

UKS - Murder Mystery Cybercrop

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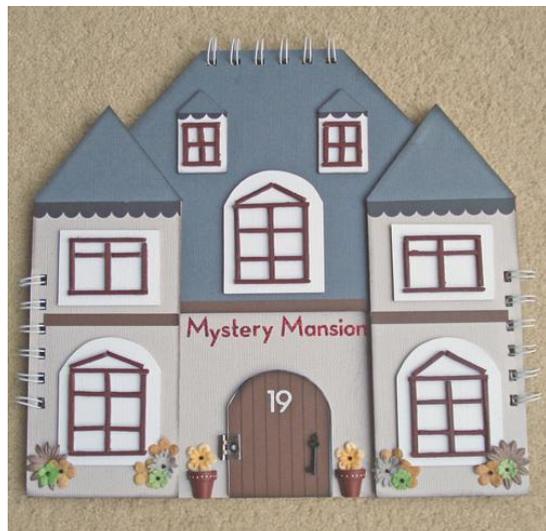
Mystery Mansion



Class Supply Listing:

- Craft knife and basic tools
- 1 Empty 12x12 pizza box, in good condition
- 1 piece of thin raw chipboard.
- 1 box of matches – small size (minus head)
- 1 Sheet of Dark Brown Cardstock*
- 3 Sheets of light brown Cardstock*
- 2 Sheets of light grey Cardstock*
- 1 Sheet of Dark grey Cardstock*
- 1 Sheet of Black Cardstock*
- 1 sheet of White Cardstock*
- BIA wires or book rings
- Brown Acrylic paint
- Lettering to include exclamation mark.
- Flowers – either bought or handmade – small size

Cardstock must be 12 x 12



Class Instructions:

Step 1 Please use the template provided to draw out the Mystery Mansion onto paper. I used 2 sheets of A4 paper Cello-taped together but it will fit onto 12 x 12 card stock. (See template Drawing)

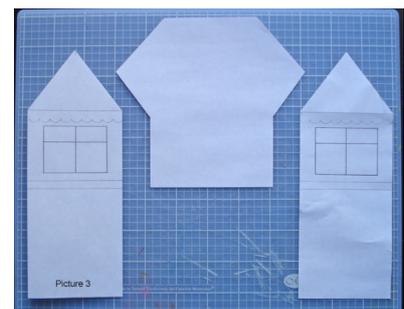
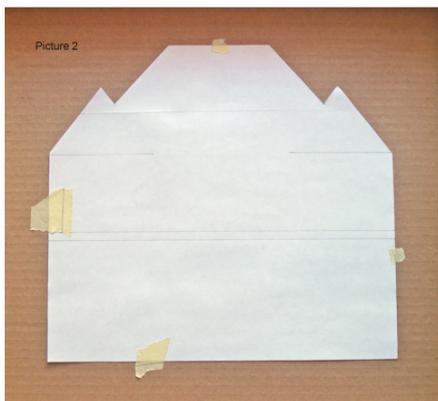
Step 2 Carefully using a craft knife or scissors cut out the template you have just drawn.

Step 3 Take your pizza box, and using the base of the box, adhere your template to the box. I used masking tape, therefore allowing me to remove later without tearing, as you still need. (See pic 2)

Step 4 Now cut around the template.

Step 5 You may need to sand down the edges to get a straight line.

Step 6 Take the paper template and cut out both columns including the roof (see pic 3).



Step 7 Take each column and adhere them to the pizza box, as you now need to carefully cut around these (see pic 4)

Step 8 So you should now have a basic Mansion template and 2 columns.

Step 9 Finally from the paper template cut out the roof area. (See pic 3)

Step 10 Adhere this to the pizza box and cut this out.(See pic 4)

Step 11 You should now have 4 pieces cut from the pizza box. Sand all the edges down and make sure they all fit nicely together – I did have to make some very minor adjustments. (See pic 5)

Step 12 It's now time to cover the mansion.

Step 13 Take your gray cardstock and cover all roof areas.

