Stamping and Cutting Using Your Silhouette Cameo 3

Step by step guide

- 1. Open your Silhouette Studio Software.
- 2. Click on the "Design Page Settings Window" menu on the top right of the screen.
 - a. On the drop-down menu, select the size of paper you will be printing on (i.e. Letter or A4).
- 3. Click on the "Registration Marks Window" menu on the top right of the screen.
 - a. Under Registration Marks/Style, choose "Type 1 CAMEO, Portrait, Curio" from the drop-down menu. This will create little marks on the corners of the page which will serve as guides for your Silhouette when it comes to cutting your stamped images.
- 4. Chose the "**Send to Printer**" menu from the top of the screen to print out a blank page with your registration marks only.
- 5. Stamp your images on to your printed page, being careful to stamp <u>inside</u> the margin created by the registration marks.
- 6. Scan your stamped page as a JPEG file.
- 7. Go to the JPEG file's location in your computer and **drag and drop** your JPEG file to the Silhouette Studio software project page showing only the registration marks.
- 8. Line up the registration marks in Silhouette Studio with the registration marks on your image as accurately as you can.
- 9. Chose the "Trace Window" menu on the top right of the screen.
 - a. Click on the "Select Trace Area" button.
 - b. Move back to your page and trace a square over the stamped images you want to cut.
 - c. Under the "Apply Trace Method" section select "Trace Outer Edge".
- 10. Move your JPEG image off the cutting mat so you can see those outer edges. Click on one of the red lines to select all of your traced images and click on the "Offset Selected Shape". For a die-cut look, chose a 0.1 cm offset from the panel on the right hand-side panel.
- 11. Move scanned JPEG file off the cutting mat, click on the inside cut lines and delete them, leaving only offset cut lines. Align scanned JPEG with registration marks again and... **CUT**!

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