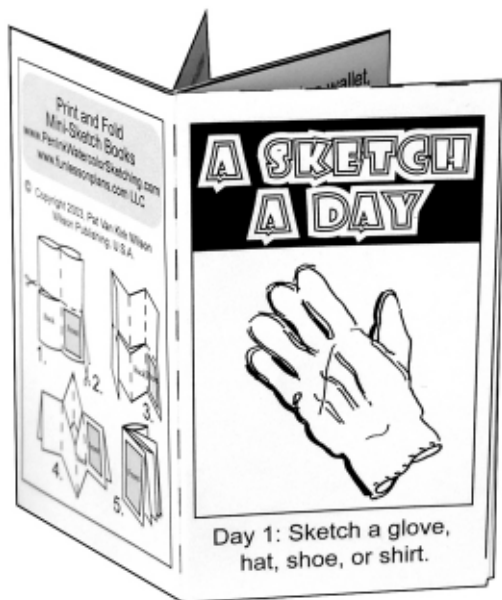


Print and Fold Mini-Sketch Books from one sheet of 8.5" x 11" paper.



Print this PDF and use the directions on page 2 to fold a sheet of standard office printing paper into a miniature six page sketchbook with front and back covers. The little sketchbooks are easy to carry in a pocket so they are always available to sketch images you may want to record.

Each *A SKETCH A DAY* book is designed for recording a week of sketches labeled Day 1 through Day 7.

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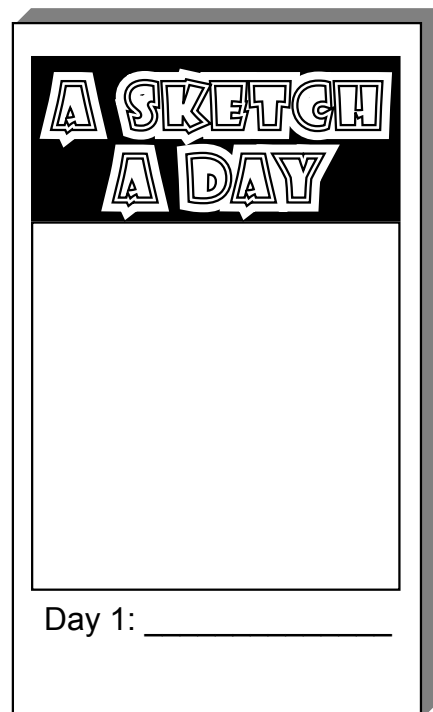
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Keep in practice and exercise your pens by using these little books to make a sketch a day. Print the pages of this PDF file on standard 8.5" x 11", 20 to 24 lb. office paper. The first version of the mini-book on page 3 is labeled with a suggested subject for each daily sketch, while version two on page 4 has a space for you to note future subjects that you would like to sketch. If you plan to use watercolor, you can print the pages on drawing paper that will have a surface to accept a light wash. Most printers will print on medium weight paper, cut to 8.5" x 11" size, but check your printer's instructions for acceptable paper weights.

When the sheets for the mini-books are printed, you can fasten the flat paper to a clipboard. This can be a convenient way to make your sketches first before folding the sheets to form little books. Or, you can fold the books first if you plan to carry them with you when you go out sketching. The folding instructions are on page 2 and the choice is yours. The mini-sketchbooks fit perfectly into the pocket of a Moleskine journal.

Above, the *A Sketch A Day* book cover suggests images for your first daily sketch while the version 2 cover, at right, has space for your notes. This makes a nice record of your sketching progress, so be sure to sign and date each book.

You can also print copies of these popular little books for a group of friends to all sketch as you sit in a cafe, go to a museum, or explore a local park or nature preserve.



