

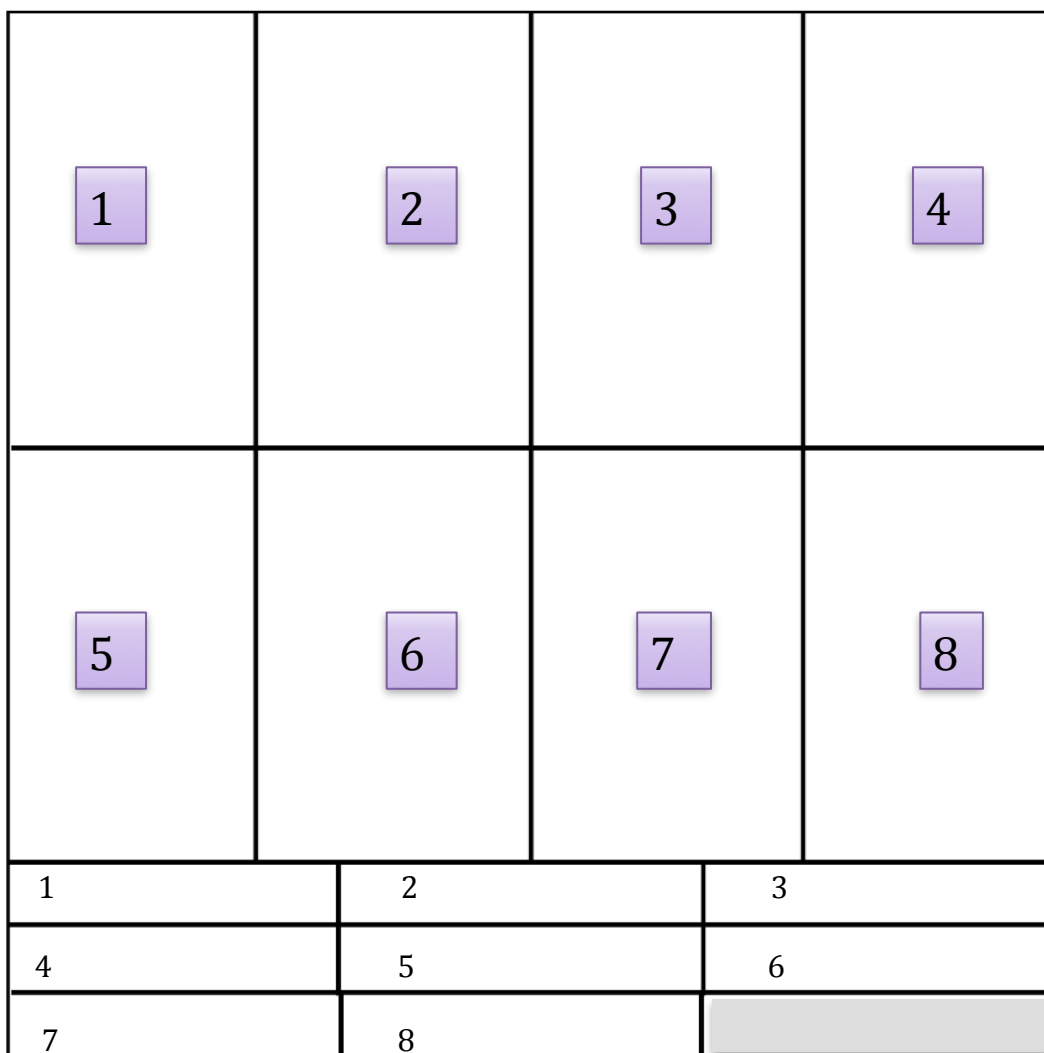


# Stampin' Pattern -2 Pocket Folder Card Holder

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## Supplies:

- 1 sheet 12 x 12 patterned paper\*
- 1 sheet 8.5" x 11" cardstock for holder
- 1 sheet 8.5" x 11" cardstock for accent pieces
- 4 sheets 8.5" x 11" cardstock for card bases
- Punches or dies for greeting images and cardstock scraps
- Banner Pick a Punch for decorative ends
- 24 " ribbon
- Embellishments



