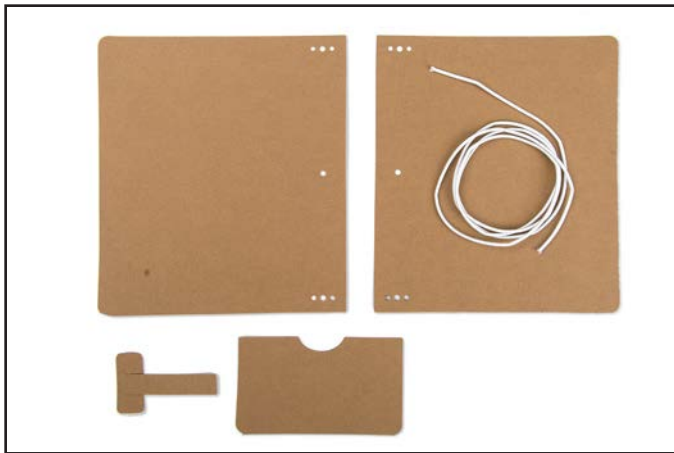




# 662467 Sizzix® Bigz™ L Die - Pocket Traveler's Notebook by Katelyn Lizardi



1. Die-cut the notebook parts out of desired material. In this example, a Paper Leather sheet is used. A length of elastic cord of approximately 36" is also needed.



2. Align the holes of both sides, and adhere together.



3. Spraying water on to the Paper Leather makes it flexible enough to bend without making a hard crease.



4. Form the edges of the notebook cover while the Paper Leather is moist, then let the cover dry.



5. If constructing the notebook from heavy cardstock, crease the paper on both sides of the spine as shown.



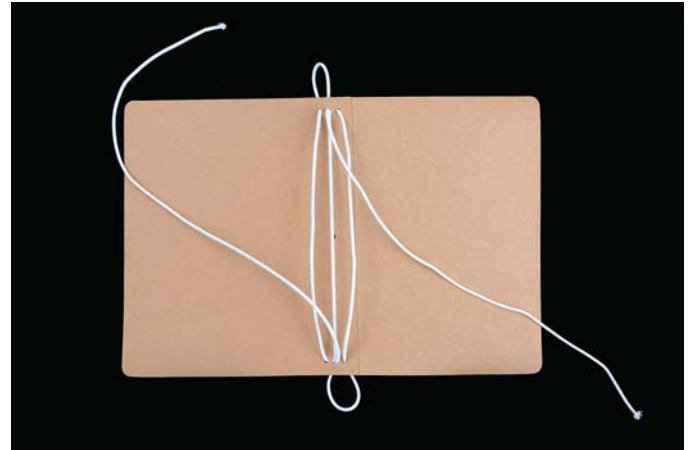
6. Once covers are folded and dry, they are ready to be laced.



7. Begin by creating a loop from the elastic cord that will be tight enough to hold the notebook closed, but not so tight as to deform the cover. Tie it closed with a knot, and save it until the final step. Use the remaining cord to lace in a zigzag pattern from the bottom right to the upper left as shown.



9. Tie the two ends together where they meet in the center of the notebook, and trim the excess.



8. Pull the elastic snug, then take each of the loose ends, and lace them through the top center and the bottom center holes respectively.



10. Insert the knotted loop from the inside through the center hole of the cover.



11. Embellish as desired.