

PRESSED FLOWER ART

Information Guide



*Welcome to Northland
Tiny Gardens Pressed
Flower Art Workshop!*

*In this guide, You'll
find all the
information you need
to create beautiful
artwork using pressed
flowers*

Workshop Overview:

- Duration: 2hrs
- Objective: Learn a little about the art of pressing flowers and create stunning compositions

Materials Needed

To Recreate At Home:

- Fresh flowers and greenery
- Flower press or heavy books
- Acid-free paper or cardstock
- Glue
- Frame of your choice



Workshop Agenda:

- Introduction to Pressed Flower Art
- Pressing Process; Demonstration on how to press flowers using a flower press.



- Creative Composition: Explore different layout ideas and design principles for arranging pressed flowers.
- Adhering Flowers: Learn how to securely attach pressed flowers to glass
- Finising Touches: Tips on framing and care.

Tips And Tricks:



- Select flowers and greenery with flat petals and leaves for easier pressing.
- Press flowers between layers of absorbent paper to absorb moisture and preserve color
- Allow the flowers to press for at least 6 weeks before using them in artwork
- Change the paper in the press every day for the first week to prevent molding flowers.
- Experiment with different arrangements and color combinations to create unique designs.

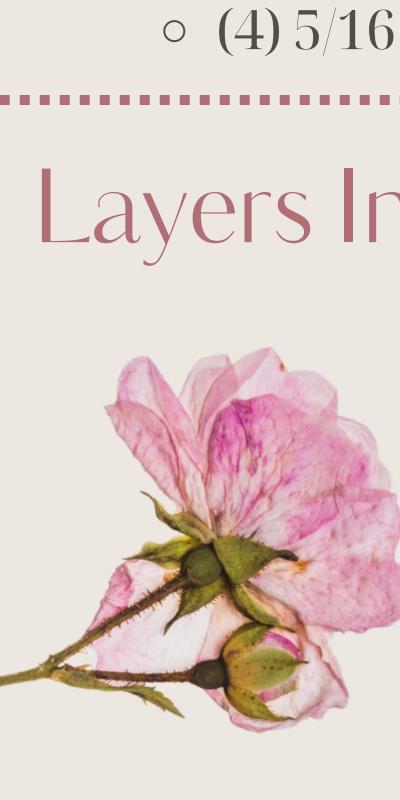
Create Your Own Flower Press:

- Materials:
 - (2) 12 X 12 inch square 3/4" MDF
 - (4) 5/16 X 6 or 8 inch Zinc Plated carriage bolt
 - (4) 5/16 washer
 - (4) 5/16 wing nut



Layers In The Press:

- Corrugated Cardboard Sheets 8.5" X 11" 1/8 inch Thick
- Chipboard Sheets 8.5" X 11" 22 Point
- Copy Paper 8.5" X 11" ~ 10-20 sheets per layer



Flower Art Care:

- Keep away from direct sunlight
- Low humidity environment
- Natural fading is to be expected over the years—don't worry, this won't affect the beauty of your piece.

- Enjoy for decades to come!



Conclusion:

We hope this guide helps you create stunning pressed flower artwork! Remember to enjoy the process and let your creativity bloom!