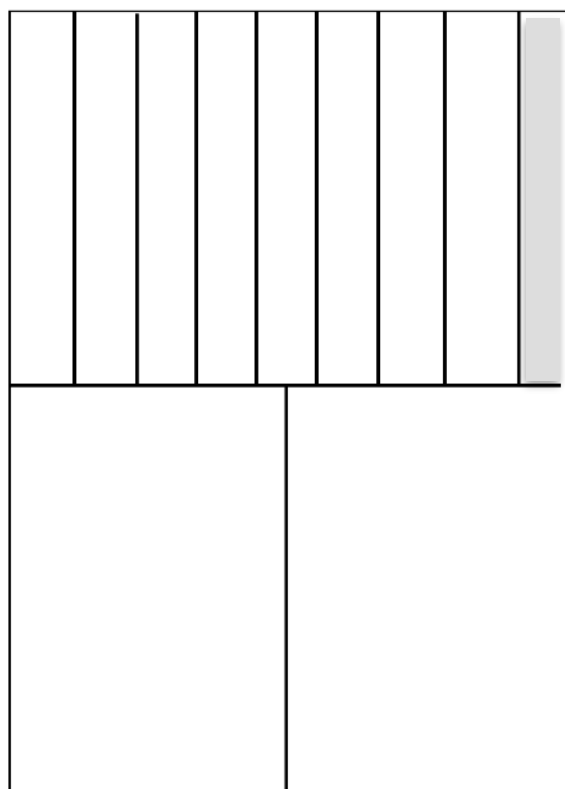
\*How to cut the 12 x 12 patterned paper.

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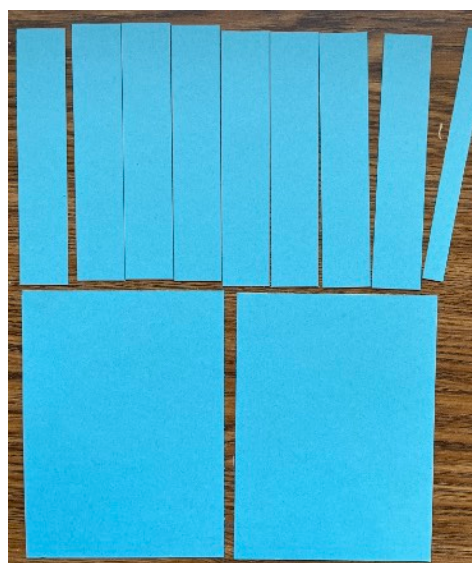
## Directions for Cutting the 12 x 12 paper:

1. Determine if your patterned paper has directionality or not - this will affect how you make the first cut. Cut two strips that measure  $5\frac{1}{4}'' \times 12''$ , and three strips that are  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 12''$ . Essentially you cut your piece along one edge at  $5\frac{1}{4}''$ ,  $10\frac{1}{2}''$ ,  $11''$ , and  $11\frac{1}{2}''$  to get these pieces.
2. Take the two  $5\frac{1}{2}'' \times 12''$  pieces and cut them into 3'' pieces to get 8 pieces measuring  $3'' \times 5\frac{1}{4}''$ .
3. Take the three  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 12''$  pieces and cut them into 4'' pieces to get 9 pieces measuring  $1\frac{1}{2}'' \times 4''$ .



## Directions for cutting the 8-1/2'' x 11'' Cardstock

1. Cut along the 11'' side at  $5\frac{1}{4}''$ . Then cut this section into 8 - 1'' pieces. You will have  $\frac{1}{2}''$  left over.
2. Cut the remaining  $5\frac{3}{4}'' \times 8\frac{1}{2}''$  piece in half at  $4\frac{1}{4}''$ .



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## Directions for Assembling Cards

1. Cut 4 sheets of cardstock in half to make card bases.
2. Attach the 3" x 5 1/4" piece of patterned paper on card front along the right-hand side.
3. Attach the 1" x 5 1/4" piece of accent cardstock on the card front along the left-hand side up against the patterned paper.
4. Use the Banners Pick-a-punch one end of the 1/2 x 4" strips of patterned paper. Attach to the card front horizontally aligning the straight end with the edge of the patterned paper so that the punched end overlaps the accent cardstock. Keep in mind the "rule of thirds" when adhering to the card front - place this strip 1/3 of the way from the top or the bottom of the card front.
5. Stamp greetings and punch out or use layering dies. Pop up with dimensionals and adhere to card front at the spot where the three pieces intersect.
6. Add a decorative accent/embellishment.

## Ways to Step-Up the Card Design

- Add another coordinating cardstock layer underneath the cut pieces measuring 4-1/8" x 5-3/8".
- Use an embossing folder on the 1" x 5-1/4" cardstock strip to add texture.
- Stamp a background on the 1" x 5-1/4" cardstock strip.
- Use multiple shapes and/or added embellishments to create a detailed focal point cluster.

