

The unemployed philosophers Guild

2023 WHOLESAL SUPPLEMENT
INTERNATIONAL EDITION

WELCOME TO THE UNEMPLOYED PHILOSOPHERS GUILD 2023 WHOLESALE SUPPLEMENT!

Inside you'll find UPG's **newest smart and funny gifts** and other helpful features:

- UPG's **Best-Sellers** for our favorite categories
- Lots of **easy ways to order**:
 - Give our **Sales Reps** a call! (Yours is on the inside back cover.)
 - Order online **philosophersguild.com**
(First time? We'll set you up! Email **wholesale@philosophersguild.com**)
 - Order directly **wholesale@philosophersguild.com**
 - Call **800.255.8371** for help with any order



UPG sales resources are designed to work together!

WHAT IS THE UNEMPLOYED PHILOSOPHERS GUILD?

The origins of ~~THE~~ UNEMPLOYED PHILOSOPHERS GUILD are shrouded in mystery (and wine stains). Early in the 4th century BCE, Socrates allegedly drank from one of our vessels. (DISCLAIMER: UPG **hardly ever** endorsed drinking poisonous hemlock. We just made it look good.)

Years passed. The Roman Empire. Attila the Hun. The lost island of Atlantis, gingivitis, witch hunts... until the 1990s, when two brothers inherited the UPG mantle. These champions turned their advanced degrees, creativity, and love of paying rent toward noble ends: meeting the needs of the people for finger puppets of the great philosophers.

UPG carries on the ancient traditions even today – designing useful and beautiful things and cracking people up from our Ivory Tower HQ.

Thank you for your time millennia.

DIRTY MIND SPONGES

How you do the dishes is nobody's business.

Dirty Mind sponge sets are made with a soft side and a rough side – aren't we all? – and they always come in twos (sweet!) so you can have one in the kitchen *and* grab one for the bath.

Every squishy, scrubby **Dirty Mind** sponge inspires you to keep things steamy. Be sure to have a few on hand for quick clean-ups, wiping delicate stemware, or buffing intricate fixtures.

£3.75 p/u (£8.99 RRP)

Multiples of 6/style.

AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER



MAKE ME WET / SQUEEZE ME HARD

#5806



RINSE CHARMING / YOU'RE A DISH

#5807



TAKE ME IN THE KITCHEN / HAVE ME IN THE BATH

#5808



MAIN SQUEEZE / GET ME DIRTY

#5809



MUGS

£7.08 p/u (£16.99 RRP)

HOT

Multiples of 4/style.

AVAILABLE
SEPTEMBER

'Twas the Night Before Christmas HEAT-TRANSFORMING MUG

'Twas the night before Christmas...when the mug was still cold. Pour a steamy beverage and now it's Christmas morning! Bright ornaments, a blazing fire, and presents unwrapped. Dozens of holiday surprises revealed.

