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## Techniques: Using Ice Resin with Paper

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Silver Charms  
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Pendants  
Buttons

### SILVER COMPONENTS

Findings  
Clasps  
Ear Wires  
Links, Caps, Components



#### Materials

- Scrapbook Paper
- ICE Resin
- White Glue
- White Plastic Garbage Bag (to cover work area)

#### Tools

- Sponge or Paint Brush
- Paper Punch and/or Scissors
- Small Hole Punch (optional)

**Tip:** Try using different materials such as photos, stamps or playing cards.



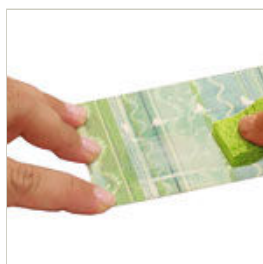
**Step 1**  
We have taped a white garbage bag down over our work surface to prevent spills and drips as well as resin from sticking to the work surface. Using a white craft glue, coat the back of the paper you are going to use.



**Step 2**  
Using a small sponge spread the glue evenly.



**Step 3**  
Fold the paper in half. Press the paper flat and smooth out any air bubbles.



**Step 4**  
Using the small sponge coat the front of the paper with the white craft glue. The glue will



**Step 5**  
Once the glue has dried completely use a paper punch and find the desired image



**Step 6**  
You have now punched out a circle with the paper punch.

Bangles and Rings  
Artist Findings

**GOLD COMPONENTS**

Findings  
Clasps  
Ear Wires  
Links, Caps, Components  
Bangles and Rings

**BRASS COMPONENTS**

Findings, Clasps, Earwires  
Links and Components

**COPPER COMPONENTS**

Findings  
Clasps  
Ear Wires  
Links, Caps, Components

**BASE METAL COMPONENTS**

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Clasps  
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seal the paper or image keeping the Ice Resin from seeping into the paper. Let dry. Repeat for the other side.



**Step 7**  
Always measure the resin and hardener in equal amounts. With a permanent marker mark your measuring cup so the measurements you are using are easier to see. We have made our first mark at 1/4 fl. oz.

you want to use on the paper. Punch out the paper. We used a 13/16" circle paper punch.



**Step 8**  
With a permanent marker make your second mark. The two measurements should now be of equal amounts. We have made our second mark at 1/2 fl. oz.



**Step 9**  
Make sure the cup is resting on an even surface and pour the resin (part A) into the measuring cup filling it until the first marked line. We are filling it until the 1/4 fl. oz. marked line. At first the resin (part A) has a slight blue tint to it.



**Step 10**  
Pour the hardener (part B) into the measuring cup filling it until the second marked line. We are filling it until the 1/2 fl. oz. marked line. At first the hardener (part B) has a slight yellow tint to it.



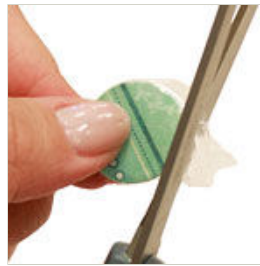
**Step 11**  
Using a stir stick mix the resin and hardener together by folding very gently to avoid any bubbles.



**Step 12**  
Continue mixing, making sure you scrape the sides of the measuring cup so the resin and hardener get completely mixed together. Mix for a minimum of two minutes. Once the resin is done it should look clear.



**Step 13**  
Using a small sponge coat the paper with Ice Resin on both sides. Let dry. The Ice Resin will not stick to the white garbage bag.



**Step 14**  
Using scissors cut any Ice Resin that may be around the edges of the paper.



**Step 15**  
You have now completely covered your paper with Ice Resin. This will make the paper water resistant which will allow you to use it in several different ways within your jewelry designs.



**Step 16**

To make a charm out of the resined paper punch a hole near the top of your paper. We have used metal hole punch pliers.



**Step 17**

Congratulations! You have created a unique Ice Resin charm to use in your jewelry designs.

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