

TECHNIQUE:
Using co-ordinating papers

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CO-ORDINATED cards

For a really stylish look have a go at using co-ordinated

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Blue card

- ✓ A4 white card
- ✓ Cardmaker's Icy Rainbow book (pale blue, dark blue and text papers)
- ✓ Cardmaker's Friendship Card Quotes
- ✓ Pewter butterfly button charms
- ✓ Make Me border embossing and cutting punch
- ✓ Pewter brads
- ✓ Thin sticky foam pads
- ✓ Scissors
- ✓ Glue
- ✓ Ruler

Lilac card

- ✓ 12x12in lilac card
- ✓ Cardmaker's Icy Rainbow book (lilac patterned and pale lilac papers)
- ✓ Cardmaker's Friendship Card Quotes
- ✓ 0.7mm lilac organza ribbon
- ✓ 0.3mm lilac braid
- ✓ Silver peel-off butterflies
- ✓ Small pieces of lilac vellum
- ✓ Scissors
- ✓ Glue
- ✓ Ruler

Pink card

- ✓ 12x12in white card

- ✓ Cardmaker's Icy Rainbow, book (pink floral, very pale pink and deep pink paper)
- ✓ Cardmaker's Friendship Card Quotes
- ✓ Vellum butterfly from Paper Pizazz Lacy Vellum book
- ✓ Make Me border embossing and cutting punch
- ✓ Pale pink cotton thread
- ✓ Jumbo slide mounts
- ✓ Silver mini swirl clips
- ✓ Coloured pencils in pink, deep pink and plum
- ✓ Deckle edge scissors
- ✓ Scissors
- ✓ Glue
- ✓ Ruler

Blue card

- 1 Cut white card to 12x24.5cm, mark a line 7.5 cm from the left edge, score and fold to make a card blank as shown with a 7.5cm card front.
- 2 Cover the inside of the card in text paper and the front in pale blue paper. Punch a 1.7cm wide strip from dark blue paper and attach to the left edge, next to the fold.
- 3 Cut a piece of card 7.5x10cm and cover in dark blue paper. Make a frame measuring 6.5x9cm on the outside and 5x7.5 cm on the inside (the aperture). Cover in pale blue paper.
- 4 Cut a quote from the Card Quotes book and attach to the back of the frame, secure in place with mini brads. Attach to the dark blue covered card panel and then affix to the card front, 3.5cm from the left edge. Add two butterfly button charms for the finishing touch.

Lilac card

- 1 Cut lilac card to 13.5x29.5cm, score and fold in half. Cover the front with lilac patterned paper and then cut out a 4.3x6.3cm aperture.
- 2 Cut a 1cm wide frame from card to fit around the aperture and cover in lilac paper. Attach to the card front.
- 3 Cover the inside of the card in pale lilac paper. Cut words from the Card



Quotes book and attach to the inside of the card so they can be seen through the aperture.

- 4 Add a length of organza ribbon to the left edge of the card front and across the bottom. Add braid on top of the ribbon.
- 5 Stick three peel-off butterflies onto lilac vellum, cut out and attach to the card front. Add two more peel-off butterflies inside the card, around the text.

Pink card

- 1 Cut white card to 18x28cm, score and fold in half and cover the front in floral paper.
- 2 Punch a length of pale pink paper and cut to 2.5cm wide. Attach to the left edge of the card front. Cut a 7mm strip of deep pink paper using deckle edge scissors on one side and attach to the left edge, on top of the pale pink paper.
- 3 Cover two slide mounts, one in pale pink and the other in deep pink paper. Fix a floral picture from the Icy Rainbow book to the back of the pale pink frame. Cut words from the Card Quotes book, lay a piece of pale pink vellum on top of the words and attach both to the back of the deep pink frame. Fix the two frames to the card front as shown, slightly overlapping them.

- 4 Cut out a butterfly and colour the middle part of the wings in various shades of pink and plum. Add a little glue to the underside of the body and attach to the card front, lifting the wings up for a 3D effect.

- 5 Fix a swirl clip to the top frame and attach two Icy Rainbow tags with pink thread. Add a second swirl clip to the bottom frame to finish off.

SOURCE

All items available from Andy Crafts, 1A Market Hall, Chester, Cheshire (Tel: 01244 322820).

