

**TECHNIQUE:**

Resist

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# Seasonal sentiments

# with shrink plastic

**GET READY...****Autumn leaf card**

- ✓ Stampendous N134 Long Leaf Text stamp
- ✓ VersaMagic Tea Leaves, Cornucopia, Jumbo Java inkpads
- ✓ VersaMark Watermark inkpad
- ✓ White Shrink Plastic
- ✓ Copper Krylon Leafing Pen
- ✓ Basic Grey 'Sublime' Collection Pack
- ✓ Autumn Sentiments ROY504 rub-on sheet
- ✓ Walnut Ink tintZ - Brick, Lime, Moss
- ✓ Glossy card
- ✓ Heat tool
- ✓ Silicone adhesive
- ✓ Scissors
- ✓ Threads

**Maple card**

- ✓ Stampendous F127 Maple Text stamp
- ✓ VersaMagic Tea Leaves, Cornucopia, Jumbo Java, Red Brick inkpads
- ✓ VersaMark Watermark inkpad
- ✓ White Shrink Plastic
- ✓ Copper Krylon Leafing Pen
- ✓ Basic Grey 'Sublime' Collection Pack
- ✓ Autumn Sentiments ROY504 rub-on sheet
- ✓ Walnut Ink tintZ - Brick, Lime, Moss
- ✓ Glossy card
- ✓ Junkitz Alphabetz Fall - 01079
- ✓ Junkitz Twillz Fall - 01050
- ✓ Medium square punch
- ✓ Heat tool
- ✓ Silicone adhesive
- ✓ Scissors

**Autumn winds begin to blow**

- ✓ Stampendous N136 Leafy Block stamp
- ✓ VersaMark Watermark inkpad
- ✓ Basic Grey 'Sublime' Collection Pack
- ✓ Autumn Sentiments ROY504 rub-on sheet
- ✓ Walnut Ink tintZ - Brick, Lime, Moss
- ✓ Glossy card
- ✓ Heat tool
- ✓ Silicone adhesive
- ✓ Scissors

**Tree card**

- ✓ Whispers Tree stamp
- ✓ Outlines C414 (Autumn) stamp
- ✓ Page Petal Point 'Retro' inkpad
- ✓ Basic grey 'Sublime' Collection Pack
- ✓ Autumn Sentiments ROY504 rub-on sheet
- ✓ Small square punch
- ✓ Silicone adhesive
- ✓ Craft knife

Combine the resist technique with shrink plastic for fantastic autumnal designs.

**GO****Autumn leaf card**

**1** Pick a 12x12 sheet from the 'Sublime' collection pack, cut a 25.5x12.5cm piece from it, score and fold to form a square cut card.

**2** Stamp the Long Leaf image three times onto glossy card using the VersaMark watermark inkpad and heat set. Apply Walnut Ink tintZ to your leaf images, using all three colours and trying to blend the colours as you apply them. Remove any excess ink with kitchen towel. As colour is applied the white resist images appear. Continue to add more tintZ until happy with the depth of colour and once dry cut out each leaf.

**3** Sponge white shrink plastic with Tea Leaves and Cornucopia ink. Stamp your Long Leaf onto the sponged shrink plastic with Jumbo Java ink. Cut out the leaf images and shrink with a

heat tool. While still warm, bend slightly to give them shape and add Copper Krylon to the edges.

**4** Cut a gift tag from the collection pack, attach threads, torn brown paper and rub-on sentiments to complete. Attach the tag to the left of the card and stick one stamped leaf on top. Attach two shrink plastic leaves with silicone adhesive.

**5** Attach the other two stamped leaves to the right and then rub an autumn sentiment on the top as shown. Attach the third shrink plastic leaf with silicone adhesive. To complete, add an Autumn rub-on sentiment along the bottom of the card.

**Maple card**

**1** Pick a 12x12 sheet from the collection pack, cut a 25.5x12.5cm piece from it, score and fold to form a square cut card.

**2** Stamp the Maple Text stamp randomly onto glossy card with the VersaMark Watermark inkpad and heat set. Apply Walnut Ink tintZ to the images as before until your resist images appear. Wipe away any excess with kitchen towel. Once dry cut to a 12x7cm rectangle and attach to the left of the card.

**3** Stamp two more leaves in the same way as Step 2 and colour one leaf with Brick Walnut tintZ and another leaf with Lime Walnut tintZ. Cut out when dry.

**4** Sponge white shrink plastic with Tea Leaves, Cornucopia and Brick ink. Stamp the Maple Leaf onto the sponged area with Jumbo Java ink. Cut out the leaves and shrink with a heat tool. While still warm, bend slightly to give a more realistic look and apply Copper Krylon to the edges.

**5** Punch two squares from a 12x12 sheet and mount onto the card as shown. Add autumn sentiments and Fall Twillz. Fix the Brick Walnut

and Lime Walnut Maple leaves with silicone adhesive and then attach the shrink plastic leaves.

**6** Rub an autumnal sentiment on the bottom of the card and to complete spell out 'MAPLE' using Junkitz Alphabetz.

**Autumn winds begin to blow**

**1** Cut, score and fold 12x12 card to a 13cm square.

**2** Stamp the Leafy Block onto glossy card three times using VersaMark Watermark ink and heat set. Apply Walnut Ink tintZ as before until the resist images appear. Cut one decorated piece to size and layer onto co-ordinated card then onto the main square card.

**3** From the second stamped image cut out all the leaves and attach as shown with silicone adhesive to give a 3D finish. From the third image cut out three leaves only and attach to the bottom corner of the card. For the finishing touch rub on autumnal sentiments.

**Tree card**

**1** Cut, score and fold 12x12 card to a 13cm square.

**2** Apply Palm Leaf and Redwood ink to the tree stamp and stamp onto cream card three times. Remember to start with the lightest colour first to prevent contamination. Once dry cut each tree to size and layer onto brown card then onto the main card.

**3** Stamp the tree once more onto cream card and from this image punch out three squares. Attach to the card as shown and add autumn rub-on sentiments.

**4** Ink the Autumn sentiment stamp with Palm Leaf and Redwood ink and stamp twice onto cream card, re-inking each time. Cut out and mount as shown to give a raised effect. Mount onto the bottom of the card.

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