

Secret Message Book Instructions

Materials Needed:

- Printed Secret Message Book template
- Scissors
- Glue stick or double-sided tape
- Markers, pens, or colored pencils

Step-by-Step Instructions:

1. Print the Template:

Download and print the template from mcwartist.com. Make sure to print at 100% scale.

2. Cut Out the Pieces:

Carefully cut along the solid lines to separate the message strips and the base page.

3. Write Your Secret Message:

On the blank side of each strip, write one part of your message. You can write a sentence across multiple strips or a different message on each.

4. Fold the Strips:

Fold each strip accordion-style along the dotted lines. This will allow the message to be hidden when folded and revealed when pulled.

5. Attach the Strips to the Base:

Glue or tape the ends of each folded strip to the designated spots on the base page. Make sure the folds pop out when the book is opened.

6. Decorate:

Add drawings, stickers, or color to personalize your book.

7. Reveal the Message:

When someone opens the book, the folded strips will expand to reveal your secret message!