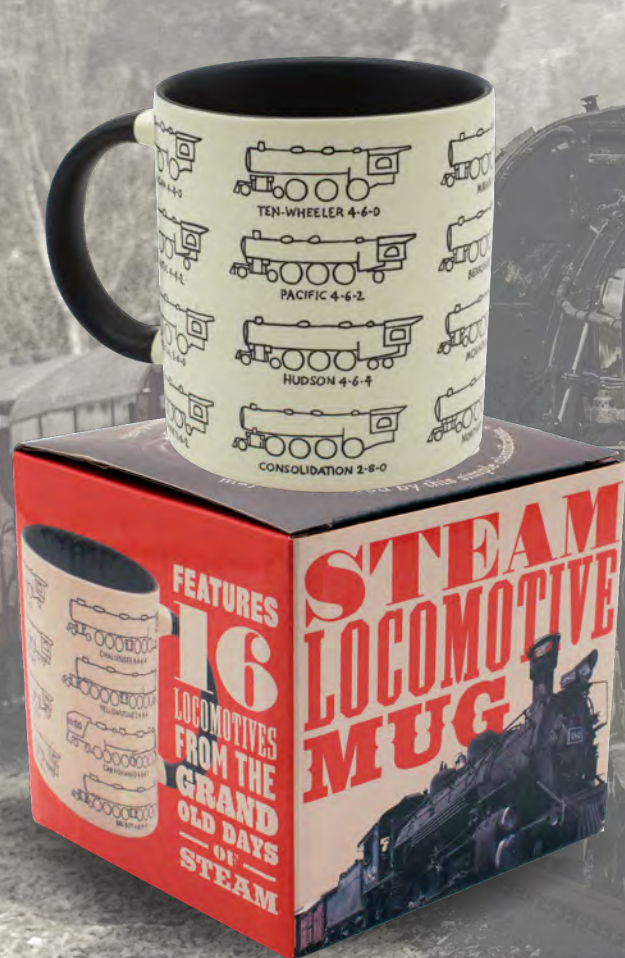
12 oz. / 350 mL #5811

AVAILABLE JUNE



DISPLAY CARD
INCLUDED

COLD



STEAM LOCOMOTIVE MUG

All aboard! The **Steam Locomotive mug** showcases 16 wheel arrangement types with notations devised by legendary mechanical engineer F.M. Whyte. Clean and classic, it's a modern artifact of the grand old days of steam!

12 oz. / 350 mL #5810



A MIDSUMMER NIGHT'S DREAM MUG

A *Midsummer Night's Dream* mug features humble Nick Bottom (transformed into an ass)... beloved of Fairy Queen Titania (under a charm)... as jealous Fairy King Oberon beholds his handiwork... and his servant Puck steals away...

If we shadows have offended,

Think but this, and all is mended,

That you have but slumbered here

While these visions did appear.

12 oz. / 350 mL #5802

AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER



BEE GARDEN MUG

A beautiful garden. A profusion of blooms. This **Bee Garden mug** features watercolor paintings of 13 species of flowers irresistible to pollinators (and the people who love them.)

14 oz. / 400 mL #5801

AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER





MONDRIAN T*LIGHT

Hot or cold, T*Lights bring an element of effortless composure to your studio. Whether you live in an atelier or something closer to a cave, an intriguing **Mondrian T*Light** adds abstraction to that all-important space surrounding it. (Home.) 8"/20cm diameter #5800
AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER

£6.25p/u (£14.99 RRP)
 Multiples of 4.



BATHTUB GIN SOAP

Not champagne, you sap! Bubbly **Bathtub Gin soap** is *exfoliating* (that's the bathtub part) with a *woody fresh* scent and emollient *olive oil* to leave you with the whiff of dirty martini. After hours of putting on airs, take them off again with **Bathtub Gin soap**. *woody fresh, olive oil* #5813
AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER

£1.66 p/u (£3.99 RRP) Multiples of 8.



SOAPS COME PACKAGED IN POP BOXES OF 8



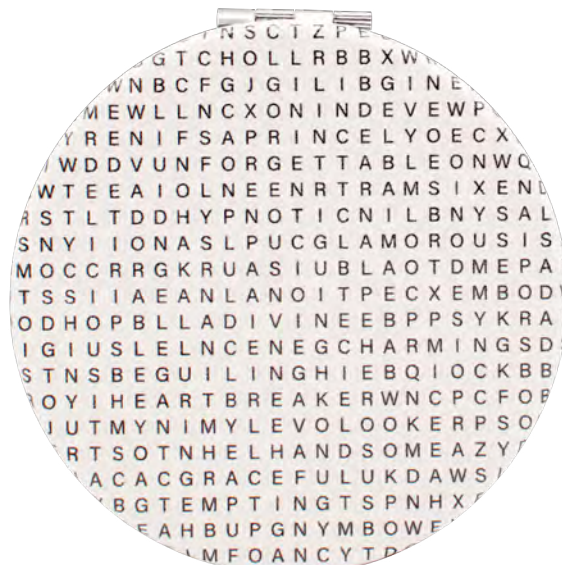
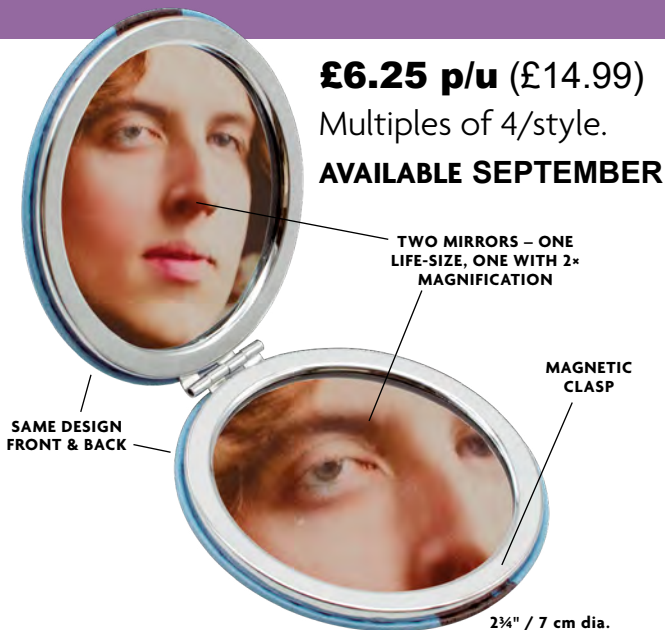
STAR TREK™ CAPTAIN KIRK SOAP

