

# Stars & Sparklers | 3 layouts

Optional Featured Technique: Adding Texture Paste with and without a Stencil

## Project 1



## Project 2



## Project 3



## Materials Needed:

G1231 Stars & Sparklers Scrapbooking Workshop Kit  
 Z7505 Carolina Exclusive Inks™ Re-inker (optional)  
 Z4247 Palette Knives (optional)  
 Z4245 Opaque Matte Texture Paste (optional)  
 Z1151 3-D Foam Tape  
 Z341 Glue Dots® Mini Dots

Z3515 Black Journaling Pen (.01)  
 Z2045 All-purpose Mat  
 Paper Trimmer  
 Scissors  
 Adhesive  
 Washi Tape

Gather photos (14 total)

(P) = portrait (L) = landscape

	3 × 4 (P)	4 × 4	4 × 6 (L)	4 × 6 (P)
Project 1	1	-	2	1
Project 2	6	-	-	-
Project 3	1	2	-	1

Getting Started:

- Gather all materials needed.
- Trim all zip strips and set aside. The zip strip is the ½" accent paper along the top of each sheet of patterned paper.
- Check the cut orientation below each cutting guide image. This will show you how to cut the paper, keeping the patterns on your project pieces facing the right direction.
- Light grey pieces on your cutting guide are project pieces. White pieces are leftover paper.
- As you cut the paper, label and sort the pieces as indicated in the cutting guide, creating a stack for each project.

Key:

✂ = first cut | \* = use back of paper paper  
cut diagonal = angle in trimmer

Cutting Diagrams:

