

HANDBAG CARD MINI KITS TUTORIAL (Lilac design demonstrated)

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Materials Required:

2 sheets A4/Lettersize Cardstock 200gsm or Photo Paper

3D Sticky Pads or Silicone Glue for decoupage

Double-sided Tape OR Glue



Handbag Card Front

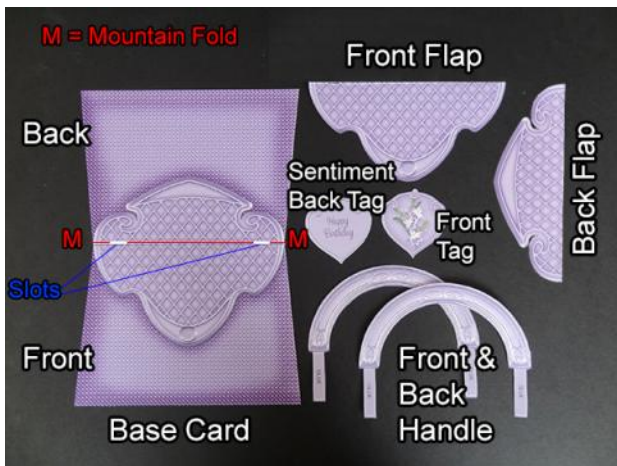


Handbag Card Side View



Back Handbag Card View

INSTRUCTIONS



Print both sheets on to 200gsm Cardstock or Photo Paper.

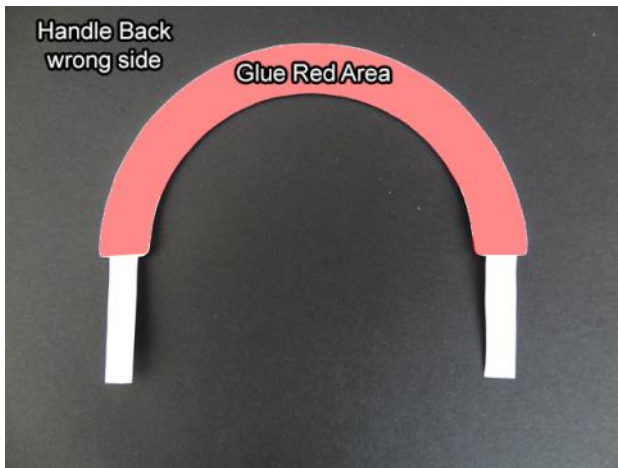
Sheets may be reduced in your printer settings to make a smaller card.

Score Mountain Fold Line as shown on the sheet.

Cut out all the pieces including the slots along the fold line which are indicated on the sheet in a lighter colour. The slots should be the double thickness of your paper so that the handle threads through easily (about 2-3 knife widths).



Fold along Mountain Score Line as shown and crease well with a bone folder.



Apply glue to the wrong side of the handle back as shown in red (I used a glue stick). Leave the tabs free of glue (you will apply double-sided tape to the right side of the tabs in a later step).



Apply glue to the wrong side of the Front Tag as shown in red (I used a glue stick).



Glue the two handles wrong sides together leaving the tabs free.

Apply the sentiment panel to the back of the Front Tag.

Apply Double sided tape to the right side of the 4 tabs of the handle over where it says 'GLUE'.



Push the 4 handle tabs through the slots until it can go in no further.

Open up the card and peel off the double-sided tape topping and fold down the card on to them. Turn over and do the same with the remaining 2 tabs.



Apply 3d pads to the front and back flaps. Apply to main card front & back.





Punch hole in the sentiment tag and thread ribbon or cord through. Tie to the handle.

Optional Butterflies: Place Butterflies A & C flat on to the flap with 3d pads. Fold Butterflies B & D in half down the bodies and glue down the body only and tip the wings up to give the effect of flying.



Finished Card with optional butterflies.

Apply embellishments, if desired. Stand back and admire! The card folds down flat to fit into a standard 8 inch square envelope.

I have lots of designs in this style which are suitable for Birthdays or Mother's Day and you can find them here: [Handbag Card Mini Kits](#)

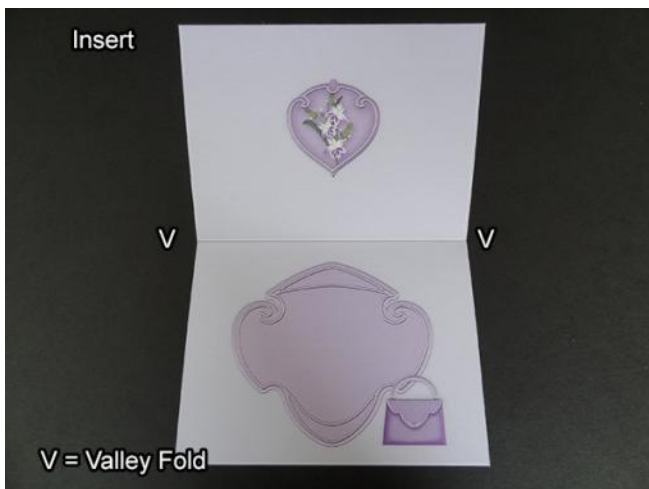
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MATCHING INSERT (Available separately see related sheet on each design)

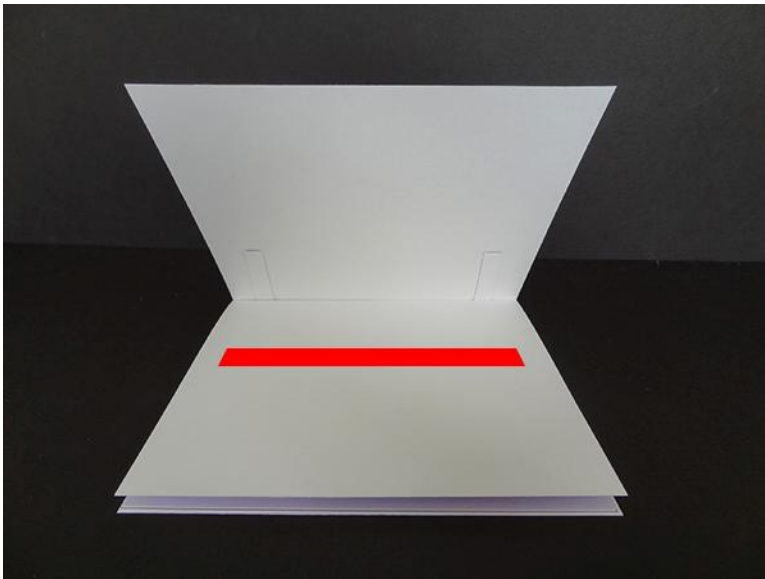
Materials required:

1 sheet thin cardstock or heavy paper.
Double-sided tape



Print on to 160-170 gsm cardstock or heavy paper.

Cut out and score and fold along Valley Fold line.



Insert the insert into the fold of the card and apply double-sided tape where shown in red. This will ensure that the tabs of the handle are covered over by the insert.

Do the same with the other side.

Finished Card with Insert and optional butterflies.



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