stickers and the 11/4" scrap of Fashion to top of tag. Cut the Gorgeous 2"x12" piece into a background title piece. Using the Staples Alphabet Stickers adhere "May" (or desired title) to the Gorgeous piece, adhere to pocket. Adhere 'Stylish' sticker above label holder. Place 3-D adhesive to the back of rose and adhere to pocket. Tie ribbons or lace through tag eyelet.


5. Gorgeous pocket tag- adhere black & white border sticker to the top and bottom of pocket. Use 3-D adhesive to pop up "a girl should be..." Sticker. Create collage with word stickers. Tie ribbons or lace through tag eyelet.

6. Chic pocket tag- (image on following page) use 3 of the half circles punched from the pockets in step-1. To create a scallop border along the bottom of pocket. Adhere Gorgeous scrap piece an inch or so above scallop. Adhere "Ooh la la" border under Gorgeous piece. Adhere "Stunning" sticker tag, trim edges. Adhere flower. Tie ribbons or lace through tag eyelet.
7. **Gorgeous pocket tag** - adhere scrap of *Couture* to top of tag. Fold ‘Couture’ cut out element, adhere to pocket. Adhere two photo corners. Tie ribbon or lace through tag eyelet.

8. **Classy pocket tag** - adhere black & white border cut out to the top of tag. Adhere black & white border sticker to the bottom of the pocket. Adhere desired title along the left side using Staples Alphabet Stickers. Adhere “in order to be...” and ”Ooh la la” stickers opposite of title. Thread ribbon and thread through sticker buttons, adhere buttons using 3-D adhesive. Tie ribbon or lace through tag eyelet.

Create Pocket Inserts:

9. Fold *Chic* and *Classy* 2”x12” pieces in half. Round top corner edges. Adhere stickers, back to back on the top edge. Place inside *Chic* cover pocket. Use the two 3 1/8”x6 1/2” *Couture* pieces and the three 3 1/8”x6” *Fashion* pieces for pocket inserts. Round top edge corners. Adhere matching stickers back to back on the top of each, creating a tab. Tuck into pockets.

10. Bind pocket/tags together with binding ring.