# Eco Dyeing and Botanical Printing

**Materials Used in Tutorials** 

### **Eco Dyeing**

- Organic Materials- flowers, leaves
- onion skins
- loose tea, tea bags (chamomile, hibiscus, tumeric, etc.)
- 1-2 cups white vinegar
- coffee can full of rocks/brick
- rusty pieces of metal
- assorted papers
- newsprint, large sheet
- deli paper
- envelopes
- assorted fabric- muslin bags, muslin, lace
- spray bottle
- twine
- large pot (dedicated to crafting, goodwill, garage sale, etc.) or roasting pan
- Scissors



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## Pamphlet Stitch Art Journal

- Eco Dyed papers/fabrics- you could use collage papers if you didn't experiment with eco dyeing
- Scissors
- Upholstery Needle
- Waxed Linen
- Awl

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### **Botanical Printing**

- Gelli Plate- recommend purchasing a gelli plate from local arts and crafts store such as JoAnn's or Michaels. You can find a complete selection at gelliarts.com (not affliated with CTAC.) You can find recipes online to make your own. Homemade gelli plates are not stable during hot summer days, as the gel will start to dissolve.
- Assorted acrylic paints
- Brayer
- Assorted papers
- newsprint, large sheet
- Deli paper
- Envelopes
- Scissors
- Plants (natural or silk)
- Baby wipes
- Murphy's oil soap (to clean brayer) More information is included in Amber's March Art Journaling class.





Ideas for using prints, papers and fabric.....

- Blank cardstock cut into rectangles for book marks
- Blank cards (sold at arts and crafts stores)
- Frames, using papers/fabric as a matt.