

Sparkle, Glitter, Fun Wall Art



See the full post on my blog: [Sparkly, Glittery, Fun DIY Room Decor](#)

Supplies

You will Need:

- [Cricut Machine](#)
- [3 Pieces Cricut Vinyl](#)
- [Cricut Cutting Mat](#)
- [3 - 18x18 Art Canvas](#)
- [Martha Stewart Pink Dahlia Satin Paint](#)
- [Martha Stewart GoldMetallic Paint](#)
- [Deco Art Americana Aqua Sky Paint](#) (I used the wall color from my daughter's room, but this is a good substitution)
- [Stencil Brush](#)
- [Nicole Ultra Fine Premium Glitter Extra Fine Pink](#)
- [Darice Gold Glitter](#)
- [Martha Stewart Turquoise Glitter](#)
- [Command Adhesive Strips](#)

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Instructions:



Start by creating your stencil in the Cricut Design Space. You will cut your stencil out on of adhesive vinyl using your Cricut machine. If you haven't done this before, you may find [this video](#) helpful.

If you have a Cricut Explore or Cricut Explore Air machine, just turn the dial to the Vinyl setting and it will cut it perfectly for you.

If you have an older Cricut, I have directions for you on the settings to use in [this post](#).



Once you have your stencil cut out, adhere it to your 18 x 18" canvas in the location you want the design.

You will need to weed the stencil, which means removing the parts of the letters where you will paint.

Make sure you add the centers of the letters back in place on the canvas. For example the letter 'a' will have an oval or circle that you will need to place on the canvas in the middle of the 'a' or you will end up with a big circle instead of an 'a'.

Press down on all the edges of the stencil. Really rub them down good to help prevent paint leaking underneath.



Use your stencil brush and paint your word or design onto your canvas.

Use a dry brush. That means you will want to add paint to your stencil brush and dab some of the paint off before you begin. By doing this, you will make it less likely for paint to leak under your stencil.



While the paint is still wet, add glitter by shaking it over the entire word or design.

If the paint has dried before you are able to add glitter, you can either add another coat of paint or you can add Mod Podge and add the glitter to that while it is still wet.



To get the most glitter adhesion, gently press the glitter into the wet paint or Mod Podge.



Before the paint and glitter have dried, remove your stencil.

For the centers of letters, tweezers can help peel those up without ruining the rest of the letter. If you have longer fingernails, you can also slide your fingernail under the center and peel it up that way.



You are done!

Notes:



After your DIY room decor has fully dried, hang it on the wall.

I often hang pictures with a nail and add one Command Adhesive strip in the corner. By adding it to the corner, it keeps the wall art on the wall level. That way the pictures don't slip and slide around on the walls and become unlevel.