When you lather up with fresh, invigorating **Captain Kirk soap**, you'll feel ready to **BOLDLY GO!** (It's also a lovely little gift for Vulcan dignitaries – not to mention a thoughtful guest soap *Elasians will love.*) *herbal scent* #5814
AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER

£1.66 p/u Multiples of 8.



COMPACT MIRRORS



SEARCH FOR BEAUTY

Here's what everyone's looking for: GLAMOROUS and HANDSOME. But possibilities you never imagined are right before your eyes. If you look, you'll find SMART, find ORIGINAL, find 40 beautiful kinds of beautiful ... only if you don't stop looking too soon!

#5780



HENRY V SELF-LOVE

O for a Mirror fine, close at hand
 The best contraption for reflection!
 This fetching accessory features the Shakespeare quote:

*Self-love is not so vile a sin
 As self-neglecting.*

- Henry V, Act II, sc. iv

#5782



OSCAR WILDE TO LOVE ONESELF

One should either be a work of art, or wear a work of art. You can also hold a work of art as you contemplate Wilde's witticism:

To love oneself is the beginning of a lifelong romance.

#5781



9-HOOK DISPLAY

#5103
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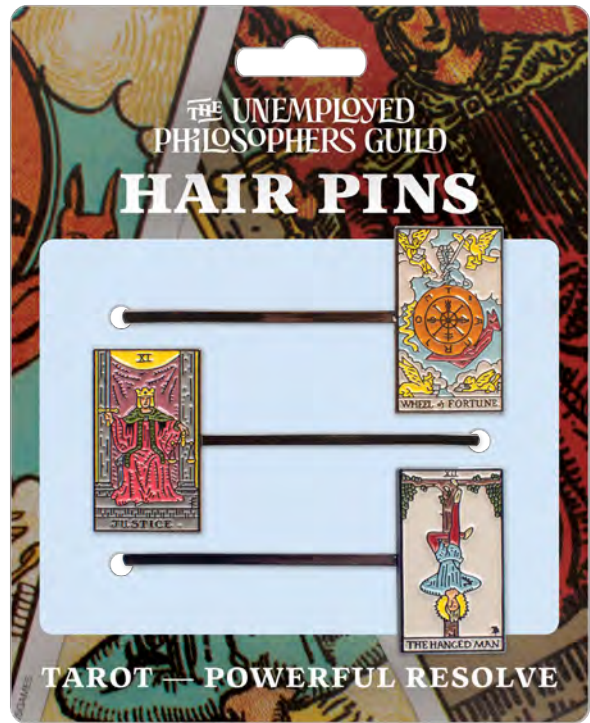
TAROT – RIGHTEOUS FEMININE HAIR PINS

Perceptive **High Priestess**, creative **Empress**, resolute **Strength** – a trio of Greater Arcana figures bringing Virtue, vitality, and a powerful **Feminine Energy**.

#5804

AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER

£7.08 p/u (£16.99 RRP)
Multiples of 4.



TAROT – POWERFUL RESOLVE HAIR PINS

Heralds of change, **Wheel of Fortune**, **Justice**, a **Hanged Man** attend to the inevitable, ordain and bear judgment in suspense. Shatter. Adapt, grow, transform, mending among shards until **powerful**.

#5803

AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER

£7.08 p/u (£16.99 RRP)
Multiples of 4.



