

get organized

A 30 DAY CHALLENGE

Crafting To-Do List

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1 Organize My Craft Space

2 Unleash My Creativity!





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We are so excited you are ready to organize your craft space because we believe organized craft spaces unleash creativity! Here are a few important things to remember along this 30 day challenge:

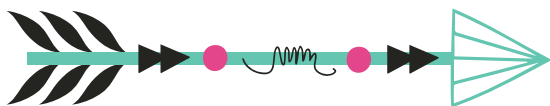
- Organization is a daily journey
- Strive for progress not perfection
- You can do it!

The 30 Day Challenge will take you through daily steps to organize your craft space. Here is how it works:

- You can modify the challenges to fit your needs. Take additional days for one challenge if need be, but be sure to make progress every day! Once you've finished, move on to the next challenge
- Start day 1 on a Monday
- Sunday will always be a day of rest

Join the journey with other crafters on our Facebook page! You'll even find a special group page just for organization called "Organize Your Craft Space - A 30 Day Group Challenge."

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First, be sure and take a photo of your space. It is important to have that before photo so you can see before and after photos of your space.



CHALLENGE 1 - MONDAY

Divide your supplies in to three piles:

1. Keep It,
2. Maybe keep it,
3. It goes!

Be sure to add any items that shouldn't be in your craft space to the "it goes" pile! We'll sort through this pile later.

Share a photo of your piles! Our challenge group is meant to be a journey of organizing your craft space and encouraging each other. Don't be afraid to ask a question or share a tip that works great for you!

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How are the piles coming? If you are still sorting through supplies no worries. Just go at your own pace and remember it's about *progress not perfection!*



CHALLENGE 2 - TUESDAY

Today focus on that "It Goes" pile. Sort through and create 4 new piles:

- 1.) Throw away
- 2.) Sell
- 3.) Donate
- 4.) Belongs in another room

Share a photo of your progress!



Who is having fun purging? We know it isn't easy but you can do it!



CHALLENGE 3 - WEDNESDAY

Take a look at that “maybe keep it” pile. Ask yourself these questions:

1. Have I used it in the last 6 months or year?
2. Do I plan to use it this year?
3. Is it usable?

If you answer no to any of those questions, it might be a good idea to move the item to your “It Goes” pile.

TIP

If you still aren't sure about something, pack it up in a box and put it away into storage. If in 4 months you don't miss it, throw it away!

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CHALLENGE 4 - THURSDAY

Sort through your “Keep it” pile! Create category piles to organize your supplies. The categories might look something like this:



Ink Pads

Ribbon

Journaling

Paper

Embellishments

Project Life

Markers

Tools

Photos

Punches

Watercolor

Now rank your categories by the most used supplies, this will help decide which products you want easily accessible.

Be sure and toss any unusable supplies (dried ink/markers, broken tools, etc.)



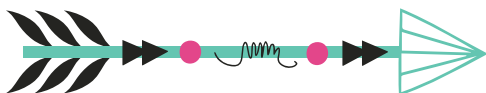
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CHALLENGE 5 - FRIDAY

Now that we have our piles sorted, let's step back and think about your work space. Today's challenge is to consider the following questions:

- Do I want a standing or sitting tabletop/desk?
- What type of chair do I want? Being comfortable when sitting is extremely important.

Share a photo of your work area. Tell us if you prefer standing or sitting when crafting. If you have an awesome comfy chair, share which brand and where you got it!



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CHALLENGE 6 - SATURDAY

Today is a great day to catch up.

A LITTLE
PROGRESS
EACH DAY
ADDS UP TO
BIG RESULTS



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CHALLENGE 7- SUNDAY

What a week! We've spent some serious time purging.
Today is a day of rest, so enjoy.

Tomorrow we'll continue the organization journey.



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CHALLENGE 8 - MONDAY

It's a new week and time to step back and really assess what you have and how to make it more organized!

Today's challenge is to take a look at lighting.

- Is there natural light in the room?
- If needed, how can you improve and have brighter lights?

Share with the group your favorite lighting fixtures or tips.

