

## **CRAFTING FOREVER ALTERED NOTEBOOK**

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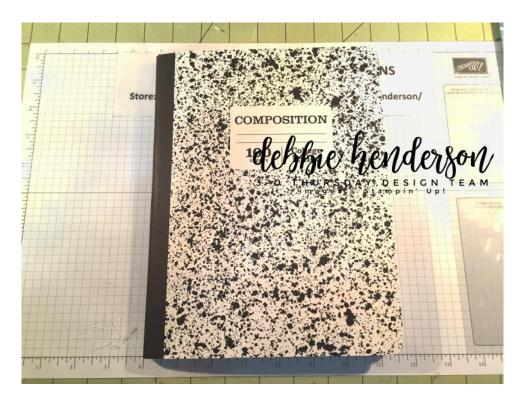


## Stampin' Up! Supplies Used:

- Stamps: Crafting Forever
- Inks: Basic Black, Lemon Lime Twist, Smoky Slate
- Cardstock: Whisper White, Basic Black, Lemon Lime Twist, Basic Gray, Silver Foil Sheets
- Designer Paper: Fresh Florals Designer Paper Stack, Pick A Pattern
- Accessories: Glitter Enamel Dots, Lemon Lime Twist ½" Finely Woven Ribbon
- Tools: Stitched Shapes Framelits Dies, Blender Pen, Paper Snips, Oh My Stars Embossing Folder, Tear & Tape
- Miscellaneous: Composition Notebook 7-1/2" x 9-3/4"

## **INSTRUCTIONS:**

1. You will need a notebook measuring 7-1/2" x 9-3/4". I purchased mine at WalMart:



2. Cut a piece of the Fresh Floral Designer Paper to measure  $3" \times 9-5/8"$ . Add Tear & Tape to the two long sides:



3. Add a piece of Tear & Tape on both sides of the binding on the notebook and peel the backing. Wrap the center of the designer paper against the center of the binding and press in place on both sides of the binding. Remove the backing from the designer paper and finish pressing in place:



4. Cut (2) pieces of the Fresh Florals Designer Paper ( $2^{nd}$  pattern) to measure 6" x 9-5/8". Add Tear & Tape to the front and back cover and glue the designer paper in place, making sure the 3 sides are even. Trim if needed:



5. Cut a strip of the Pick A Pattern Designer Paper to measure  $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 9-5/8". Glue where the designer papers meet on the front with Tear & Tape. Cut a piece of ribbon 9-5/8" long and glue in place next to the Pick A Pattern Designer Paper using Tear & Tape:



6. Cut (3) banners as follows: Whisper White 1"  $\times$  4", Basic Black 1-1/2"  $\times$  4-1/2", and Lemon Lime Twist 2"  $\times$  5". Snip one end of each banner into a "V". Emboss the Lemon Lime Twist banner with the Oh My Stars Embossing Folder:



7. Stamp and color the following as shown in the photo:



- Stitched Shapes Framelits Dies: (1) oval measuring 2-3/4" wide using Whisper White Cardstock. Stamp the sentiment using Basic Black Ink.
- Scissors image: Stamp twice using Basic Black Ink, once on Lemon Lime Twist Cardstock and once on Silver Foil Sheets. Hand-cut the handles only on the Lemon Lime Twist and glue to the Silver Foil Sheet that is also hand-cut.
- Rubber Stamp image: Stamp on Whisper White Cardstock and color with a Blender Pen using Smoky Slate and Lemon Lime Twist Inks.
- Baker's Twine image: Stamp on Whisper White Cardstock using Basic Black Ink. Color with a Blender Pen using Smoky Slate and Lemon Lime Twist Inks. Hand-cut.
- Pens images: Stamp one pen on Lemon Lime Twist, one on Whisper White and the 3<sup>rd</sup> on Basic Gray Cardstocks using Basic Black Ink. Color the white and lime pens using a Blender Pen and Lemon Lime Twist Ink. For the gray pen, stamp the tip of the pen a 2<sup>nd</sup> time on Silver Foil Sheets. Hand-cut the tip only. Glue the silver tip to the gray pen.

8. Glue all of the stamped images and banners to the front of the notebook in layers by gluing the banners first:



Add Glitter Enamel Dots to the white banner and your project is now complete!

