



## **Alter This! Altered Book Techniques Supply List**

### **For this class you absolutely must have:**

#### **Books:**

Your choice of book depends on what type of book you are planning on making. We will go through this in depth during the first week of class. Your choices include: Hard Covered with a sewn spine, Children's Board Books, Shaped Books, Small gift books. Please gather one or more.

#### **Glues/Adhesives:**

YES! Paste is my favorite to adhere book pages together. You will need an old credit card or old hotel key card to spread it on the pages. Some book artist will use a glue stick and I have tried it in my books, but YES! is still my favorite. You will need other adhesives to adhere items to your pages. Those suggestions can be found below.

#### **Cutting Tools:**

Scissors, Craft Knife

#### **Tools:**

Brayer, Binder clips, Clothes Pins, Wax Paper, Self-Healing Craft Mat, Metal Ruler

### **Suggested Materials:**

The other materials suggested here are for the art you plan on creating for your pages. I don't advise that you go out and purchase much on this list. Use what you have at home already. If we cover a topic and you really want to try a new item, then go buy it. Some of these items I have used in my book, other items I only suggest for you in case you want to use them.

#### **Glues/Adhesives:**

Tacky Glue, Gel Medium, Glue Stick, Decoupage Medium, Double Stick Tape, Glue Dots, Pop-Dots, E-6000, Diamond Glaze

#### **Tools:**

Hand Punches (2" or larger for windows), Paint Brushes, Embossing Gun, Eyelets, Brads, Sandpaper, Bone Folder or Scoring Tool, Crop-A-Dile or Eyelet Setting Tools, Paper Towels, Large Rubber Bands, Decorative Scissors, Sand Paper, Stapler, Staples, Paper Trimmer, Markers, Journaling Pens, Bubble Wrap, Cardboard(small piece)

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**Inks/Paints/Pens/Pencils:**

Ink Pads, Re-Inkers, Acrylic Paints, Spray Paints, Glazes, Watercolors, Color Pencils, Embossing Powder, Gesso, Spray Walnut Ink, Glimmer Mist

**Stamps:**

Rubber, Foam, Clear

**Paper:**

Decorative Papers, Card Stock, Vellum, Handmade Paper, Wrapping Paper, Gift Tissue Paper, Magazine clippings, Sheet Music, Recycled Papers, Old Maps

**Ephemera/Embellishments:**

This list can include anything you want to add to your pages. In the classroom I will have a huge list for you. Transparencies, Photo Corners, Shipping Tags, Buttons, Beads, Charms, Clip Art, Photos, Doilies, Ribbons, Die Cuts, Tags, Envelopes, Fabric, Keys, Old Jewelry, Puzzle Pieces, Lace, Mica, Envelopes, Ribbon, Small Match Boxes, Brads, Coin Envelopes

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