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- Hey everybody, it's Courtney from Creativebug, and we're coming at you live today. And I'm here with Michaela from Sakura. - Hi, everyone. - You guys are actually Sakura of America, right, you're local? - Yes, we're local, we're here in Hayward, California. - That's so great, local gals, first time in the studio, which is super fun. Remember that we're live, which means you can write in and ask Michaela any questions about Sakura products. We're super lucky to have her. And she's actually gonna show us how to use a Quickie Glue Pen, which is a product I've only used a little bit. But you may know Sakura from some of the other products they make, like Gelly Roll pens, the Koi brush pens. Of course, Lisa Congdon is a big fan. - Yeah, she's a big fan of our Koi Coloring Brush pens. -[Courtney] And the Microns too, her drawing class uses a lot of different Micron pens, so these are all the makers of that. Do you guys also do watercolor? - [Michaela] We do, we have a palette, we have tubes, we have them in brush pen form, there are lots of different options. - [Courtney] So it's a drawing, different kinds of drawing pens? - Yeah, Micron's really popular. And the ink in the Micron pen is pigma, it's archival and waterproof. - Which I love; Liana, who's also on staff here, sometimes she'll use those and then you can paint on top of them, which is awesome, because once they draw, you can watercolor on top. Christine Aria's dog class, too, her portraits she uses them also, which is awesome. - Oh, cool. - And what are we gonna do for our craft using the Quickie Glue pen? -[Michaela] Well, today I'm gonna show you guys how to make a really quick and easy card making these little pendant flags, and we're gonna use Quickie Glue. So the cool thing about the Quickie Glue is it's really good for small spaces and fine details, and when you're making something like this pendant card, there's corners on it, and you wanna get all the way to the corners but without making a big mess or waiting for anything to dry. - [Courtney] Which is genius. So this is what the Quickie Glue pen looks like, right? - Mmhmm, and so when you first open it, there's like this little ball tip that you just wanna take off and discard. And the trick with this one is you can write really slow with it, and it makes the glue come out nice and smooth. Another cool part about this product is that you can use it as a permanent adhesive, as well as a temporary one. So say you wanted to trace something, or make a template or something like that, you put it on, let it dry for a little bit, and then stick on top of it. And it adds like a temporary adhesive the way like a Post-It note would. - Oh cool, so it's once the glue has dried. - Yeah, so it's just sticky, and you can move things around-- - That's awesome. - So it's good for placing things if you're doing like a layout or something like that. -That's so cool. And then it's permanent, like if we, can you draw and have it be wet, and then like add glitter? - Yes, you can add glitter to it. A lot of people like this for lettering, you can glitter over that, and then put the product over it right away, and then once it's dry it's set, it's permanent. -That's so cool. Okay, well, let's start on our card, because then we can actually then put the glue pen in action. - [Michaela] Sure, so the first thing, of course, is just fold your card in half. - [Courtney] So we've got these little pre-cut card stock pieces that Michaela brought. - [Michaela] Yeah, and it's really easy, so just pick a few of your favorite colors of paper. And it's nothing crazy for the triangle. You're just gonna make two cuts on the straight edge. - [Courtney] Oh, I did mind backwards, ha ha. - [Michaela] That's okay! - [Courtney] Silly me, I'll just have to cut a line. So these are just freeform, which I actually really like. Like, we're making a little bunting, so I like that they're not all perfect triangles. Super fun. Oh, and the back of these, this is a double-sided. - [Michaela] It's double-sided

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colors. So, you can decide what you're gonna write. I'm just doing a five-letter word to keep it small and short and easy to do on this card here. So, yeah, you can choose to either letter on the little flags first, and that's the cool thing about the Quickie Glue is it won't get messy and mess up your lettering, or you can do it afterwards. - [Courtney] That makes sense. What do you prefer, what are you gonna do? - [Michaela] Um, I think I'm gonna letter first, just in case I mess up, then it's not stuck to anything. - [Courtney] I might, so I'm gonna check my color order for my flags, is that probably advisable so I know the order? - [Michaela] Yeah, that's a good idea, and place them down so you can see where you want it. - [Courtney] Yeah, you're right, about five is nice. - [Michaela] I think I'm gonna do Aloha, 'cause that's a five-letter word, so that's fun. - [Courtney] Oh, I feel pressured to come up with something clever! - [Michaela] You could do Hello! And so I'm just lettering really simple. I'm using the Micron pen right now in waterproof. And archival, so you know, if this for some reason is out and sitting on your tabletop for a year, or something, it's not gonna fade. - [Courtney] Smart. - [Michaela] Yeah. So