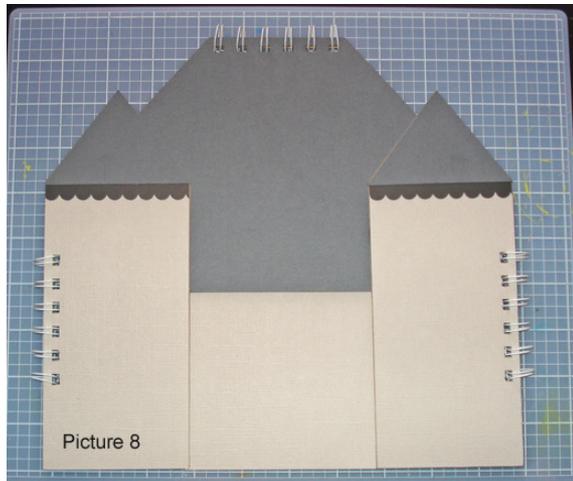
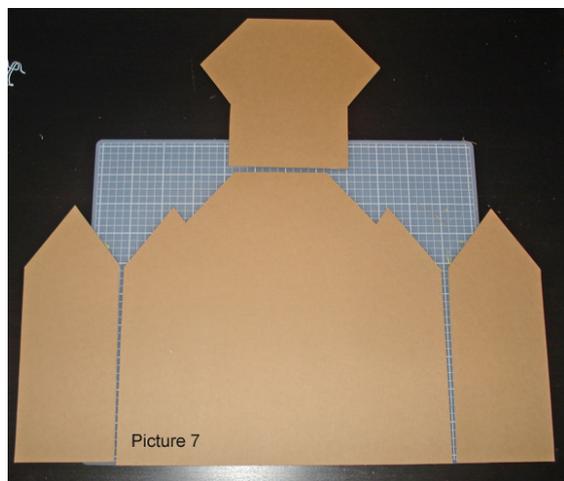
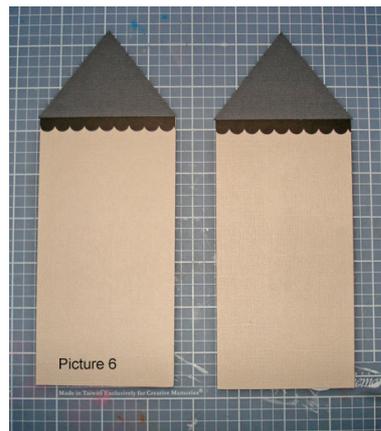
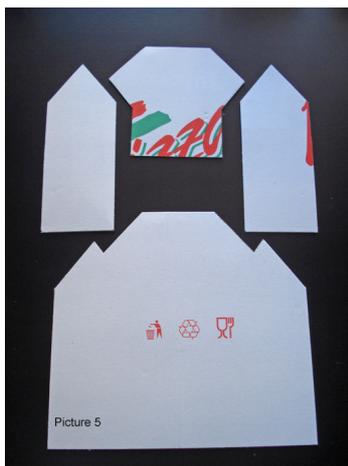
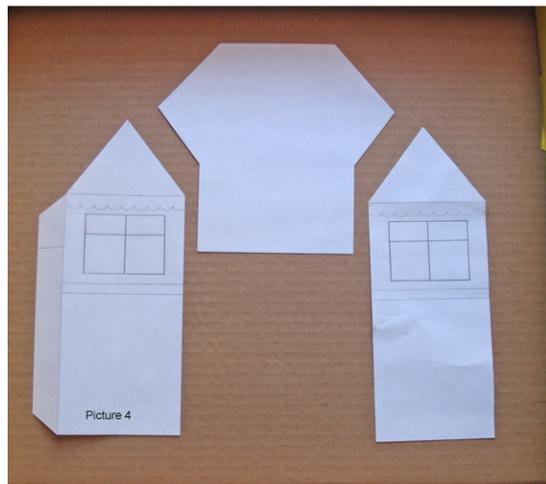
Step 14 Take your light Gray cardstock and cover the front of the house – the 2 columns and the square area where the front door will sit.

Step 15 Take the black cardstock and measure out two scallop strips of paper to line the top of the roof columns – glue into place. (See Pic 6)

Step 16 You also need to cover the back of the house in your Light Grey cardstock.

Step 17 Using your light brown cardstock cover the inside entirely (apart from front door area square). (See pic 7)

Step 18 You should now have all pieces covered in cardstock ready to bind together either using your BIA or book rings. (You may also wish to leave this until last, but please do remember this when embellishing the project later on). (See pic 8)



Step 19 Now you need to take a box of matches, to paint them in the brown acrylic paint. Make sure you remove all heads before doing this. Paint all contents of the box and leave to dry. Also paint the 1 flowerpot.

Step 20 Now taking your paper template – you need to cut out the windows and door. (The 2 tiny windows that sit in the roof area – make sure to cut the roof area as well as the window as a whole)

Step 21 Take your piece of chipboard and adhere the paper templates of the windows and doors.

Step 22 You now need to carefully cut out all the pieces from the chipboard. Sand down any edges to get a smooth finish.

Step 23 Cover all windows and the inside of the front door in your white cardstock.

Step 24 Taking your dark brown cardstock cut 2, 0.25 inch strips.

