



HOW TO ENLARGE AN IMAGE

ENLARGE AT A PRINT AND COPY CENTER:

You can enlarge any product from Schoolgirl Style at a local printing facility. I have used both Staples and Office Depot and have been quite pleased with how the images came out from both companies.

- Save images on a portable thumb drive.
- Go to your local Print and Copy Center and explain to the Print Technician that you would like an image enlarged. (I have never sent my items online, however, it may be possible).
- Some Print and Copy Centers require a statement from me that allows you to enlarge the products. This is very rare. If this happens, click the link on my sidebar of my blog, **RELEASE TO PRINT FORM**, and you can print off the form to take to your local Print and Copy Center.
- I make sure to explain to the Print Technician that I am looking for the most cost effective way to enlarge my products. I typically use their least expensive paper and then laminate for durability.
- They will ask what size you would like to enlarge your image. *You can choose any dimensions when enlarging your product. It's all about personal preference and the space you are trying to fill.

MELANIE'S DIMENSIONS (In my photos, you will see several products that have been enlarged. These are the dimensions that I typically use when I go to a Print and Copy Center):

Posters – 11 x 17 inches

Calendar Set – 18 x 24 inches *Please note...you will need to enlarge ALL five pages of the calendar set to an 18 x 24 to make sure the numbers/graphics fit the calendar grid.

Alphabet Line – 6 x 21 inches *Explain to the technician that you would like each strip to measure 6 x 21 inches. Sometimes they will cut these for you for free!

Number Line – 6 x 21 inches *Explain to the technician that you would like each strip to measure 6 x 21 inches. Sometimes they will cut these for you for free!

ENLARGE WITH YOUR HOME PRINTER:

You can also use your home printer to enlarge any product, however, you must tape the papers together to create one large image. If you laminate the image afterwards, it will still look amazing! This is a great cost effective way to create posters and signs at a fraction of the cost!

Traci Clausen, from the blog, Dragonflies in First (<http://traciclausen.com/>), came up with an awesome tutorial on how to do this! Click on the link below for directions:

<http://imbloghoppin.blogspot.com/2014/07/print-poster-size.html>