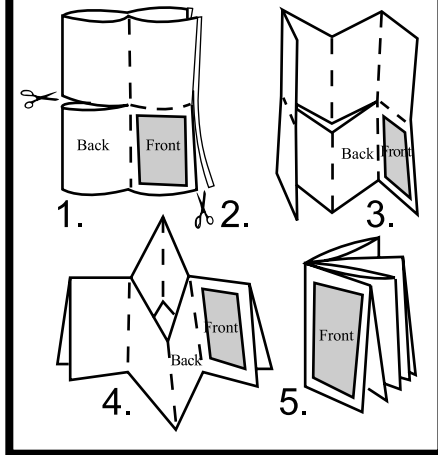
Be sure to also download our other free mini-books, *My Face Sketch Book* and *My Place Sketch Book*. You will find them all at: <http://www.PenInkWatercolorSketching.com/>

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How to fold the Mini-Sketch Books

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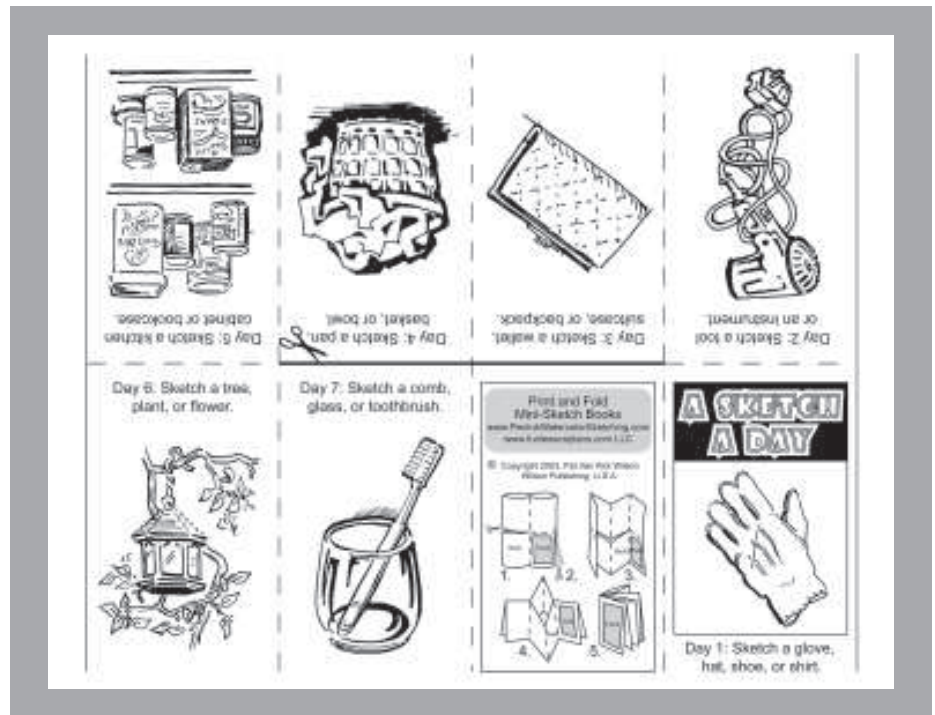
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First, fold lightly along all of the dashed lines to establish the fold lines. Then crease more firmly as shown in steps 1 to 5 at left.

1. Fold in half along the dotted line of the 8.5" dimension as shown in step one. Cut along the center line as marked.
2. Trim the border on the two 8.5" ends.
3. Fold the other 8.5" dotted lines as shown in step three.
4. Fold down along the dotted line of the 11" dimension. Pull center section out as shown in step 4.
5. Push the pages inward to form a spine and arrange them so that the cover is on the front.

Press all of the folds very firmly until the creases become sharp and the pages lie flat.



Day 2: Sketch a tool
or an instrument.

Day 3: Sketch a wallet,
suitcase, or backpack.

Day 4: Sketch a pan,
basket, or bowl.

Day 5: Sketch a kitchen
cabinet or bookcase.

Day 7: Sketch a comb,
glass, or toothbrush.

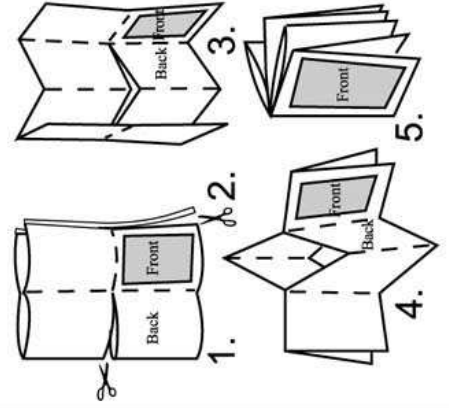
Day 6: Sketch a tree,
plant, or flower.