Step 25 Along the edge of the light gray door area, you need to stick down the brown strips to separate the different areas. So you should have 6 areas on the main house with 2 on either column. (See pic 9)

Step 26 On the top inside middle area this is where you need to spell “who dunnit?” using your black lettering.

Step 27 Taking your 2 smaller portrait photo's – these will go either side at the top of the main house. These will need a small piece cut away on 1 side to fit. Adhere these to the book.

Step 28 Taking the larger 2-portrait photo's adhere these to the bottom 2 sections of the book.

Step 29 You are now going to embellish the inside of the 2 columns. (see pic 10)

Step 30 With your journal stamp – stamp in each square (4 times).

Step 31 Using your dark gray cardstock, make some arrows, brackets or both to fit into each square. I personally choose 4 different styles.

Step 32 Taking your ticket stumps, you need to write using the black on white 'Making Memories' tiny alphas, the names of the people in the photos.

Step 33 Taking your stamps (boy/girl) - stamp according to the number of sexes in the photo's, (therefore I stamped 3 Male and 1 female). (See pic 10)

Step 34 Label your stamped images as suspect 1,2,3,4 in white pen.

Step 35 Now I choose to call my suspects after the Cluedo characters.

The Characters are:

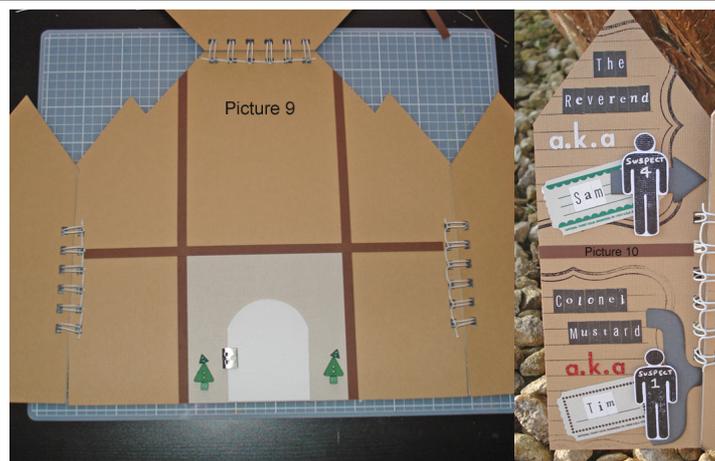
- Dr Black
- Colonel Mustard
- Miss Scarlet
- Professor Plum
- Mrs. Peacock
- The Reverend
- Mrs. White.

Step 36 Once you have decided upon character names – you need your white on black 'Making Memories' tiny alphas.

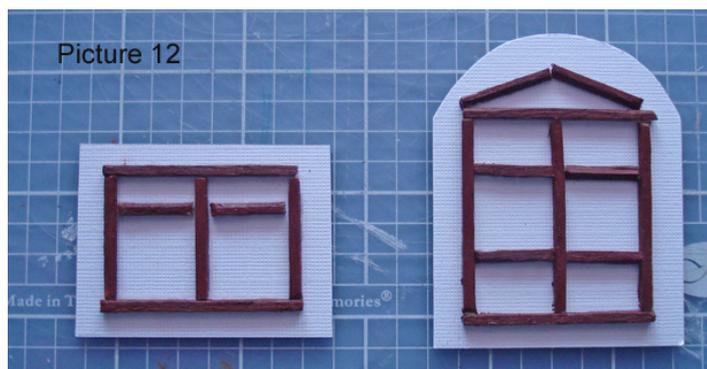
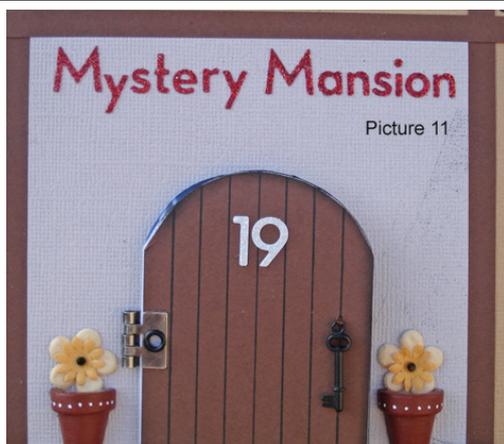
Step 37 Now label up each area with your chosen name, on the stamped journal spot.

