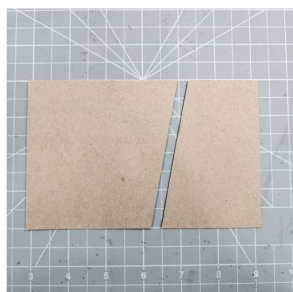


SUPPLIES

- 4 x 6 piece of chipboard/pressed cardboard
- Photo labeling pencil
- Spare photos (to practice with)
- 1-2 sheets designer paper
- Cardstock



1. Place the upper left corner of the 6 x 4" piece of chipboard on the 4" line of the trimmer. Angle the piece so that the lower left corner touches at 3-1/4" and then trim.

2. Trim 3-4 horizontal photos to the height desired. Photos in sample were cropped to 6 x 3" before additional trimming.



3. Place a photo on the lower edge of the trimmer and use the right piece of the template to draw an angle on the photo with a photo labeling pencil.

4. Rotate the template 180-degrees and mark the other edge of the photo and then trim on the lines drawn. **SAVE THE SCRAPS!** Use a soft polishing cloth to remove any pencil residue.



5. Trim a piece of cardstock 1/2" taller than your photos (sample is 12 x 3-1/2"). Adhere the photos as desired, adjusting the width as needed.



6. Use the cut ends of the photos to fill in the left and right ends of the strip, trimming any excess.

If creating a two page layout, consider using a photos to span the middle and then cut the two 12" pieces apart.



FINISHING THE LAYOUT

Trim a piece of cardstock to 6 x 12" and adhere 1/4" from the right edge of the background paper. Adhere the strip of slant-cropped photos 1/2" from the bottom of the page. Trim (2) 1/4" strips of accent cardstock and adhere above and below the slant-cropped photo mat. Trim two photos to 5-1/2 x 3-1/2" and adhere on the top portion of the 6 x 12" cardstock mat. Crop a photo to 5 x 3-1/2" and adhere in the space on the left side of the layout and add a chunky title or additional 5 x 3-1/2" photo.