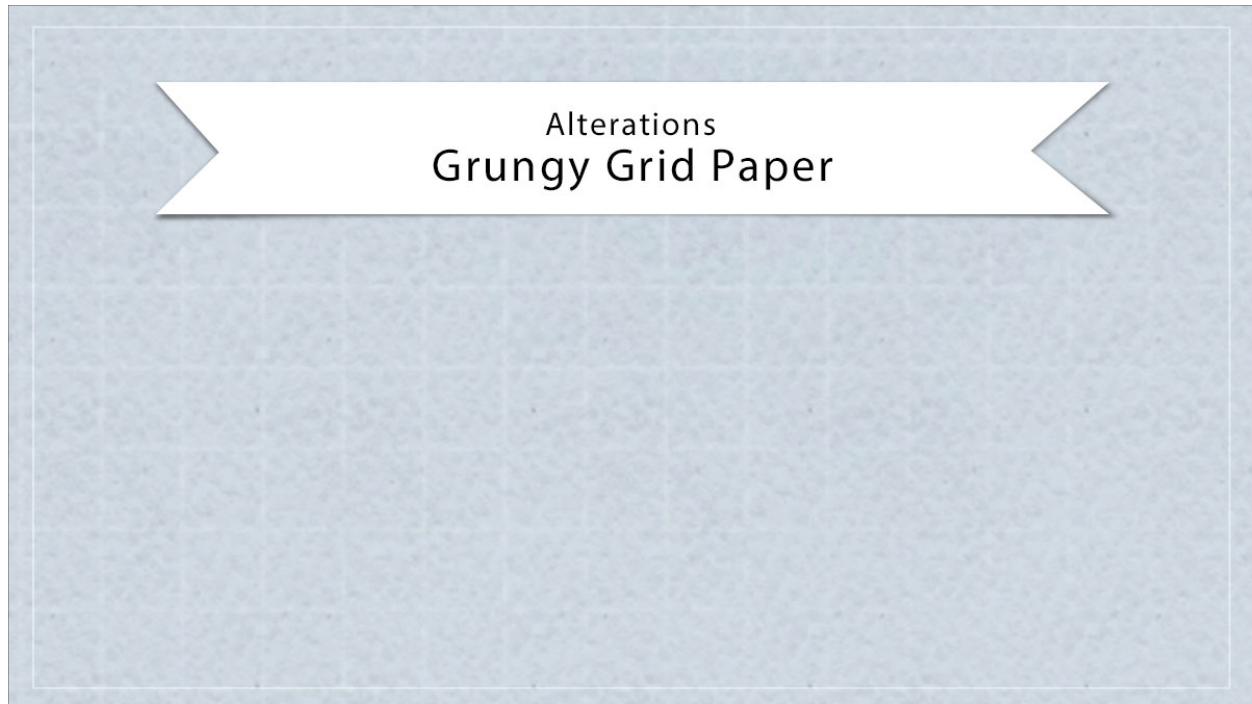


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Digital Scrapbooking Mastery, No. 2 **Altering Lesson 1: Grungy Grid Paper** **Manual © 2019 Jen White**

There are literally a million variations you can create with the layered grungy grid paper you created in lesson 1. Here are five quick ideas.

Have You Archived?

I recommend completing the Archiving lesson associated with this video before proceeding.

Never Experiment with the Original File

If you are experimenting with the original file you archived in Lesson 1, complete this step before proceeding.

- Open a document (File > Open) that contains the Grungy Grid Paper group from lesson 1.
- In the Menu Bar, choose File > Duplicate.
- In the dialog box, click OK.
- Close the original.

Go From Grungy to Graphic

- In the Layers panel, open the Grungy Grid Paper group.
- Holding down the Shift key, click on the layer mask of the White Grid group to disable it.
- Click on the Visibility icon of the Clouds layer to hide it.



Change the Texture Pattern

- In the Layers panel, open the Grungy Grid Paper group and double click on the thumbnail of the bottom pattern layer to open the Pattern Fill dialog box.
- In the dialog box, open the Pattern Picker. Open the drop down menu and choose Grayscale Paper. (PS: Click OK to replace the patterns.) Choose another light paper texture like Metallic Flecks, Marbled, or Lined.

Note: It's often necessary to zoom (Ctrl/Cmd +) into your document to see the texture change.

- Try different Scale percentages to see how things change.
- Click OK to commit the change.



Make the Texture Pattern More Pronounced

- In the Layers panel, open the Grungy Grid Paper group and click on the bottom pattern layer to activate it.
- Press Ctrl J (Mac: Cmd J) to create a duplicate.
- Change the Blend Mode of the duplicate layer to Multiply.
- Try other Blend Modes.

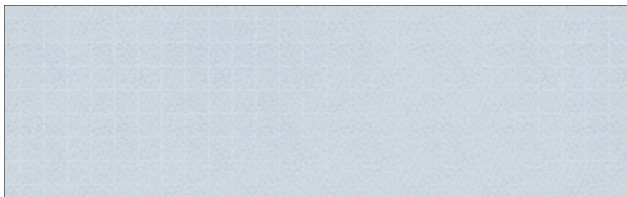
Note: Doing this will often change the color of your paper as well, so you may want to alter the Color Fill layer.



Change the Paper Color

- In the Layers panel, open the Grungy Grid Paper group and double click on the thumbnail of the Color Fill layer to open the Color Picker.
- In the Color Picker, choose a slightly darker or lighter shade of the original color.

Note: If you choose to dark a color, the texture pattern below will blend away. If you choose to light a color, the grid pattern and clouds above will blend away.



Make It Different - Color the Grid Lines

- In the Layers panel, open the Grungy Grid Paper group and click on the Invert adjustment layer to active it.
- In the Layers panel, click on the Create New Fill or Adjustment Layer icon and choose Solid Color.
- Click OK to close the Color Picker.
- In the Menu Bar, choose Layer > Create Clipping Mask.
- In the Layers panel, change the Blend Mode of the new Color Fill Layer to Color.
- In the Layers panel, double click on the thumbnail of the new Color Fill layer to open the Color Picker.
- In the Color Swatches panel, click on one of the colorful swatches you loaded earlier in the class.
- Try other swatches to see what a difference they will make.
- Click OK to close the Color Picker.