TIP

If you do not have natural light, be sure and use LED bulbs to add more natural lighting.

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CHALLENGE 9 - TUESDAY

Today let's take a look at storage solutions and what works best for you. A few things to keep in mind...

- Is this a storage solution that keeps important supplies visible so you know what you have?
- Are your supplies easy to access?
- Is your storage a long-term solution?
- Does your storage keep your craft room organized as you craft?

Plan storage solutions that make it easy to craft for 30 minutes without having to spend most of that time cleaning up.

SHARE your favorite storage ideas.



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CHALLENGE 10 - WEDNESDAY

We are going to start digging into our supplies. First, let's take a look at our tools!

Today, sort through and separate your tools into groups by function, type, etc.

Share a photo of how you've grouped your tools. Maybe even share your favorite tool!



Tools organized in the Stamp-n-Storage Accessory Tray - 6 Slot Tool Tray

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CHALLENGE 11 - THURSDAY

Today's challenge is to identify the supply that you use most and want to keep in front of you for easy access. (ex. ink pads, markers, paper, punches, dies, stamps, etc.)

Share with the group.



FOR EVERY MINUTE SPENT IN
ORGANIZING, AN HOUR IS EARNED.

- BENJAMIN FRANKLIN



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CHALLENGE 12 - FRIDAY

Today identify which products you need to label... ink pads, reinkers, paper, etc.

Next, start labeling!
If you are like most crafters, you'll want to label everything. This will take some time. Try to set aside chunks of time each day for labeling so you continue to make progress.

Share a picture with the group of your favorite labeling techniques.



Labeling with the Stamp-n-Storage Paper Sleeve

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CHALLENGE 13 - SATURDAY

Today's challenge is to find a place for those larger items like the Cricut®, Sizzix® BigShot, Brother® ScanNCut, and any other larger machines.

Share a photo of your favorite place to store these items.

Organization

*A place for everything,
and everything in its place!*

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CHALLENGE 7- SUNDAY

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You are half

CHALLENGE 15 - MONDAY

We're half way there and it's time to start putting our spaces back together. We've organized supplies into piles, cleared our desk space and considered what products we want reachable and visible. Now let's map out our craft space!

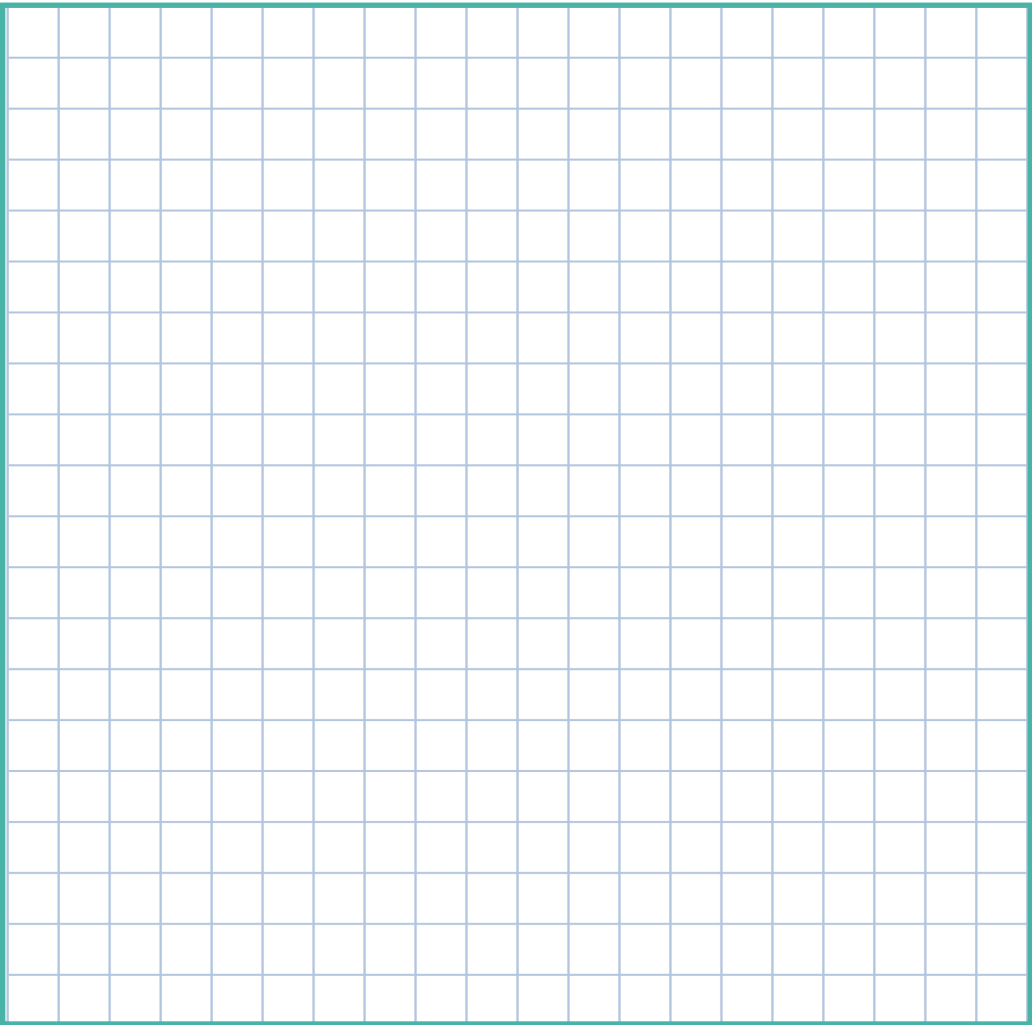
Today's challenge is to draw out your space, play with different ideas and products in different areas until it feels right to you. Use what storage solutions you have and decide if you need to make additions or even toss any out. Use your drawing as an organizational plan that you can follow for the next 15 days. Share your drawings with the group so we can get ideas!

