

Take & Make

I ♥ U Blocks!

Materials Provided:

- 3 Mini Blocks
- Scrap Book Paper
- Paint
- Mod Podge
- Paint Brush
- Vinyl Letters (I and U)
- Transfer Tape
- Wooden Heart

Additional Materials Needed:

- Scissors
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Glue



Directions

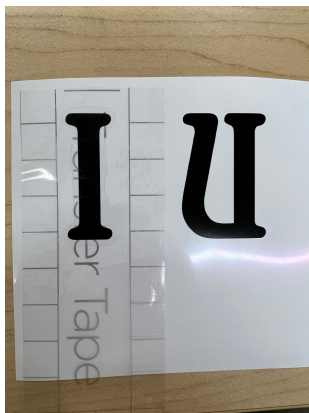
- Begin by painting all 3 foam blocks with the pink paint. Allow the paint to dry in between coats.
- Cut the scrap book paper into 2-inch-by-2-inch squares. You will need 3 squares total, one for each block. You could use just one pattern or mix-and-match!
- The corners of the squares will need to be trimmed because the blocks have rounded edges.
 - I placed a square onto the block and traced where I needed to trim the corners. You can opt for a rounded look or a sharper hexagon look.



- Next apply a layer of mod podge to one side of a block (I picked the side that had writing on it) and attach a scrap book paper square.
- Once dry, apply a layer of mod podge directly on top of the scrap book paper.



- Allow the mod podge to dry completely before moving on to the next step.
- Peel off the backing on the transfer tap and carefully place the tape onto JUST the letter “I”
- Using a ruler, a coin, or the side of a pen rub down on the transfer tape to remove any air bubbles.
- Next, SLOWLY and CAREFULLY peel off the backing of the vinyl. If done correctly, the letter will remain on the gridded transfer tape.
- Place the transfer tape onto the scrap book paper side of one of your blocks.
- Again, using a ruler, a coin, or the side of a pen rub down on the transfer tape to remove any air bubbles.
- Now peel off the transfer tape and the vinyl lettering should remain on the lid.
- Repeat these steps with the letter “U”



- For the final step, glue the wooden heart to the remaining block.
 - I did this with regular Elmer's glue, but a hot glue gun would probably work too.



- Once the glue is dry, you can display your blocks! Either side-by-side or stacked!

