

Materials You Will Need:

CE 'Henna Mandala' Singles rubber stamp

Clear embossing ink (e.g. Ranger Clear Perfect Medium)

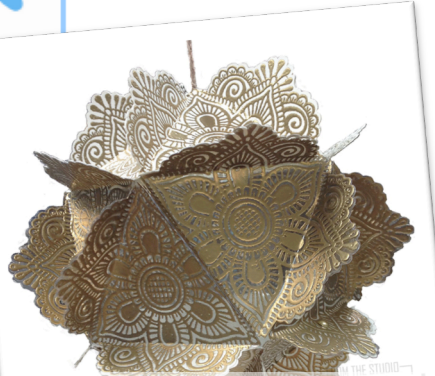
Cosmic Shimmer Embossing Powder: Bright Gold Metallic

Sticky Thumb D/S Permanent Adhesive

Tim Holtz Ideaology Long Fasteners

Foundations Card: Milk

Cosmic Shimmer Specialist Acrylic Glue



This worksheet shows how to make a brass filigree-effect hanging lantern using the Creative Expressions Singles 'Henna Mandala' stamp.



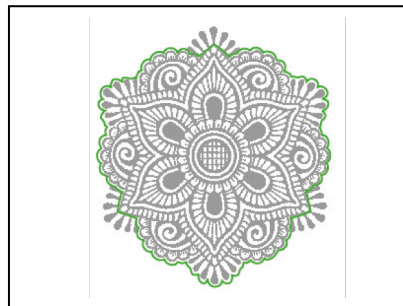
Using the clear embossing ink, ink up your stamp and print it onto the Milk card stock.



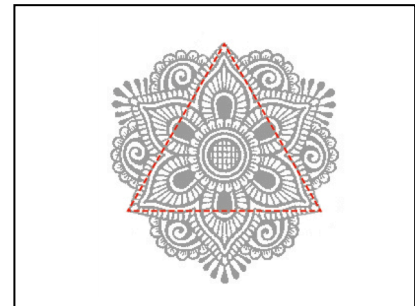
Cover the printed image with the embossing powder, and then pour off the excess onto a clean sheet of paper, tapping gently.



Heat set the embossing powder using a heat tool – the powder will melt and form shiny raised lines. Make ten images.



Cut out each mandala using the green line above as the cutting guide.



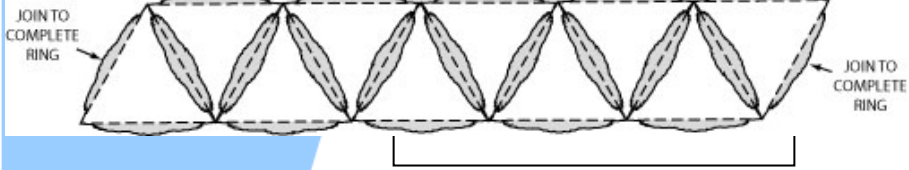
From the reverse, using a fine embossing tool and a ruler to score the triangle marked above on each of the pieces.



Glue five of the pieces together to make a dome using the Cosmic Shimmer Acrylic Glue. You may find it helpful to clamp the pieces together until completely dry.



Repeat the steps to make another ten pieces, this time using the heat proof acetate. Stick together in a line using Sticky Thumb adhesive roller.



Join the two ends to create a ring of acetate mandalas.



Stick the tabs on the top of the ring to the tabs on one of the domes using the Sticky Thumb adhesive roller. This is now the top of your lantern.



Thread the ribbon through the centre hole and secure by tying around a small washer made from card. Pull tight against the top of the dome.



Stick two of the bottom tabs of the ring to the bottom dome tabs. Pierce through the centre of the remaining three pairs with a suitable tool.



Push the long fasteners through the holes and open up – this fastening allows the opening for you to insert a BATTERY operated tea light and turn it on and off.