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Day 1: Sketch a glove,
hat, shoe, or shirt.

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Day 3: _____

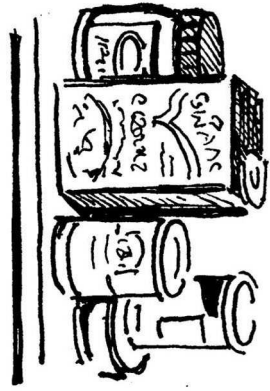
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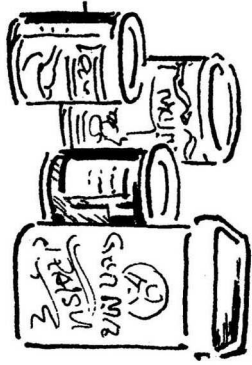
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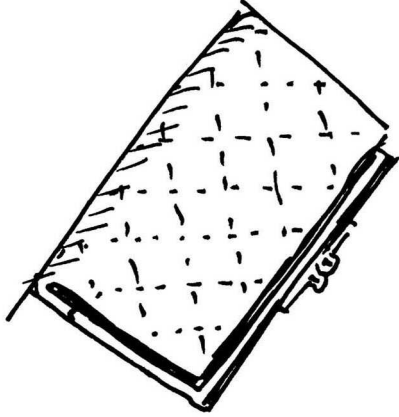
Day 5: Sketch a kitchen cabinet or bookcase.



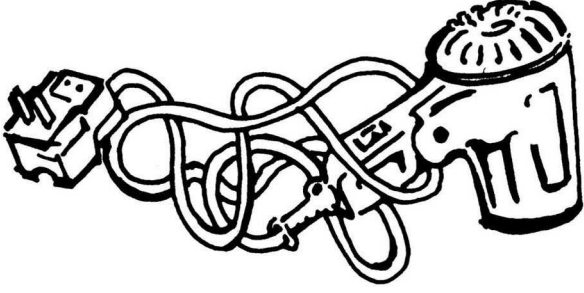
Day 4: Sketch a pan, basket, or bowl.



Day 3: Sketch a wallet, suitcase, or backpack.



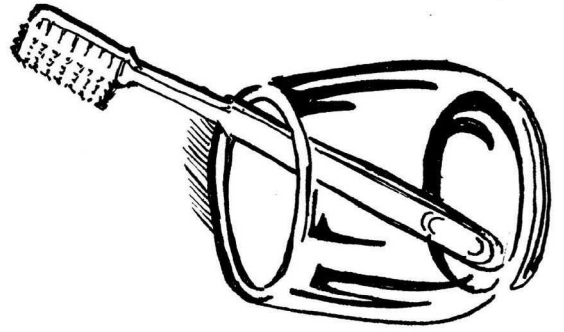
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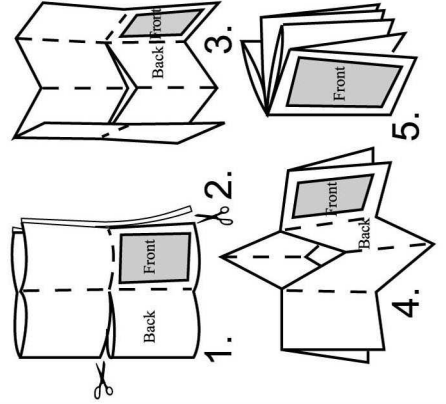


Day 7: Sketch a comb, glass, or toothbrush.



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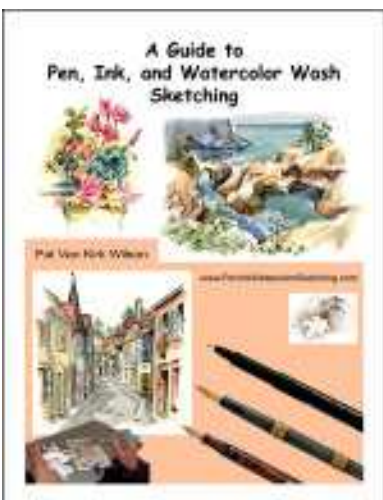
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