

Hello Friend & Happy Birthday Card Set Tutorial



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To start, you'll need the Summer Bloom and Simple Sentiments Clear Stamps, the Summer Bloom Cut File Bundle, Simple Sentiments Cut File Bundle, Fernwood Bountiful Stencil Set, a variety of ink and White Cardstock.

The first card that we will make is the Hello Friend Card.



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To start, you'll need to cut a piece of white cardstock that measures 4" x 5 ¼". From the Fernwood Bountiful Stencil Set, you'll need the diamond stencil. Place the stencil on the left hand side of the white cardstock piece using a blending tool with foam, blend Hickory Smoke Distress Oxide Ink through the stencil as desired. From the Summer Bloom Clear Stamps, you'll need the small dots clustered together. Apply Sunshine PinkFresh Studio Ink to the stamp and randomly stamp in amongst the stenciled image as desired. You'll need a total of 11 stamped dot clusters. Reapply ink to the stamp as desired. Distress the edges of the cardstock piece.



From the Summer Blooms Clear Stamps, you'll need to choose three of the flowers, the long leaf branch, the short leaf, the medium leaf branch and the small leaf cluster branch. Before stamping, you'll need to cut out the coordinating images from the Summer Blooms Cut File Bundle using your electronic cutting machine, the medium leaf branch you'll need two and all the other images you'll only need one. For the Flowers, use Raspberry Bliss, Sparkling Rose and Sweet Mustard PinkFresh Studio Ink. For the small leaf cluster branch, stamp it in Jet Black Archival Ink. For the remaining leaves, use Evergreen, Emerald City and Meadow PinkFresh Studio.



From the Simple Sentiments Clear Stamps, you'll need the large leaf cluster branch stamp and the Hello Friend sentiment. Next, you'll need to cut out the coordinating images from the Simple Sentiments Cut File Bundle using your electronic cutting machine, you'll only need one of each image. For the Flowers, use Raspberry Bliss, Sparkling Rose and Sweet Mustard PinkFresh Studio Ink. For the large leaf cluster branch, stamp it in Sunshine PinkFresh Studio Ink. For the Hello Friend sentiment, stamp in Jet Black Archival Ink. For the short leaf, use Emerald City PinkFresh Studio.



Adhere the leaves and branches as desired on the stenciled portion of the white cardstock piece.



Use adhesive and foam squares to adhere the three flowers overtop of the leaves and branches. Use foam squares to adhere the Hello Friend sentiment to the right of the flowers as desired.



To finish the card, cut a cardbase out of white cardstock that measures 4 ¼" x 11", score at 5 ½". Adhere the cardfront to the cardbase.



Now, we'll move on to the Happy Birthday Card, which uses the Summer Bloom and Simple Sentiments Clear Stamps, the Summer Bloom Cut File Bundle, Simple Sentiments Cut File Bundle, Flower Picking 6x6 Stencil Set, a variety of ink and White Cardstock.

The second card that we will make is the Happy Birthday Card.



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To start, you'll need to cut a piece of white cardstock that measures 4" x 5 ¼". Place the flower picking stencil on the left hand side of the white cardstock piece using a blending tool with foam, blend Bundled Sage Distress Oxide Ink through the stencil as desired. From the Summer Bloom Clear Stamps, you'll need the small dots clustered together. Apply Evergreen PinkFresh Studio Ink to the stamp and randomly stamp in amongst the stenciled image as desired. You'll need a total of 11 stamped dot clusters. Reapply ink to the stamp as desired. Distress the edges of the cardstock piece.



From the Simple Sentiments Clear Stamps, you'll need the large leaf cluster branch stamp, a small leaf and the Happy Birthday sentiment. Next, you'll need to cut out the coordinating images from the Simple Sentiments Cut File Bundle using your electronic cutting machine, you'll only need one of each image. For the small leaf, use Emerald City PinkFresh Studio Ink. For the large leaf cluster branch, stamp it in Sunshine PinkFresh Studio Ink. For the Happy Birthday sentiment, stamp in Jet Black Archival Ink.



From the Summer Blooms Clear Stamps, you'll need to choose four of the flowers, the long leaf branch, a short leaf, the medium leaf branch and the small leaf cluster branch. Before stamping, you'll need to cut out the coordinating images from the Summer Blooms Cut File Bundle using your electronic cutting machine, the medium leaf branch you'll need one image for each stamp. For the Flowers, use Meadow, Mint, Sapphire and Blue Jay PinkFresh Studio Ink. For the small leaf cluster branch, stamp it in Jet Black Archival Ink. For the remaining leaves, use Evergreen and Emerald City PinkFresh Studio.



Adhere the leaves and branches as desired on the stenciled portion of the white cardstock piece.



Use adhesive and foam squares to adhere the four flowers overtop of the leaves and branches as desired. Use foam squares to adhere the Happy Birthday sentiment to the right of the flowers as desired.



To finish the card, cut a cardbase out of white cardstock that measures 4 ¼" x 11", score at 5 ½". Adhere the cardfront to the cardbase.



Here are the finished Hello Friend & Happy Birthday Cards.



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