Neela Phool

Seven pages for one week, by hand, in the diary with this cover.

READ YOUR COVER

Your cover is cotton, hand block-printed: cobalt blue with large white-outlined flowers along the edges. *Neela phool* means blue flower. Over six metres of cloth, a block printer makes several hundred small decisions about where each impression lands.

phool
OUTLINED FLOWER

edge
THE BORDER

pankhudi
PETAL

Simplified drawings, not copies of a printer's block.

THE ONLY RULES

- One page a day
- By hand, about ten minutes
- No rubbing out
- Nobody else has to read it

A page written by hand is the one nobody else could have written.

FROM THE STUDIO, AHMEDABAD

THIS WEEK

01	WRITE 10 min	Write about flowers someone gave you, or that you gave someone. What were they, and why?
02	DRAW 10 min	Draw large flowers along the edges of the page only, leaving the middle empty. Then write in the middle.
03	LOOK 10 min	Find something blue you have owned for more than five years. Describe it, and how it came to you.
04	WRITE 10 min	A printer makes hundreds of small decisions on one length of cloth. List ten small decisions you made today.
05	MAKE 10 min	Draw one flower in outline, then fill its petals with seven words, one for each day of the week.
06	WRITE 10 min	Write about a song you know every word of. When did you learn it?
07	RETURN 5 min	Choose the page you liked writing most. Draw a thin blue line around its edge.

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