zip strips



1B: 12 × ½



1E: 12 × ½



2B: 12 × ½



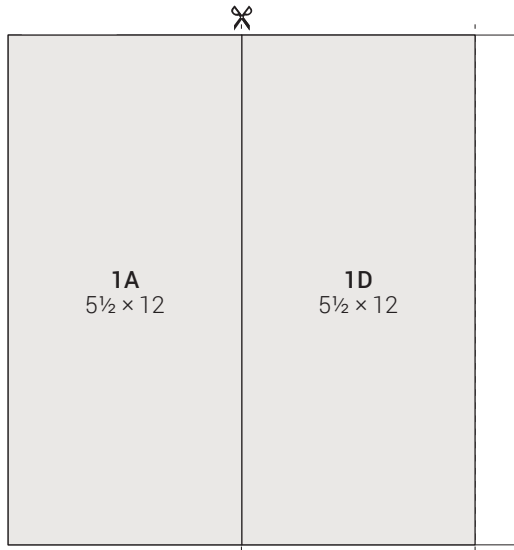
2E: 12 × ½



3C: 11½ × ¼



3G: 11½ × ¼



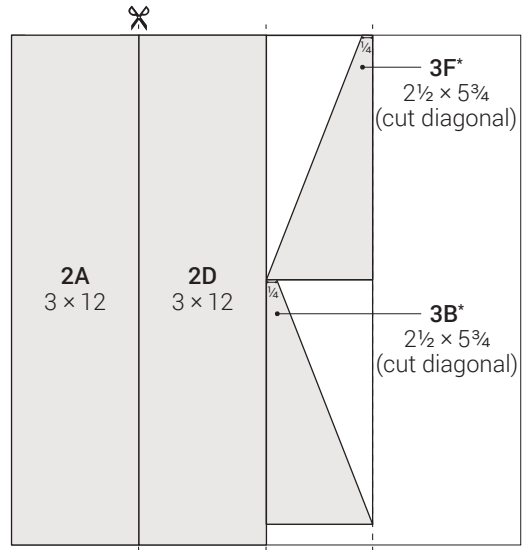
cut orientation



front



\*back



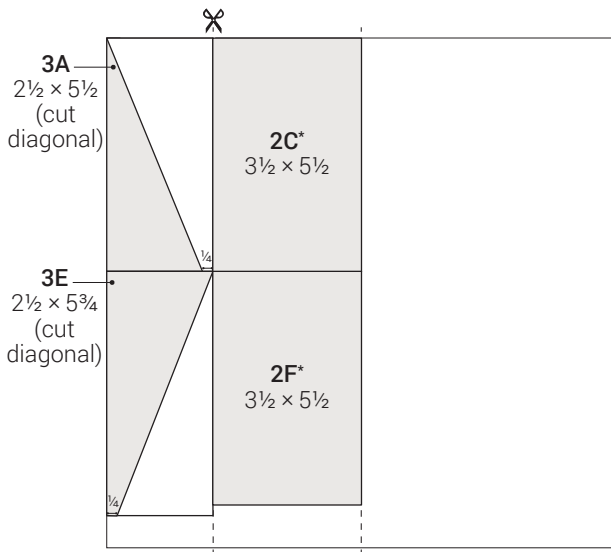
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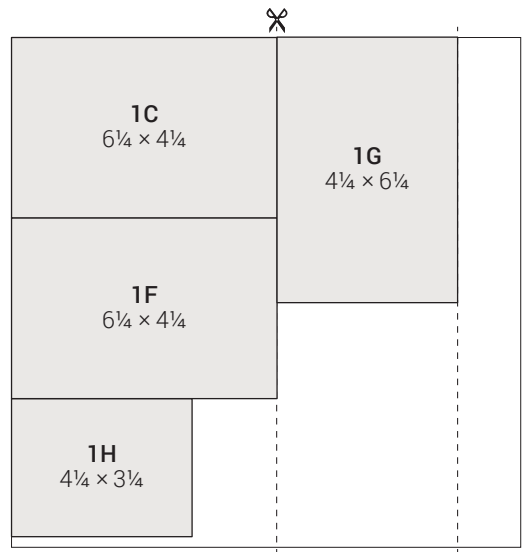
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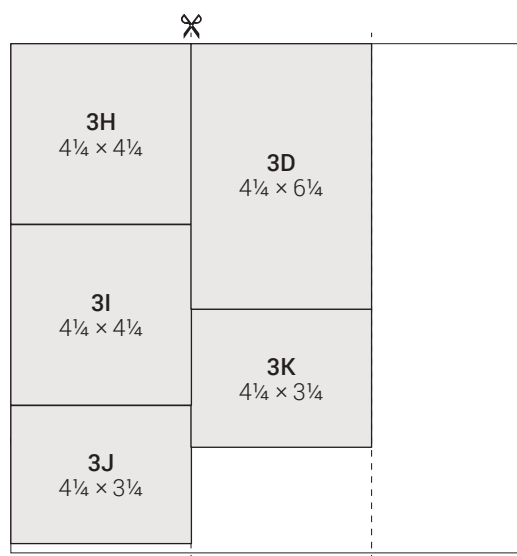
Scarlet cardstock



dark



\*light



Sapphire cardstock



dark



\*light



## Project 1: Left Page



## Prepare for Both Pages (Optional):

- Mix texture paste with Carolina re-inker and add to both White Daisy cardstock base pages using the included stencil, as shown  
*Tips: On an all-purpose mat, mix the re-inker and some texture paste with a palette knife. The more re-inker you add to the paste, the darker it will be. Secure the stencil in place with washi tape before adding paste to your pages. A thin layer of paste will suffice. Before continuing to the assemble section, allow the paste to dry. (You may want to move on to Project 2 and return to this project later.) Remember to clean your stencil.*



## Assemble:

- Use prepared White Daisy cardstock for base page
- Attach 1A and 1B
- Attach 1C
- Assemble and attach large die-cut star, as shown  
*Tips: Begin with the Carolina polka-dot die-cut point, then add four more points to complete the star shape. Do not use adhesive along the bottom half of the woodgrain star point die-cut so your photo can be tucked behind it in a later step. Cut or fold the remaining star points in half and layer them on top of the prepared star shape with 3-D foam tape, as shown.*
- Embellish with stickers  
*Tip: Attach a few of these pieces with 3-D foam tape for added dimension.*
- Attach photo  
*Tip: Tuck slightly behind woodgrain star point die-cut, as shown.*
- Embellish with sequins