TIP

When reorganizing or setting up your craft space, have all your tools, paper, ink, etc. near where you will be creating. I feel more creative and inspired now that I don't have to get up and walk everywhere to gather everything up. AND I can put it all away quickly when all within reach. -RACHEL TESSMAN

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way there!



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CHALLENGE 16 - TUESDAY

Yesterday's challenge was to map out your space. Today's challenge is to start the process of putting that space back together. Let's start with your work area.

- What supplies do you want reachable when sitting or standing at your desk? How did you map this area out?

Some examples might be paper, punches, ink pads, ribbon, embellishments, stamps, etc.

- Start putting your main work area back together.

Share a photo of how you've set up your desk space.



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CHALLENGE 17 - WEDNESDAY

Time to talk about drawers and plan how you will utilize your drawer storage.

- Do you plan on using drawers to store supplies?
- Do you prefer deep or shallow drawers?
- How will you organize supplies in your drawers to keep them neat and your supplies easy to find?

Share your ideas with the group!



Stamp-n-Storage Drawer Cabinet

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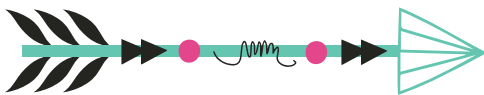
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CHALLENGE 18 - THURSDAY

Today we are going to organize our shelves. When drawing out your plan for your space, did you add shelves?

- What types of shelving units work best for you and how do you plan to use your shelves?
- What supplies will be stored on a shelf vs. your desk space or drawers?

Be sure and share a photo with the group!



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CHALLENGE 19 - FRIDAY

Today it's time to organize those ink pads. When mapping out our space, where did we put our ink pads? Does it still work? Here are a few additional questions to think about when storing ink pads.

- Have I purged old/dried ink pads I don't have refills for?
- What types of ink pads do I have and how many?
- Are my ink pads easily reachable?
- Are my ink pads visible so I always know what I have?
- Do I need to add labels based on how I'm storing my ink pads?
- Do I sort by colors or names?
- Do I have a place for my mini inks?

Share at least one answer with the group or any other tip that has been helpful with organizing your ink pads.

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CHALLENGE 20 - SATURDAY

Today is a catch up day for the week. Share with the group any helpful tricks along the way.