FREDDIE'S PEPPERMINTS FIT FOR A QUEEN

*I see a little silhouette of a mint
Dans la bouche
When you smooch
In a tin and on-the-go
Thunderbolt and lightning
Cooling and exciting
Me!*

peppermint #5798

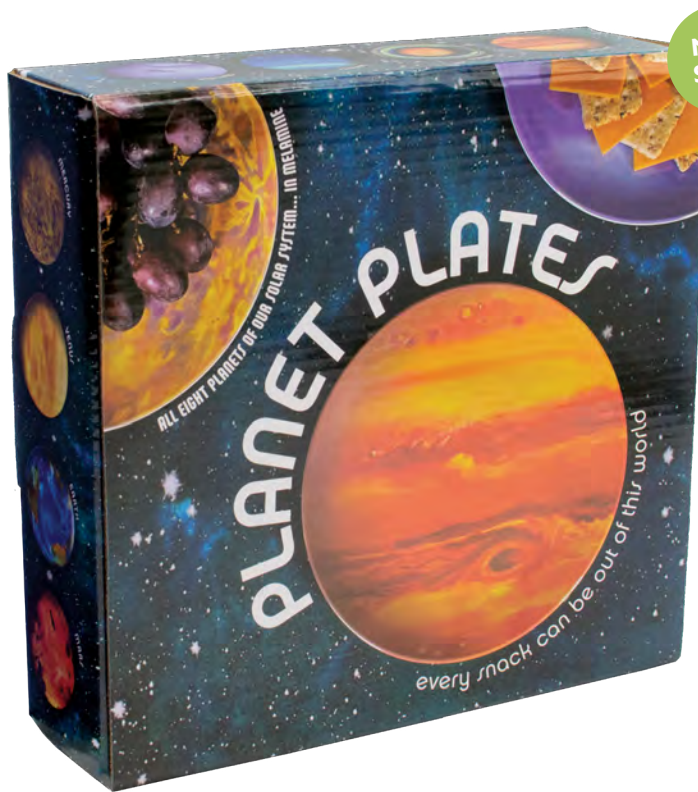
AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER

£2.08 p/u Multiples of 24.



MINTS COME
PACKAGED IN
POP BOXES OF 12

PLANET PLATES ⁷



NEW
SIZE!

PLANET PLATES

UPG's **Planet Plates** are a beautiful vision of our solar system in a set of eight lightweight and versatile melamine plates! The vivid watercolor portraits and beautiful design of **Planet Plates** bring inspiration to your entertaining. Perfectly sized for dessert and snacks – or appetizers and pass-around plates at your next cocktail party.

8" / 20cm diameter #3344
AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER

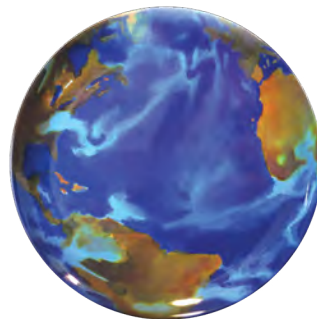
£12.91 p/u (£30.99 RRP)
Multiples of 4.



MERCURY



VENUS



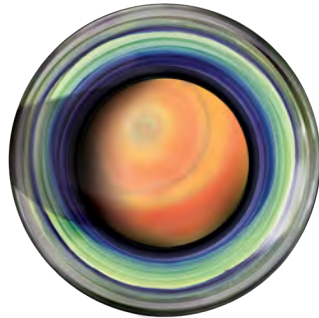
EARTH



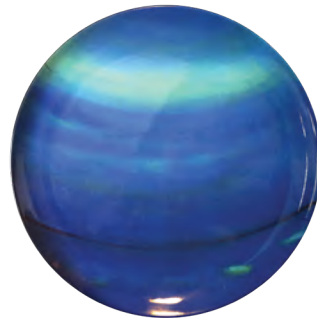
MARS



JUPITER



SATURN



URANUS



NEPTUNE

8 MAGNETIC PERSONALITIES

£3.75 p/u (£8.99 RRP)
Multiples of 6/style. **AVAILABLE**
SEPTEMBER

APPROX. 4" / 10 CM TALL



KETANJI BROWN JACKSON

Supreme Court Associate Justice **Ketanji Brown Jackson** can adjudicate important issues on your desk, your filing cabinet, or your bookshelf. Oyez! Oyez! Oyez! **#5772**



JOSEPHINE BAKER

Ernest Hemingway thought she was nothing less than “sensational” – but only because she was. Singer, dancer, actress, humanitarian... let **Josephine Baker** inspire you at home or wherever you are when you're living your best life. **#5773**



ORSON WELLES

At an early age, **Orson Welles** began creating the actor-writer-director-producer – along with the public persona to promote his own work. Welles became legendary – not only as a “multi-hyphenate” but for his careers in several media at once: radio, television, theatre, and film. **#5792**



EMILY DICKINSON

Poet Emily Dickinson remained true to her artistic vision – even without fame or professional recognition. It's the perfect gift for someone unwilling to overlook their own gift. **#0544**



£2.08 p/u (£4.99 RRP)

Multiples of 6/style.

