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# Belle Calligraphy Kit: Materials And Instruction For Modern Script



## Synopsis

The covetable look of calligraphy is now well within reach for even the most novice practitioner. This ready-to-gift box – a brown paper package tied up with string – includes all the materials and technical guidance needed to learn calligraphy in a modern style that embraces the beauty of each person's unique penmanship. Illustrated project ideas show that script, easy as it is, makes everything irresistible.

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## Customer Reviews

San Francisco-based artist and calligrapher Maybelle Imasa-Stukuls has a widely acclaimed and distinctly modern approach to calligraphy. With more than ten years of experience, she teaches her Belle calligraphy workshops around the world. Learn more at [www.may-belle.com](http://www.may-belle.com).

The packaging for this calligraphy kit is beautiful, as are the instructions and penmanship booklet inside. I have two quibbles though: 1. The nib of the pen was completely bent out of shape when it arrived. It looked like a tiny pair of scissors. I had to spend a lot of time correcting the alignment with a pair of tweezers and this was kind of frustrating considering the price point. 2. The ink provided bleeds when used on the practice booklet. (See the first picture) Seriously, you had one job. Not only that, the ink seeps through to the other side, effectively ruining any chances of you practising on that side. (See the second picture). The paper in the booklet doesn't feel thin or cheap at all, but the ink managed to seep through anyway. Unfortunately all the other calligraphy kits in the market have terrible design and are not very gifty, so if you do purchase this, be prepared to purchase a few more nibs. Photocopying the pages of the penmanship book is also a good idea for one to get

more practice in since there are only two rows allocated for practicing each letter of the alphabet in the book and the ink seeps right through the paper.

Got this for a friend. They said the ink exploded but everything else was awesome. Super cute packaging.

This is my second Maybelle kit. I got the first one through her Etsy store. This one is a gift for my daughter-in-law. Beautiful packaging, excellent product.

Nice product, I wish it had more practice papers and more types of letters to learn but for a starter kit does what its supposed to.

Perfect little kit for beginners!

Beautiful kit

Purchased as a Christmas gift. She loved it.

Disappointed that the pen nib was broken when the kit arrived. Not a good beginning but as noted by others, the packaging is pretty and the little booklet has some interesting ideas. A nice gift for a beginner - as long as you provide a better pen.

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