*Creativity is
intelligence having fun!*

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CHALLENGE 21- SUNDAY

Today's challenge is to take a day of rest! Enjoy your Sunday and we'll be back at it tomorrow.



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CHALLENGE 22 - MONDAY

It's Motivation Monday! The perfect day for challenge 22, putting away that paper. You've already mapped out where your paper will go, now let's think about how you plan on organizing all the paper colors and patterns. Here are a few questions to ask for today's challenge.

- Do I store my paper by color, theme or pattern?
- Do I store my paper vertical or horizontal?
- Is sunlight a concern?
- How will I label my paper?
- Do I have a place for paper scraps?
- How will I store my 6x6 paper?

Share one answer to the above questions with the group. Chances are someone is looking for your helpful idea!



Remember, it's progress over perfection!

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CHALLENGE 23 - TUESDAY

Who loves embellishments? They are so fun to add to any creative project. Today, we want to focus on organizing those embellishments so you can easily access them to make your project beautiful! Here are a couple things to consider:

- What types of embellishments do I use (ex. ribbon, Stickles glue, Nuvo® Drops, buttons, beads, etc.)?

- * How will I store my embellishments so I know what I have?

- * How will I store my embellishments so I have easy access to them?

- How will I sort my embellishments (ex. by type, color, theme, etc.)?

Share any tips or the answer to one of the above questions with the group.

TIP

Stamp-n-Storage Storage Pockets are a great option for storing and organizing your embellishment sheets like gemstone sheets and pearl sheets.

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CHALLENGE 24 - WEDNESDAY

It's time to organize your markers!

- Be sure to purge any dried out markers.
- Do you prefer your markers close by or tucked away?
- Do you keep your markers with coordinating ink pads or refill bottles?

Share your favorite way to organize your markers.

TIP

Take a white piece of paper and test each marker while sorting.



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CHALLENGE 25 - THURSDAY

Today we'll be focusing on our steel wafer dies. Here are a few questions to think about when deciding how to organize your dies...

- What storage solutions fit my needs?
- Do I store stamps and dies together?
- Do I have a sturdy magnet card that keeps all of my dies in place?
- How do I label my dies?

Share your favorite tips with the group on organizing your wafer dies.



Stamp-n-Storage Die Storage Solutions

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CHALLENGE 26 -FRIDAY

Today's challenge is to wipe down and clean your space.

Take a picture and share it with the group.

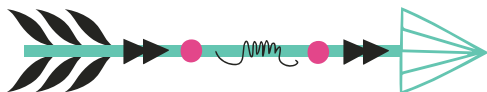


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CHALLENGE 27 - SATURDAY

It has been a busy week putting our craft spaces back together. Today is a catch up day.

Share with the group your favorite tip you learned so far.



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CHALLENGE 7- SUNDAY

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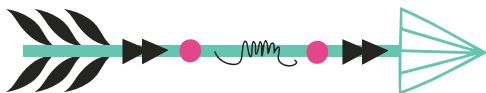
CHALLENGE 29 - MONDAY

Today's challenge comes from a tip shared by Mary Fish from Stampin' Pretty.

TIP

Don't forget the trash. You want to be able to efficiently 'whoosh' away those little bits and scraps for your stamping stage!" - Mary Fish

Share with the group how you plan to stay on top of those tiny bits and scraps.



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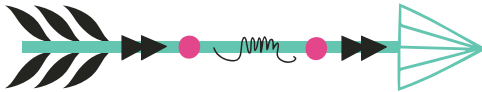
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CHALLENGE 30 - TUESDAY

Wow, it's the last day of our 30 Day Challenge.

Today we want to challenge you to make your space you! It might be a favorite accent color, favorite picture, favorite antique, a decorative item, etc.

Share one item with the group that makes your space totally you!



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You did it!

Congratulations, you've completed
the 30 Day Get Organized Challenge!

We are so proud of you!

What an awesome accomplishment. Now you
are ready to...

Unleash your Creativity!

But remember, your organization journey
doesn't end here, it is a daily journey.

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