



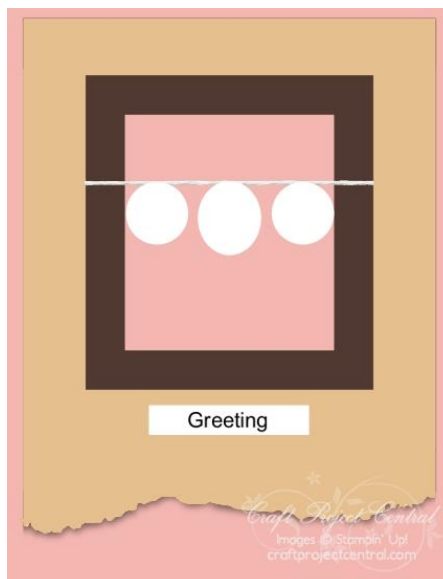
Creating Pretty Cards – Sketch Challenge #68

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Our card challenges are here to be a source of inspiration, helping you create pretty cards easily! You're encouraged to let the creative spark take you wherever it goes: rotate the layout, change up the sizes, use different shapes or duplicate the sketch exactly.

To help you get started we've created this Mini Tutorial with measurement and cutting information as well as a recipe for our inspiration card. This is just a tiny glimpse of what you can expect from the monthly Craft Project Central Tutorials! We're looking forward to seeing what this sketch inspires you to create!



Instructions

Step 1

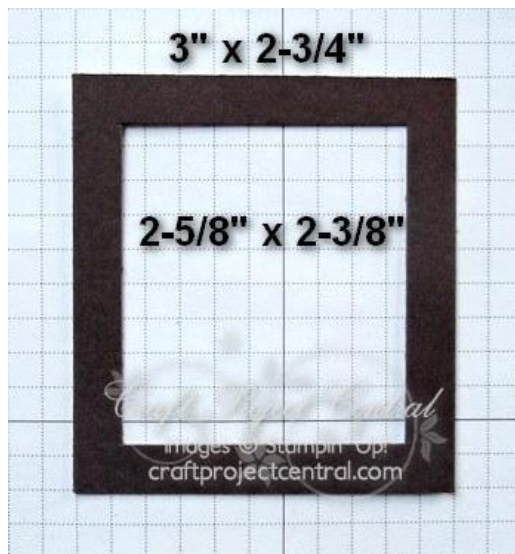
Cut a 5-³/₈" x 4-¹/₈" piece of So Saffron Cardstock. Stamp the *baby pin* image from the Something for Baby Stamp Set randomly with So Saffron Ink, then stamp the *star burst* image from the Perpetual Birthday Calendar Stamp Set randomly with Early Espresso Ink.



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Step 2

Cut a 3" x 2-3/4" piece of Early Espresso Cardstock. Cut a 2-5/8" x 2-3/8" rectangle out of the middle, leaving a 3/8" border all around.



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Step 3

Cut a 5" x 3-7/8" piece of Vellum Cardstock. Tear the bottom edge off. Adhere the Early Espresso frame to the vellum with Stampin' Dimensionals. Adhere the vellum to the So Saffron cardstock with SNAIL Adhesive.

Tip: To ensure you don't see any adhesive through the vellum, only place adhesive where the frame is covering the vellum.



Step 3

Step 4

Cut a 2" x 1-½" piece of Whisper White Cardstock. Stamp the *baby booties* and the *duck* images with So Saffron Ink. Die-cut the images with the coordinating dies from the Baby's First Framelits on your Big Shot Die-Cutting Machine.



Step 4

Step 5

Cut two 5" and one 3" long Crushed Curry Baker's Twine. Tie the longer pieces into two bows. Adhere the shorter piece to the frame with SNAIL Adhesive. Adhere the middle of the twine piece to the card with a Mini Glue Dot. Adhere the bows to the frame with SNAIL Adhesive.



Step 5

Step 6

Adhere the die-cut booties and duck to the card with Stampin' Dimensionals, making it look like they are hanging from the twine. Cut a $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 1" piece of Whisper White Cardstock. Stamp the *congrats* image from the Thoughtful Banners Stamp Set with Early Espresso Ink. Adhere the strip to the card with Stampin' Dimensionals. Cut an 11" x 4-1/4" piece of Whisper White Cardstock and fold it in half. Adhere the card front to the white base with SNAIL Adhesive.

Materials:	Stampin' Up! Supplies:	Item #	Price
(1) 5- $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 4- $\frac{1}{8}$ " So Saffron Cardstock	Something for Baby Stamp Set	134030	\$22.00
(1) 5" x 3- $\frac{7}{8}$ " Vellum Cardstock	Perpetual Birthday Calendar Stamp Set	137167	24.00
(1) 3" x 2- $\frac{3}{4}$ " Early Espresso Cardstock	Thoughtful Banners Stamp Set	141614	21.00
(1) 2" x 1- $\frac{1}{2}$ " Whisper White Cardstock	Clear Block Bundle	118491	71.50
(1) 4- $\frac{1}{4}$ " x 11" Whisper White Cardstock	Big Shot Die-Cutting Machine	143263	110.00
(1) $\frac{3}{8}$ " x 1" Whisper White Cardstock	Baby's First Framelits	133735	25.00
(1) 3" Crushed Curry Baker's Twine	Whisper White 8- $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 11" Cardstock	100730	9.00
(2) 5" Crushed Curry Baker's Twine	So Saffron 8- $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 11" Cardstock	105118	8.00
	Early Espresso 8- $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 11" Cardstock	119686	8.00
	Vellum Cardstock	101856	8.00
	So Saffron Classic Stampin' Pad	126957	6.50
	Early Espresso Classic Stampin' Pad	126974	6.50
	Crushed Curry Baker's Twine	134586	3.00
	SNAIL Adhesive	104332	7.00
	Mini Glue Dots	103683	5.25
	Stampin' Dimensionals	104430	4.00
	Stampin' Trimmer	126889	30.00
	Paper Snips	103579	10.00