AVAILABLE SEPTEMBER

NOTEBOOKS⁹

POCKET SIZE 3½" x 5" | 48 PAGES | 120gsm



BOB ROSS™ HAPPY LITTLE NOTEBOOK

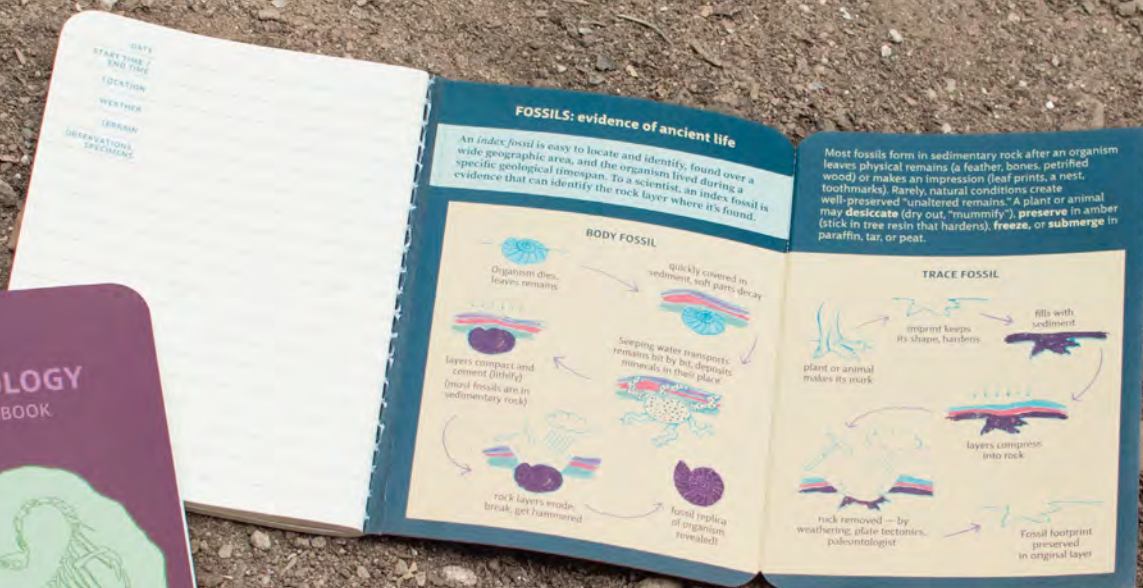
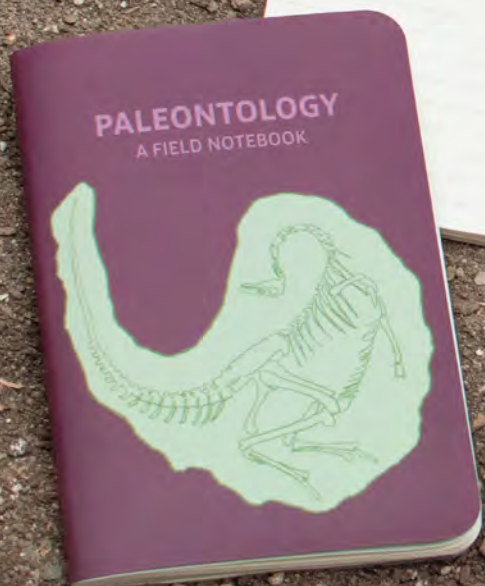
Our handy pocket notebook features quotes (for inspiration) and plenty of blank "canvas" (for drawing, sketching, and note-taking).

The **Bob Ross™ Happy Little Notebook** will remind you:

"Do something every day that will make you happy."

– Bob Ross

Blank pages, quotes #5795



PALEONTOLOGY NOTEBOOK

It's full of facts and features for paleontologists – people who love knowledge *and* mysteries, high-tech *and* getting your hands dirty – not to mention the prospect of naming a species.

