## Mini 2nd Thought Journal

- Choose 5 pieces of 6 " x 6 "scrapbook paper, cardstock weight.
- Decide on which TWO 6" x 6" pieces of paper will be the front covers.
- Find the top of all 5 pieces of paper and mark "top $\uparrow$ " on the backside.
- Score the 2 papers you choose for the front covers and 2 other pages for the middle at the 3 " mark.
- Cut the last piece in half on the 3 " mark.


## KEY:

$\square$ Front
$\square$ Back


Score at the 3" Line
4 sheets of scrapbook


Make an arrow and write top on all four sheet as shown.


6"

You now have 4 pages that look like the square below.


6"

You now have 2 pages that look like the square below.


- Use washi tape to strengthen the score line. Add extra glue on washi tape. Then fold and press each page on the scoreline.

- Lay all of your pieces like the example on the next page. Three with the back up and three with the top design up.

- Now number your pieces like the blue numbers below.

Back


Front


- Next punch thumb notches where indicated in red.

- Next, run a thin line of glue one panel at a time, along the edges indicated in green.
- Start with both l's placing the wrong side together.

Back


Front


- Next, run a thin line of glue along the edges indicated in green.
- Start with both 2's placing the wrong side together. Continue gluing all panels together to match each number.


Next:

Back


Front


Next:


Next:


- Now all 5 pieces of scrapbook paper should be glued together.
- Now cut 20 sheets of paper to measure $51 / 4^{\prime \prime} \times 5.5^{\prime \prime}$. then fold in half to measure $25 / 8$ " x $51 / 2$ ".

$51 / 4$ "

$51 / 2^{\prime \prime}$
$25 / 8^{\prime \prime}$
- Sort into stacks of 5 pages each. You should have 4 stacks of pages.
- With an awl, needle, or other pointy objects, punch holes in the center of each stack as shown in pink. $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ from the top, $21 / 4$ " from top, and $1 / 2^{\prime \prime}$ from the bottom.
- Before punching make sure that your pages are all facing the right way.
- Sew each signature into one of four spines.
- Fold your journal in accordion style and you should have a finished journal. Now decorate to your liking.


