

STENCIL

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STORAGE CUBE—
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SHOW YOU HOW.



stencil stash-all

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Supplies:

- Four-drawer storage cube
- Assorted stencils
- Stencil adhesive
- Stencil daubers
- Assorted acrylic craft paints
- Matte medium
- Paintbrush
- Paint cup
- Kraft paper



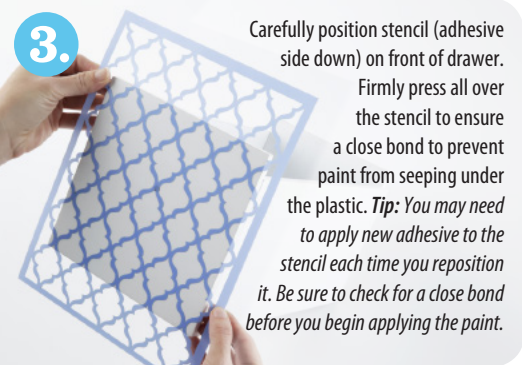
1. Remove a drawer from the cube, and then unscrew the knob and set aside. Now use the paintbrush to apply a thin coat of matte medium to the front of the drawer—this will help keep paint from bleeding under the stencil. Let dry completely.



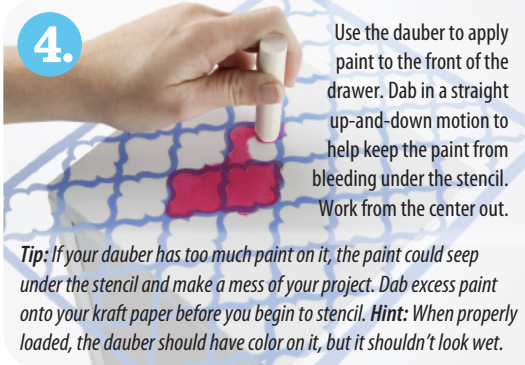
2. Protect your work surface with kraft paper, and then place your stencil on the paper, with the shiny side up. Spray the shiny side of the stencil with stencil adhesive, according to the manufacturer's instructions.



3. Carefully position stencil (adhesive side down) on front of drawer. Firmly press all over the stencil to ensure a close bond to prevent paint from seeping under the plastic. *Tip: You may need to apply new adhesive to the stencil each time you reposition it. Be sure to check for a close bond before you begin applying the paint.*

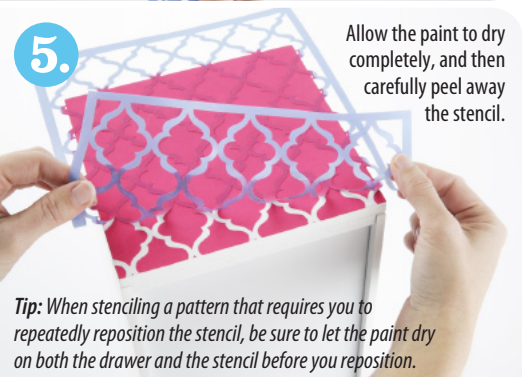


4. Use the dauber to apply paint to the front of the drawer. Dab in a straight up-and-down motion to help keep the paint from bleeding under the stencil. Work from the center out.



Tip: If your dauber has too much paint on it, the paint could seep under the stencil and make a mess of your project. Dab excess paint onto your kraft paper before you begin to stencil. Hint: When properly loaded, the dauber should have color on it, but it shouldn't look wet.

5. Allow the paint to dry completely, and then carefully peel away the stencil.



Tip: When stenciling a pattern that requires you to repeatedly reposition the stencil, be sure to let the paint dry on both the drawer and the stencil before you reposition.



Repeat steps 1-5 for each remaining drawer. Then reattach the knobs, return the drawers to the cube, and prepare to GET ORGANIZED!

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