Lined pages, room to sketch, field headings #5796



LITTLE THINKERS



ALBERT EINSTEIN #0035

FRIDA KAHLO #0056

EDGAR ALLAN POE #0187

MAGNETIC PERSONALITIES



FRIDA KAHLO #0057

WILLIAM SHAKESPEARE #0104

ANDY WARHOL #0643

THE SCREAM #0646

MAGNETIC PLAY SETS



MISTER ROGERS' HELLO, NEIGHBOR! #3819

BOB ROSS JOY OF PAINTING #5624

WHAT WOULD JESUS WEAR? #0323

FERTILE MINDS



ALBERT EINSTEIN #5534

EDGAR ALLAN POE #5584

ZIPPER BAGS



TAROT #5696

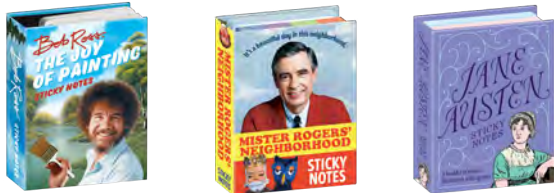
ALCHEMY #5323

WEED #5398

FRIDA KAHLO #5399

JANE AUSTEN #5324

STICKY NOTES



BOB ROSS THE JOY OF PAINTING #5004

MISTER ROGERS' NEIGHBORHOOD #3820

JANE AUSTEN #5755

JIGSAW PUZZLES



GREAT FIRST LINES OF LITERATURE #5627

A BRIEF HISTORY OF ART #5630

SECULAR SAINT CANDLES



FRIDA KAHLO #3291

BOB ROSS #5713

FREDDIE MERCURY #5418

RUTH BADER GINSBURG #5645

T*LIGHTS



BIRDS ON A WIRE #5667

CONSTELLATIONS #5666

MUGS



CONSTELLATIONS
#2762



BOB ROSS
SELF-PAINTING MUG #4961



BRIEF HISTORY OF ART
#1658



BUTTERFLIES
#5568



LITERARY CAT
#5375



GEOLOGIC TIME
#5019

ENAMEL PINS



FRIDA KAHLO
#5091



ROSIE THE RIVETER
#5098



JAMES BALDWIN
#5089



GREAT FLOWERS OF ART
#5704



EDGAR ALLAN POE
#5710



JANE AUSTEN
#5705

HAIR PINS

MINTS



MISTER ROGERS'
ENCOURAGEMINTS
#4230



BOB ROSS HAPPY LITTLE MINTS
#4960



EMPOWERMINTS
#0949



RETIREMINTS
#2102



STAR TREK DILITHIUM
CRYSTALS #4363

FOAM SWEET FOAM SOAP



URANUS SOAP
#4522



LADY MACBETH'S GUEST SOAP
#4438



WE WILL WASH YOU
#5701



JEAN-LUC PICARD'S
MAKE IT SOAP #5420



WE CAN WASH IT!
#4523



VAN GOGH'S
SUNFLOWER SOAP #4432

NOTEBOOKS



STARGAZING
#3394



COMIC
NOTE BOOK
#3581



STAR TREK CAPTAIN'S LOG
#4520



BOTANY
POCKET #5363



WONDERLAND
PASSPORT #1473



CAMPING
#5422

IVORY TOWER

20" × 24" × 66"

#5491



20 HOOKS
6 FLAT TRAYS
7 WIRE & ACRYLIC SHELVES
MAGNETIC FRAME
4 LOCKABLE WHEELS



MINI IVORY TOWER

13" × 15½" × 33"

#5582



6 HOOKS
3 FLAT TRAYS
3 WIRE & ACRYLIC SHELVES
MAGNETIC FRAME



360° ROTATION!

DISPLAYS



	ITEM	SKU	# OF STYLES	DIMENSIONS W x D x H	QTY FOR FREE
A	Spinning Countertop Puppet Display	4268	16	10 x 10 x 32"	96
B	Small Countertop Mint Display	0193	3	2 x 10 x 14"	72
C	Large Countertop Mint Display	0139	6	4 x 10 x 14"	144
D	Countertop Sticky Note Display	3105	6	11 x 10 x 15"	36
E	Countertop Secular Saints Candle Display	3804	8	11 x 13 x 24"	48
F	Spinning Countertop Pocket Notebook Display	4045	12	6 x 6 x 24"	72
G	Countertop Pocket Notebook Display	3104	6	13 x 7 x 17"	36
H	Countertop Soap Display	4472	9	16 x 12 x 10"	72
I	9-Hook Display†	5103	9	11 x 5 x 18"	36
J	24-Hook Spinning Display†	5354	24	8 ¼ x 8 ¼ x 18"	96
K	Countertop Magnetic Play Set Display	3106	4	9 x 10 x 24"	24

†Minimums vary with product selection (program cost for Enamel Pins shown). prices subject to change.





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