if someone keeps this card for a long time, the artwork will stay there too. - [Courtney] All right, I'm gonna write my friend Maria's name on this 'cause it's her birthday coming up. It's actually my mom's birthday today. - [Michaela] Oh, fun, maybe you can make your mom a card later too. - [Courtney] Her name wouldn't fit on this bunting like Maria's name does. - [Michaela] But that's the great thing about this pen, is it's quick-drying so, you know, you're rushing off to a birthday party, you forgot to buy a card, this is something you can do super quick. - [Courtney] Oh, I love that. - [Michaela] And it'll dry before you arrive. (laughs) Yeah, so I've got my five letters here, and then you're just gonna make a string for your flags to attach to, so I'm just gonna go across the card like this. - [Courtney] Also freeform, nice. A little string proper for our bunting. - [Michaela] And then, start with your middle letter just so you know where it's placed in the center. - [Courtney] Keep it all in line, this is smart, she's done this before. -Yep, and you're just gonna write real slow the way you would with a pen, and you'll see that the glue comes out in this blue color. The blue is when it's in permanent state, so once you stick it down, if it's blue, it's gonna stay there. Of you wait for it to dry and it dries clear, that's when it's that tacky-sticky. - [Courtney] So it's the temporary adhesive that's been dried, okay, good to know. -[Michaela] So I'm just gonna place my flag here in the center, and then hold it down for a second, and it's down. - [Courtney] Flag down! Oh no, I dropped it. - [Michaela] You dropped your R. So, like I said before, this is a really good way to show what the Quickie Glue can do, 'cause it's so small, and the tagline for it is Pin Point Precision. You can get all the way to the corners. So if you see, like, if you were to do this with the glue stick or like a liquid glue, it would be a mess, or paste, or something like that. But this makes it super easy. So I'm just working my way to the left here, holding it down, no mess really. - [Courtney] Love this. - [Michaela] Yeah, so there's a lot of projects you can do with this. Like I said before, lettering is a good one. Some people like to foil over it. -[Courtney] Oh, smart. - [Michaela] You can do like a quilling project, you know, where you roll the paper up really tight. And that is actually a really popular way you can search for this product on Pinterest. A lot of people use it for quilling. - Oh, cool. Yeah, I used to work at Paper Source, and I remember we sold this in addition to those amazing Gelly Roll pens that you guys make, whih I love. We also use the Quickie Glue, again for like, adding super miniature pompoms to things. -[Michaela] Yeah! - [Courtney] Remember, you guys, that we're live, so you can write in and ask Michaela questions if you have any questions about any of her products. If you haven't checked out any of our Creativebug classes that use the Koi brush pens, or maybe the Microns, like Lisa Congdon's, almost all of her classes use the brush pens and the Microns. You can use the code Facebook 30, and that will give you 30 days of Creativebug, so you can check out the classes that

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do use some of these really fun products. We're also gonna do a give-away. And actually, let's take a look at what's in that give-away. We've got a little pack here. Michaela brought a little pack of goodies. And what were you calling this? The Sakura Sampler? - [Michaela] Yeah, so these are some of our, my favorites. And they're really popular, so you're gonna get one size 01, 03, and 05 of the Micron pen, and so that gives you different line width options for journaling or crafting, whatever you wanna do with those. We've got a white Gelly Roll pen that works really great on black paper and colored papers. It's great if you're doing illustrations, you can add highlights with the white, it's also good for coloring. You can fix some mistakes. - Oh, that's smart, like a-- - [Michaela] Yeah, like a tiny WhiteOut, yeah. And then of course the Quickie Glue's included in there. - [Courtney] Mmhmm, you've got some metallics in there. - [Michaela] Yeah, three metallic Gelly Rolls, so you get Gold, Silver, and Copper, and again those also work great on black paper and colored papers and white papers. - [Courtney] And there's like a little pouch in here and some fun little stickers, and a little look book, so we're gonna do three winners for that. All you have to do is like Sakura of America page, the Creativebug page, and share this post with a friend, and you can be entered to win. We'll pick those winners next week, and ship those out to you. And remember, we're live, so you can ask questions. If you miss any of our live shoots, you can also check them out on our videos tab on Facebook, and you can also hit that big Follow button on your mobile device, and you'll get a notification when we go live and we have special guests like Michaela. - Yeah, another cool thing I wanted to mention about this pen is you'll see it's got this funny cap. So if it's sitting in your pen cup, it's really easy to grab, you can find it easily. - Oh, that's smart! And I always wondered, it has, like, little wings! - [Michaela] Yeah, and then another thing I really like about