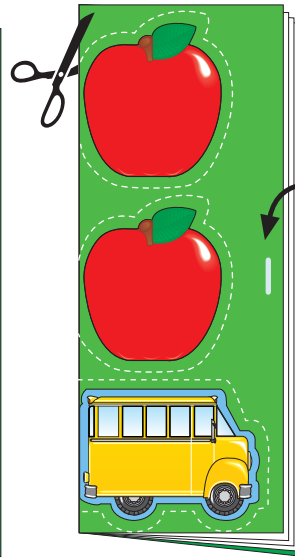
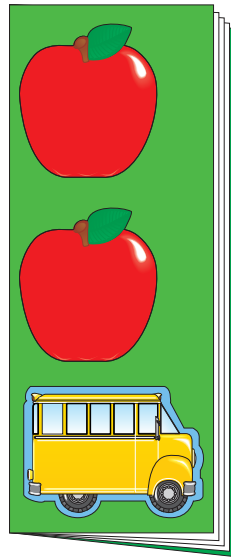
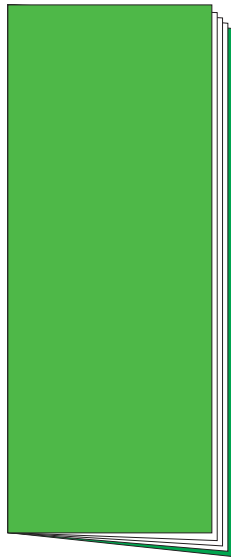
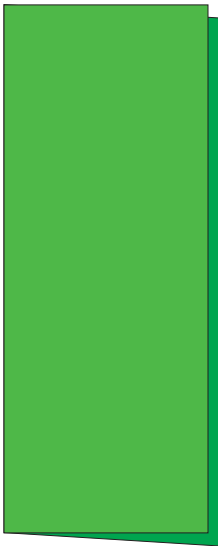


# How To Make Itty-Bitty Books... with Mini Notepads

by Susan DeMuth



1. Fold cover lengthwise.
2. Add filler pages.
3. Glue on mini\* notepad sheets.
4. Bubble Cut and don't cut off the fold!



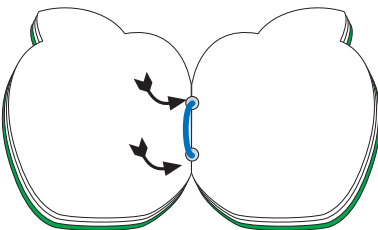
**Helpful Hint:**

Keep the pages from shifting during the cutting process by placing a staple on the outer corner.

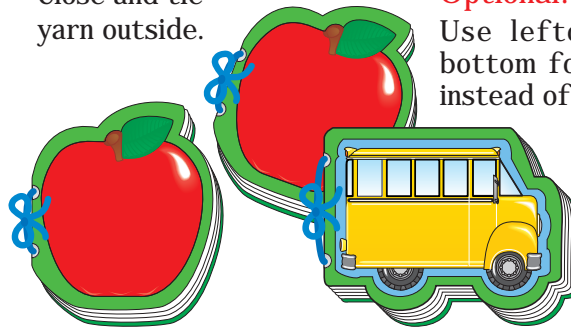
**Helpful Hint:**

Two mini notepad sheets will fit on each 4 1/2" x 11" rectangle. Usually, there is extra room for a thin design like a bus as shown. The extra space at the bottom can also be used for a small blank book.

5. Punch and add yarn inside.

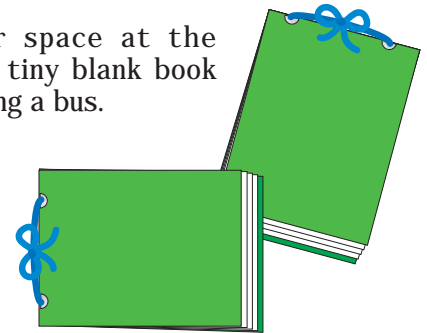


6. Close and tie yarn outside.



**Optional:**

Use leftover space at the bottom for a tiny blank book instead of using a bus.

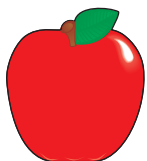


**Directions:**

Fold a piece of 8 1/2" x 11" colored copier paper in half lengthwise as shown. Add mini notepads of your choice on the front cover with a glue stick. Place notepad sheets 1/4" from the fold edge. Fold several pieces of filler paper in half, crease well, and place inside the cover. Hold the book closed and "bubble cut" 1/2" around three sides as shown. DO NOT CUT OFF THE FOLD. Open the book flat and punch holes on the center fold using a 1/4" hole punch. Punch through all the layers at once. Books with a lot of pages may need to be done in sections. Tie with 10" piece of yarn and trim. Ready, set, write... Great for "My Itty Bitty Book About Apples" or tiny book of vocabulary words, spelling words etc. The possibilities are endless!

**Materials:**

White copier paper for filler pages, colored paper for cover, scissors, hole punch, glue stick, yarn, and your imagination! Choose mini notepads to fit your theme.



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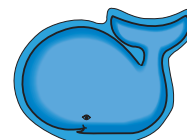
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