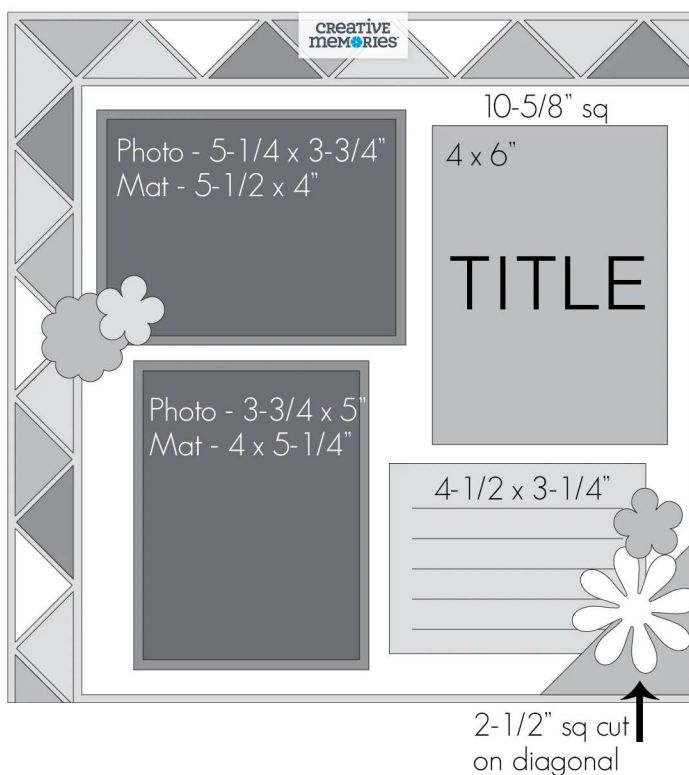




Sample layout and blog directions use the *What a Zoo, Too* collection.



Step 1: Use a piece of White Solid Cardstock (or a White Refill Page) as the base for this layout. Cut a piece of jungle leaves designer paper to 10-5/8 x 10-5/8" and adhere on the layout, about 1/8" from the bottom and right edges.

Step 2: Cut a 1 x 12" strip of each mustard yellow diamond grid, brown animal spots and zebra stripes designer papers. Align the long side of one strip along the 45-degree line on the 12-inch Trimmer with the top point resting on the cutting edge. Cut off a triangle. Flip the strip to the back side, align again and cut another triangle. Continue this way cutting off triangles until you've got seven. Repeat with the other two strips.

[Meggan's alternative method for triangles: Cut 1-1/2" squares on the diagonal into triangles. The diagonal cut can be done with scissors easier than with the trimmer, but PRACTICE this method to confirm you are comfortable making the diagonal cuts. You want the triangles to be as equal size as possible.]

Step 3: Using the photo as a guide for arrangement, adhere the triangles along the left and top edges, leaving 1/8" of space all around. Trim the last triangle in half to complete the pattern on the two ends.

Step 4: Crop a photo to 5-1/4 x 3-3/4" and mat with a 5-1/2 x 4" piece of brown animal spots designer paper. Crop a photo to 3-3/4 x 5" and mat with a 4 x 5-1/4" piece of mustard yellow diamond grid designer paper. Mount on the layout along with the "Giraffing me crazy!" mat and zebra stripes journal mat cut in half.

Step 5: Add stickers, popping some up with Foam Squares for added dimension.

Step 6: Journal as desired.