Step 38 You now need to stick down your ticket stump, chosen bracket/arrow, and your stamped male/female image to each area to represent the photo. (See pic 10)

Step 39 Leave enough space to be able to write in each area “a.k.a” using the 'Making Memories' shimmer letters in both red and white. (See pic 10)



- Step 40** Next you need to take the red Making Memories shimmer letters to spell out across the top of the doorway 'Mystery Mansion'. (See pic 11)
- Step 41** Doodle around each of the 4 photos to finish off the inside of the mansion.
- Step 42** To make the front of the door you now need to cover in your dark brown cardstock.
- Step 43** Then taking your black pen you need to draw horizontal lines at 0.25-inch gaps across the width of the door. (See pic 11)
- Step 44** Number your door using the White Making Memories shimmer numbers. I choose my own front door number.
- Step 45** Using a hinge, I glued this both to the door, and then to the house, at center of the light gray area.
- Step 46** I used a Tim Holtz tiny metal key as an opening for the door, but a piece of ribbon or brad will work just as well.
- Step 47** Now back to the windows – you now need to start applying those matches.
- Step 48** Making sure they are fully dry you need to start cutting these down to size to make the window frames – sorry this does take some time. (See pic 12)
- Step 49** You should have 3 archway windows, 2 standard windows and 2 roof windows to do.
- Step 50** You may find that some of the paint does chip – I glued down all the matches first and applied a second covering of paint in places that needed it.
- Step 51** Taking the spare brown strip of papers that measured 0.25 inch – you need to use these as a divide on the front of the house.
- Step 52** Cover the bottom of the roof, and at the halfway point on each column.
- Step 53** Glue down all windows to the front of the house.
- Step 54** Taking your small flowers – decorate the sides of the bottom windows and add a little gem to a few flowers.
- Step 55** Take your tiny flowerpot and cut this in half.
- Step 56** Adhere to either side of the front door and decorate in white pen.
- Step 57** Glue a flower above the pot (to the surface of the book) to look like pots of flowers, then adhere a gem.
- Step 58** Taking your black inking pad - ink along the outside of the book to give some depth, and to the front door.
- Step 59** Now you need to print off a photo – either a forensic photo from the web – just google forensic body, or you could use a picture of yourself, or a family member.
- Step 60** Once decided, this photo needs to be stuck down behind the front door