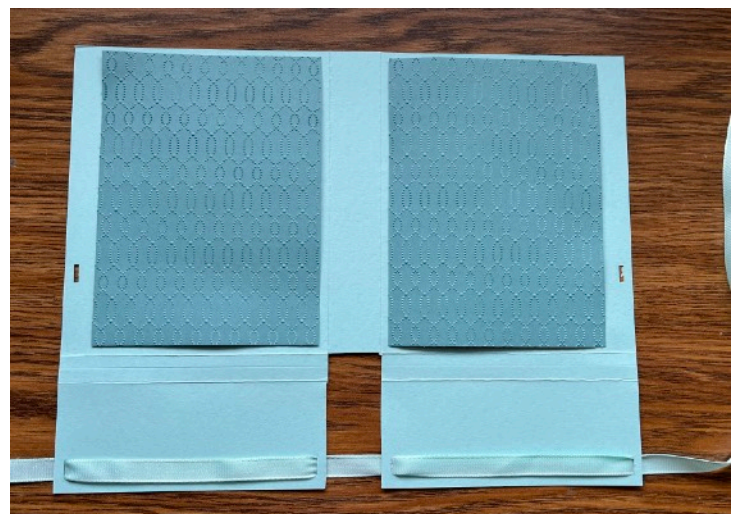
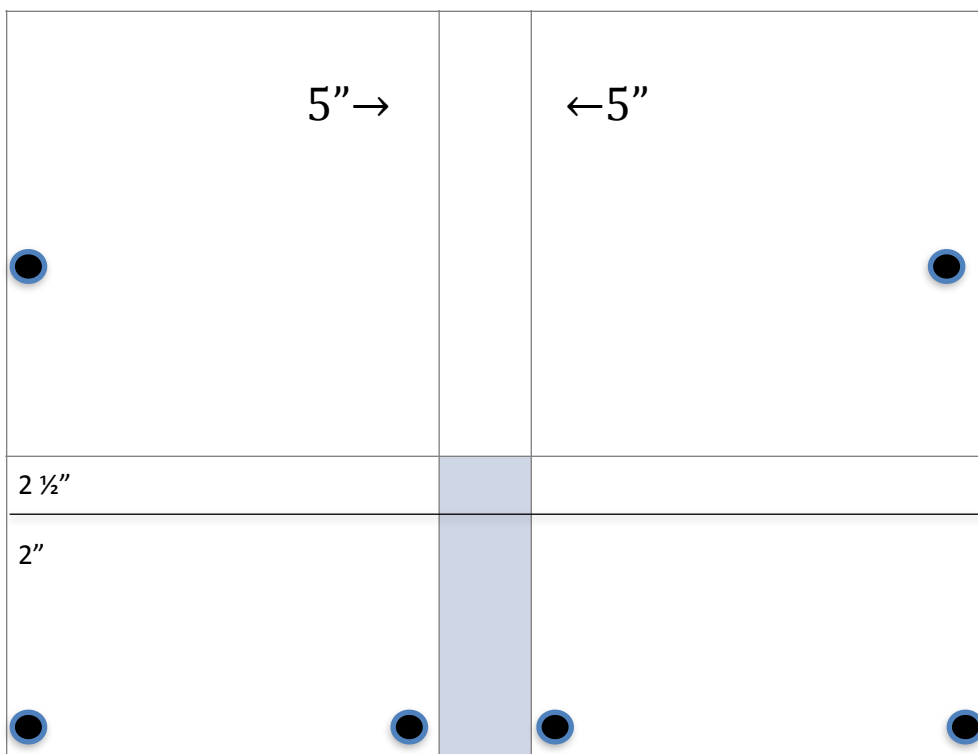


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## Directions for Assembling Card Holder

1. Score at 5" and 6" along the 11" long edge. This creates a spine for the card holder.
2. Turn cardstock and score at 2" and 2 1/2" along the short 8-1/2" edge. This creates the pocket to hold the cards.
3. Cut out the center spine part of the pocket section. (Shaded section on pattern)
4. Punch holes for the ribbon as shown.
5. Adhere the 4 1/4" x 5 3/4" accent cardstock pieces on the front and back. Option: Make only six cards and save the last 2 - 3" x 5 1/4" patterned paper to layer on top.
6. Feed ribbon through the holes starting on the outside of the holder, in and out of the inside and through to the outside again.



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