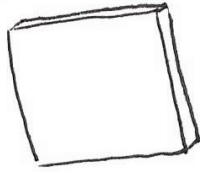
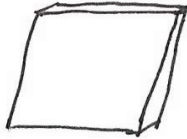


# CANVAS + CUT VINYL = ART



You can buy pre-covered canvas @ ANY craft store.



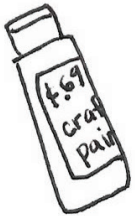
I bought mine @ the 1\$ section at my local JoAnn's. It had a paint by number design



on it that I just painted over!

- 1.) BUY a pre-covered canvas any size - its your call.  
Mine are 4x4

- 2.) Using a water based acrylic craft paint cover the front



and sides completely.

Go ahead and be painterly - Allow the brush strokes to show!



3.) While you allow the paint to dry - head over to your cricut and choose the cartridge you'd like to use. For my designs I used the Heritage cartridge and I selected orange vinyl.

Ready your cartridge in your cricut.

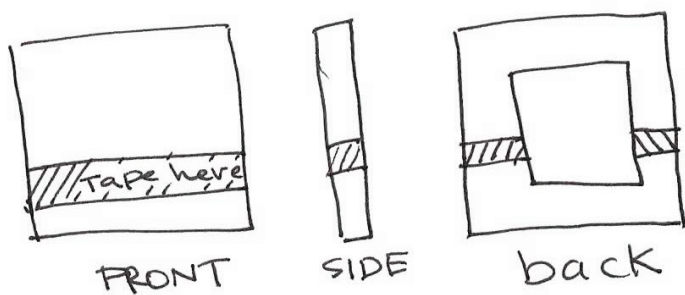
4.) Lay your vinyl down on the cutting mat (w/ the backing still on - do not remove it.)

5.) Choose your shapes and cut.

NOTE: I choose to cut my shapes at 3 inches since my canvas's were 4 inches

6.) Once your canvas is dry. use colored masking tape as a strip along the bottom of the canvas. I used yellow.

7.) Use a bone folder to smooth down the tape on the front and around to the back.



8.) Now use a sharpie marker to draw a line along the bottom edge of the tape. I used an orange one.

 draw a line here.



This adds a touch of the "Artist's" hand

- 9.) Next grab your cut vinyl shapes, peel off the backing and attach them to the front of your canvas, slightly overlapping the masking tape.
- 10.) Again using a bone folder to secure the vinyl to the surface of the canvas.

NOTE: I also added an extra dot of vinyl to the front of the canvas just to give it a little something - extra!



Enjoy Your Art !!!