## Project 1: Right Page



### Assemble:

1. Use prepared White Daisy cardstock for base page
2. Attach 1D and 1E
3. Attach 1F, 1G, and 1H  
*Tip: Do not use adhesive along the top left corner of 1F so another piece can be tucked behind it in a later step.*
4. Attach photos
5. Attach star journaling die-cut, as shown
6. Assemble and attach small die-cut star, as shown  
*Tips: Begin by choosing five die-cut points to form the star shape. Then, cut or fold the remaining star points in half and layer them on top of the prepared star shape with 3-D foam tape, as shown.*
7. Embellish with stickers  
*Tips: Attach a few of these pieces with 3-D foam tape for added dimension. Tuck one rocket sticker slightly behind 1F.*
8. Embellish with sequins
9. Add journaling



## Project 2: Left Page



### Assemble:

1. Use Carolina fireworks paper for base page
2. Attach 2A and 2B
3. Dovetail and attach 2C  
*Tip: Use the large Scarlet die-cut banner as a template for the dovetail.*
4. Attach large scarlet die-cut banner
5. Attach small Sapphire floral die-cut banner, overlapping Scarlet banner, as shown
6. Attach small patterned Scarlet die-cut banner along right edge of base page, as shown
7. Attach large frame sticker on top of 3" x 4" photo and attach, as shown
8. Attach additional photos
9. (Optional) If you will embellish with the truck sticker, as shown, first apply texture paste to the base page with a palette knife and allow to dry  
*Tip: Stir the paste with a palette knife before applying.*
10. Embellish with additional die-cuts and stickers, as shown  
*Tips: Attach a few of these pieces with 3-D foam tape for added dimension. Trim off bottom half of jar sticker.*
11. Embellish with sequins

## Project 2: Right Page



### Assemble:

1. Use Carolina fireworks paper for base page
2. Attach 2D and 2E
3. Dovetail and attach 2F  
*Tip: Use large Scarlet polka dot die-cut banner as a template for the dovetail.*
4. Attach large banner die-cuts
5. Attach small patterned Carolina and Scarlet banner die-cuts, as shown
6. Attach photos
7. (Optional) If you will embellish with floral sticker and die-cuts, as shown, first apply texture paste to the base page with a palette knife and allow to dry  
*Tip: Stir the paste with a palette knife before applying.*
8. Embellish with remaining die-cuts and stickers, as shown  
*Tips: Attach a few of these pieces with 3-D foam tape for added dimension. Trim wreath sticker in half.*
9. Embellish with sequins
10. Add journaling



### Project 3: Left Page



#### Assemble:

1. Use exclusive star paper for base page
2. Attach 3A, 3B, and burst die-cuts to back of large white burst overlay, as shown  
*Tip: Lay all of these out before attaching.*
3. Attach prepared overlay to base page
4. Attach 3C
5. Attach 3D with 3-D foam tape  
*Tip: Do not use adhesive along the left edge of 3D so another piece can be tucked behind it in a later step.*
6. Attach Scarlet "Home" title sticker with 3-D foam tape
7. Attach photo
8. Assemble the die-cut pinwheel and attach with 3-D foam tape, as shown  
*Tips: The pinwheel comes in two pieces, a Toffee base and a Sapphire fan-like piece that attaches on top. First, attach the top piece to the base with glue dots, aligning the two pieces so that the pinwheel arms do not overlap. Only use glue dots in the very center. Next, fold the Sapphire die-cut's tips along the provided score lines. Holding the attached pieces by the center, with your thumb and index finger, use your other hand to gently bring one Sapphire arm up at a time, creating a bow in the paper as you do so, and attach the folded piece to the back side of the Toffee base with glue dots. See photo above for reference.*
9. Embellish with additional die-cuts and stickers, as shown  
*Tip: Attach a few of these pieces with 3-D foam tape for added dimension.*
10. Embellish with sequins

## Project 3: Right Page



### Assemble:

1. Use exclusive star paper for base page
2. Attach 3E, 3F, and burst die-cuts to back of large white burst overlay, as shown  
*Tip: Lay all of these out before attaching.*
3. Attach prepared overlay to base page
4. Attach 3G
5. Attach photos
6. Attach 3H, 3I, 3J, and 3K  
*Tip: Attach 3J with 3-D foam tape for added dimension.*
7. Embellish with remaining die-cuts and stickers, as shown  
*Tip: Attach a few of these pieces with 3-D foam tape for added dimension.*
8. Embellish with sequins
9. Add journaling