

Slate Rose

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

READ YOUR COVER

Your cover is cotton, hand block-printed: a slate blue-grey ground with clusters of pink roses.

Block printing lays down one colour at a time, and the printer judges where each block lands by eye and hand.



gulab
ROSE



guchha
CLUSTER



patti
LEAF

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 a grey day that turned out well. What changed it? |
| 02
DRAW
10 min | Draw a rose starting from the centre, one curved petal at a time, until it is as wide as your palm. |
| 03
LOOK
10 min | Find something soft and something hard within reach. Describe each one without naming it. |
| 04
WRITE
10 min | Write about a friendship that has lasted longer than you expected. What has held it together? |
| 05
MAKE
10 min | Draw three clusters of three small roses. Beside each cluster write three things: one to keep, one to change, one to try. |
| 06
WRITE
10 min | Make a list of smells that take you somewhere: rain on a road, a kitchen, a perfume. |
| 07
RETURN
5 min | Read this week's pages and mark the one written on the hardest day. Notice that you still wrote it. |



TWENTY SHEETS

One for every diary print, free. Scan the code or visit houseoffalguni.com/pages/haath-se

SHARE A PAGE

Made one you like? Tag @houseoffalguni.

Craft notes from houseoffalguni.com/pages/the-craft and the product page for this cover.