

Tombow

Sweet
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TOMBOW:

Xtreme Adhesive Runner
Power Tabs
MONO Drawing Pencil

Paper from:

October Afternoon, Midway collection
(Triangle: 3.5 inches wide)
American Craft Neapolitan collection
(12 x 12)

Embellishments from:

Buttons: Fancy Pants
Ribbon: May Arts
Twine: the Twinery
Little Hearts: PinkFresh Studio
Letters: American Craft (1 inch)
Metal Charm: Epiphany Crafts
Monarch Butterfly Punch: Martha Stewart

I always start my layouts with the photos and then try to find papers that match them. I also look for embellishments from similar collections and colors, or even some that are just fun to use.



First, glue the paper triangle from October Afternoon on the top left corner of the 12 x 12 Paper from American Craft.

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Then, stitch a 5 inch circle on the 12 x 12 paper. I used a Bazzill Basics Stitching template and twine from Twinery.

Use a piece of Washi Tape to hold the stitching template in place.

Stitching on layouts looks great but it can be a little tedious time consuming. If you plan to do a quick layout you might consider doing the circle with just a marker or a die cut.



Tip: To avoid stitching in places that you can't see, I place the photo on top and I draw lines behind the photos using a MONO Drawing Pencil.



I like to do little splatters of mist on my layout just to give it a little extra shimmer.

The next step is to glue the photo using the NEW Tombow Xtreme Adhesive.



Make a tiny bow with the NEW Tombow Xtreme Adhesive and May Arts Ribbon. First, cut 3 inches of ribbon for the fold it over. In the middle, wrap 1.5 inches of ribbons to create your bow. It was adhered by using Tombow Power Adhesive Tabs.

Next, glue the bigger embellishments, for example the Monarch butterfly punch, Buttons, Pink Hearts and Epiphany Crafts Metal Charm, using the New Xtreme Adhesive.

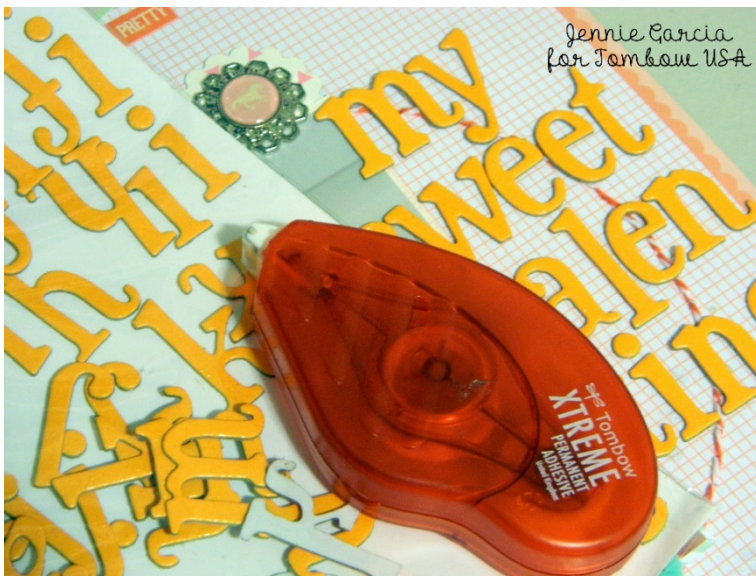
I removed the dimensional adhesive that they already had and instead I used the NEW Tombow Xtreme Adhesive. It also worked for the Monarch butterfly I punched using vellum and the Metal Charm from Epiphany Crafts.



Before gluing the tiny embellishments, like the enamel dots, stickers, sequins, create the title. This way you can make sure the smaller embellishments work well around your title.

I used 1 inch letters from American Craft to spell out "My Sweet Valentine."

Adhere your title using the Xtreme adhesive.



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Once the title is created and glued on the page, glue the smaller embellishments around it using the New Xtreme Adhesive. This adhesive works great on embellishments of all sizes.



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I also stamped a little to add a few personal touches.



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Finish off your layout by adding super tiny alpha stickers for journaling!