Featured Technique: Splattering with a Shimmer Brush and Sponging


Materials Needed:

G1298 Sweet Memories Cardmaking Workshop Kit
Z2825 Mink Exclusive Inks ${ }^{\text {TM }}$ Stamp Pad
Z6539 Mist Exclusive Inks ${ }^{\text {Tm }}$ Stamp Pad
Z6532 Mulberry Exclusive Inks ${ }^{T m}$ Stamp Pad
Z6504 Sage Exclusive Inks ${ }^{\text {Tw }}$ Stamp Pad
Z4588 Ballerina Shimmer Brush
Z697 Round Sponge
Z2045 All-purpose Mat
Z1151 3-D Foam Tape

Exclusive Stamp + Thin Cuts:


Z2060 Thin 3-D Foam Tape
Z5038 Die-cutting \& Embossing Machine
Y1000 1" $\times 1^{\text {" }}$ My Acrylix ${ }^{\circledR}$ Block
Y1003 2" $\times 2^{\prime \prime}$ My Acrylix ${ }^{\circledR}$ Block
Y1009 2" $\times$ 3½" My Acrylix ${ }^{\circledR}$ Block
Paper Trimmer
Scissors
Adhesive
Ruler


## Getting Started:

- Gather all materials needed.
- Trim all zip strips and set aside. The zip strip is the $1 / 2 "$ 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, not including labeled project pieces that must be die cut, 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.
- In order to die-cut two shapes at once, place the die on top of two stacked paper pieces before running the paper through your diecutting machine. Paper pieces that can be stacked for die-cutting will be labeled, "stack."

Key:
$\mathscr{X}=$ first cut $I^{*}=$ use back of paper I P $=$ Project
cut diagonal = angle in trimmer

-     -         - = cut line
-••••• = fold line
- suggested Thin Cuts arrangement


## Cutting Diagrams:



cut orientation

front
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*back
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cut orientation


Tip: See the Getting Started section above for additional information on how to make two die-cuts at once.


Mink cardstock

light


Tip: See the Getting Started section on page two for additional information on how to make two die-cuts at once.


Mist cardstock

*dark

light


Mulberry cardstock

light
*dark
Tip: See the Getting Started section on page two for additional information on how to make two die-cuts at once.


White Daisy cardstock
$\square$

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White Daisy cardstock


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## Assemble:

2. Attach 2A, 2B, 2C, and 2D
3. Attach 2 E and 2 F
4. Attach prepared 2 H
5. Embellish with gems

2H:
Paper: light Mist
Ink: Mist
Tip: Sponge the edges with Mist ink. Cut a wedge out of the round sponge and use it to apply the ink.
Technique: Gently rub the sponge on the ink pad and then lightly rub the edges of the cardstock until the desired amount of color is achieved.

## P2 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy
Ink: Mulberry
Tip: Embellish with the
Ballerina shimmer brush once the ink is dry.

## P2 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy
Inks: Mist, Sage
Tips: Sponge the edges with Mist ink.

1. Prepare pieces shown above
2. Attach 2 G with 3-D foam tape
3. Attach flourish accents, as shown
4. Attach remaining prepared accents with thin 3-D foam tape



3A: Paper: light Mink Ink: Sage

3C:
Paper: White Daisy Ink: Mink

## 3D:

Paper: light Mist Ink: Mist
Tip: Sponge the edges with Mist ink. Cut a wedge out of the round sponge (or use the wedge from Project 2) and use it to apply the ink. Technique: Gently rub the sponge on the ink pad and then lightly rub the edges of the cardstock until the desired amount of color is achieved.

## P3 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy Ink: Sage

## P3 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy Ink: Mulberry

## P3 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy Ink: Mist
Tips: Sponge the edges with Mist ink. Embellish with the Ballerina shimmer brush once the ink is dry.

## Assemble:

1. Prepare pieces shown above
2. Splatter card base with Ballerina shimmer brush Technique: Squeeze the shimmer brush over an all-purpose mat to make a small puddle of ink. Pick up ink from the puddle with the tip of the brush, and gently tap the barrel of the brush on your index finger, above where you want the splatters to land.
3. Attach prepared 3 A and 3 B
4. Attach prepared 3 C
5. Attach prepared 3D with 3-D foam tape
6. Attach P3 zip strip accent, as shown
7. Attach light Mink flourish accent, as shown
8. Attach prepared accents with thin 3-D foam tape, as shown
9. Embellish with gems


## Assemble:

1. Prepare pieces shown above
2. Attach prepared $4 A$ and prepared $4 B$
3. Tear between $1 / 4$ " to $1 / 2$ " off one long edge of $4 C$ and 4D, then attach
4. Attach prepared 4E with 3-D foam tape Tip: Do not use adhesive along the left and right edges so other pieces can be tucked behind it in a later step.
5. Attach prepared doily accents

Tip: Tuck these accents slightly behind $4 E$, as shown.
6. Attach remaining prepared accents, as shown Tip: Attach a few of these accents with thin 3-D foam tape for added dimension.
7. Embellish with gems


## 4A and 4B:

Paper: light Mulberry
Inks: Mink, Mulberry
Tip: Sponge the edges with Mulberry ink, then stamp with Mink ink. Cut a wedge out of the round sponge (or use the wedge from Project 1) and use it to apply the ink. Technique: Gently rub the sponge on the ink pad and then lightly rub the edges of the cardstock until the desired amount of color is achieved.

## 4E:

Paper: light Mink Ink: Mink

## P4 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy
Ink: Mist
Tip: Embellish with the Ballerina shimmer brush once the ink is dry.

## P4 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy Ink: Mulberry
Tips: Sponge the accent with Mulberry ink, then cut it in half. Technique: Gently rub the sponge on the ink pad and then lightly pounce it on the cardstock until the desired amount of color is achieved.

## P4 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy
Ink: Mulberry
Tip: Sponge the edges with Mulberry ink.

## P4 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy
Ink: Sage

## P4 Accent:

Paper: White Daisy
Ink: Mulberry
Tip: Embellish with the Ballerina shimmer brush once the ink is dry.

