

How to make a Tri-Shutter Card

This is a fun card to make and you can be sure that the recipient will be wowed. I love to use a pack of Designer Series Papers to decorate my tri-shutter cards as all the papers match each other which makes it easy to create a very eye pleasing project. You can use any embellishments and punches that you have to hand...it creates a stunning, elegant and beautiful card...



Step 1 – cut a piece of solid color cardstock to the measurements of 5 1/2" x 12"

Step 2 – using your Paper Trimmer & Score Blade, score at 2" 4" 8" and 10" as shown below:



Step 3 – measure in 1 1/2" from the top long edge and using your Craft Knife and self-healing mat, cut a slit from the 2" score line to the 10" score line. Measure in 1 1/2" from the bottom long edge and cut another slit from the 2" score line to the 10" score line – see below for visual details:



Your piece of cardstock should look like this:



Step 4 – fold carefully along your score lines as show below – use a Bone Folder to make your lines crisp and there you have your card base



Step 5 – now for the really fun and creative part – decorate your card! If you use papers from a pack of DSP it is super easy to co-ordinate the colors and prints

The papers I used in my card at the top of this tutorial are from the Sending Love Specialty pack which you can find on pg 13 of the Occasions Mini catalog and it has glittered sheets too – it is just gorgeous. I also custom made a mat in the center using the brand new Scallop Trim Corner & Scallop Trim Border Punches – the corner punch is in the Occasions Mini Catalog on sale for just \$9.95 and you can get the border punch for FREE as part of Sale-a-bration

Enjoy making your cards!

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