it is if you travel or journal or do things like that, it fits in your pen pouch. It's not bulky or messy. So it's like a travel buddy to have with you. - That's so awesome. Look at how cute these turned out! - [Michaela] Yeah, they're fun! - [Courtney] These are adorable. Hopefully Maria will like hers. And then, you had some other projects that you've been using the Quickie for. - [Michaela] Yeah, so I just made this little heart card here, and you know, it's just showing you again how tiny you get get, all the way to the points in these hears. So I'm just planning to like, display that in my kitchen or something fun like that. This is some confetti that I just hole-punched different colors, and made like this ombre. So you can letter, and you can do like really tiny glue dots. There's no mess here, it just sticks really easily. -[Courtney] I love that. - [Michaela] And then same thing with this, you can see little tiny pompoms, and these little pieces of paper were all glued down with Quickie Glue. - [Courtney] I think this is what we used it before, which is awesome. I really love the little pompoms, and it's really, really cute. And then this, who's this guy? - [Michaela] Oh yeah, this is my baby, and I had some ideas for his first birthday that just passed, and so I made this little cake topper. But he's got this funny hair, and so in order to get all the way into the corners, and do these quick cake toppers, I used the Quickie Glue pen. - [Courtney] That's so genius. This thing is so, so handy. I've actually used them before, but I've kind of forgotten about how awesome it is, so I'm glad that we have some extras that I can play. We have a couple of questions. - [Assistant] Carlette wants to know where can I find this product? - Carlette's asking where you can find the Quickie Glue pen. - Oh yeah, so you can just do a search for it online. It's just called Quickie Glue. It's on Amazon, it's in a lot of your local retailers, like at Jo-Ann's or Michaels, places like that. It's pretty easy to find-- - I think Paper Source still sells them-- - I think so too. - And some of your like, close stamp kind of scrapbooking places. I feel like we should get these at Long Weekend, 'cause they're pretty awesome. We definitely sell the Gelly Roll pens. Which actually, you brought some of these! - [Michaela] I did. - [Courtney] We should talk about these, too. - [Michaela] Sure, um, so, I can go over my card with these. So a couple

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of options you're gonna get in the give-away pack, you've got your Micron, I mean, I'm sorry, Gelly Roll Moonlight pens, and so these work really great on dark paper. So this is a dark blue pen. You'd think maybe it would only work on white, but it actually works on dark paper too. - [Courtney] These are one of my most favorite pens to play with. - [Michaela] Yeah, and they're bright. They're really, really bright. They've been very popular for coloring lately, too. So, you know, they're great for making your artwork look kinda different and stand out more than say, just the typical color pencil. - [Courtney] Yeah, we definitely sell these in the shop and they're so much fun. I use them in my sketchbook. - [Michaela] They're so smooth, too. They just go on really, really nice. And the Moonlight's opaque, so it's not a sheer ink. It's just gonna be really, really rich. - [Courtney] Yeah, like a paint! - [Michaela] And then, another thing that you said that you guys don't have here at the office is Stardust pens. So Stardust gives you this really, also very rich glittery effect, also very popular for lettering on like envelopes, Christmas cards, as well as coloring books too. So you can do, like, pretty cool special effects with these. - [Courtney] These are so fun, it makes me wanna be like an eight year old girl again, especially 'cause my pencil box was filled with these. - [Michaela] I know, I really-- - [Courtney] But I can still fulfill that fantasy, that's why I have a pen bag, so there we go. And now, if I remember correctly, there is, the caps are all different and there's a little icon here that tells you the different line? - [Michaela] Yeah, so like, Moonlight has a little moon and a star on it. Stardust is gonna have this shooting star. So that's a really good way to keep your pens organized, and know which is which when you're picking them up. - [Courtney] There's a metallic one. We don't have it in front of us, that I really like too. - It's a sparkly cap. - And that's really fun too, it's like a more shimmer, whereas this is like a glittery, which is really fun. - Yeah, it's really shiny. - Cool, do we have any other questions, Allison? Thanks everyone for tuning in live. Again, I was with Michaela, who's joining us from Sakura of America. If you share this post and like both of our Facebook pages, you can be entered to win this awesome Sakura of America goodie pack, and you can try out the Quickie Glue pen that we did in our craft today. And you can also check out the Gelly Rolls, and that white Gel Roll pen, which is pretty awesome. If you're not familiar with their products, you can watch some of our classes like Lisa Congdon's, Pam Garrison's. In my Daily Draw I use the Koi brush pens, and if you are not on Creativebug yet, you can do so with the Facebook 30, and we'll see you guys next week. - Thanks!