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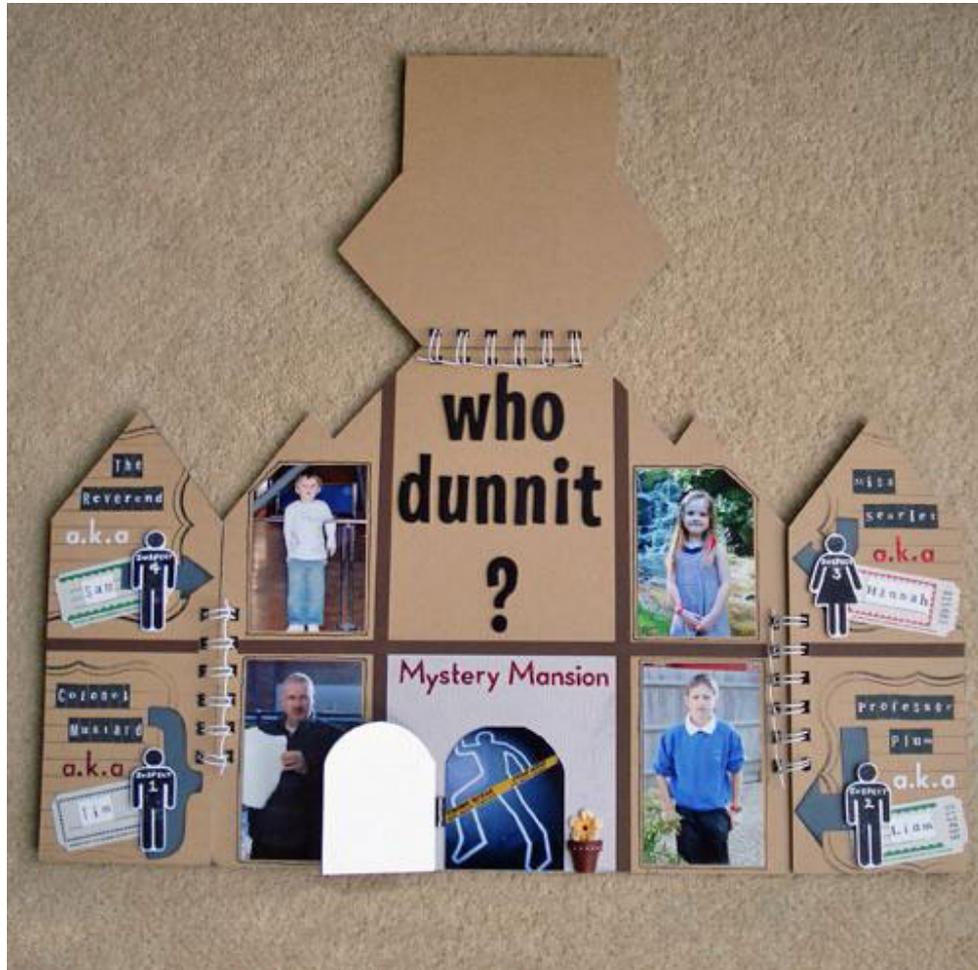
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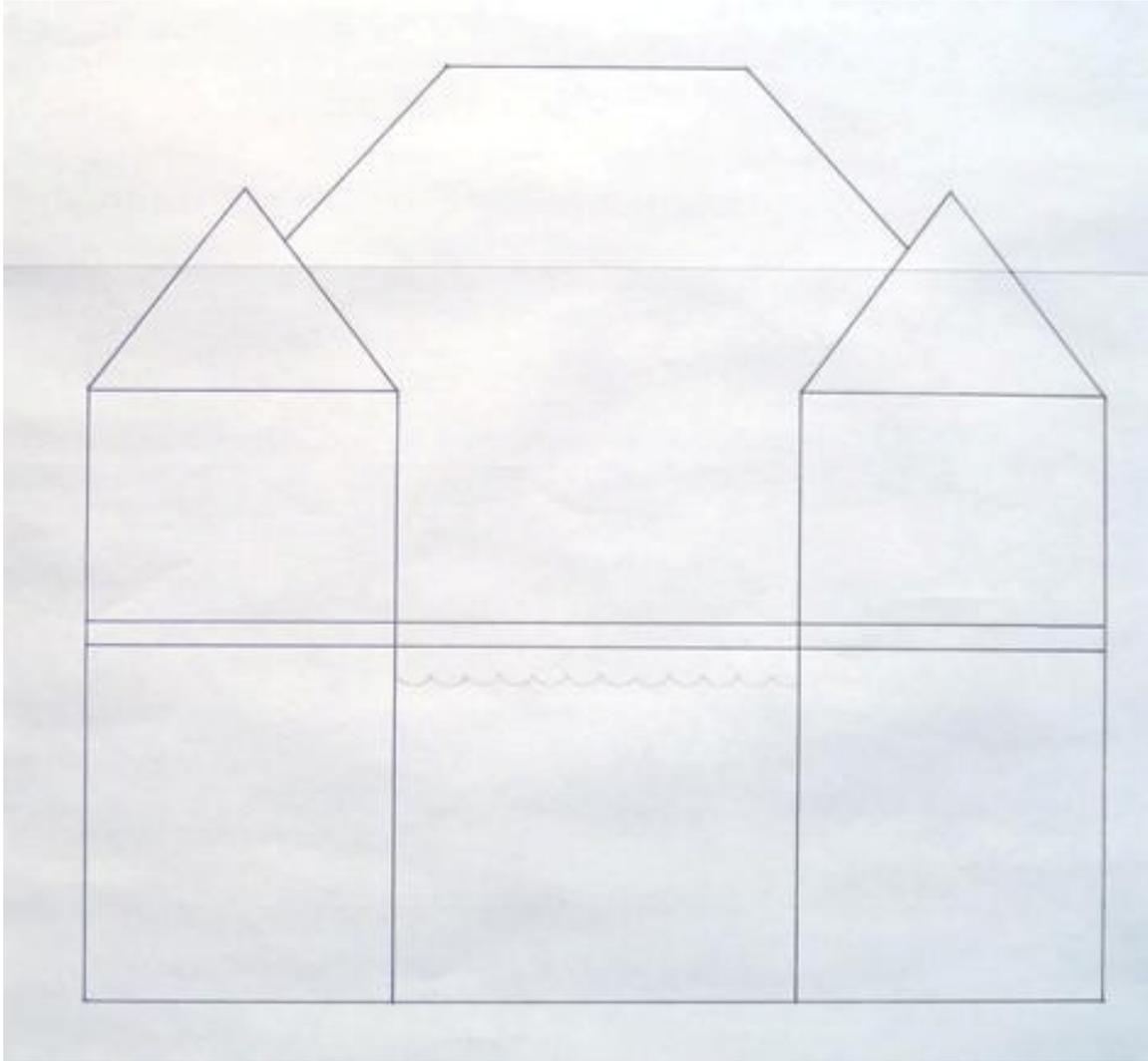
--Attending first retreat in March this year in N. Ireland

-- Visits Ally Pally annually

--Lived in two overseas locations







Mystery Mansion Template & Dimensions

