

Inspiration Sheet – 3 Kinds of Double Gatefold Cards



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Basic Double Gatefold Supplies

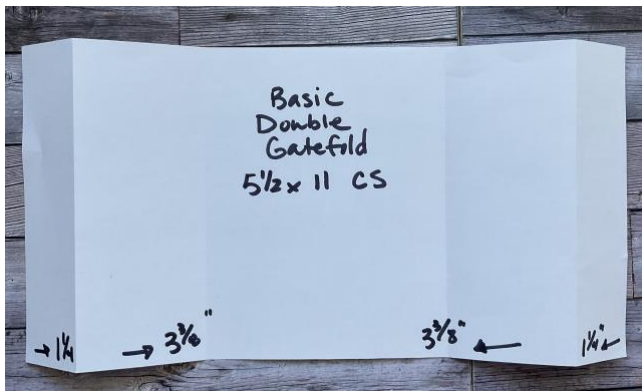
- 5-1/2" x 11" cardstock for card base
- 5-1/4" x 4" cardstock for insert
- 5-1/4" x 1-7/8" DSP (2)
- 5-1/4" x 1" DSP (2)
- 1" x 10" cardstock for belly band

Directions

1. Score the card base at 1-1/4" and 3-3/8" from each side along the 11" edge.
2. Fold the 3-3/8" score line towards the inside of the card and fold the 1-1/4" score line in the opposite direction.
3. Cover the two front gatefold sections with the DSP.

Belly Band 101

1. Put one end of the 1" x 10" strip of cardstock across the closed gatefold, overlapping the center by 1/4"-1/2". Fold over the side of the card to the back and crease.
2. Remove belly band from card and crease with a bone folder making sure the folded part is straight.
3. Put the belly band back over the side of the card and wrap the other side around the back and to the front, creasing at the side.
4. Remove belly band from the card and crease with a bone folder making sure the folded part is straight.
5. Put the belly band back around the card and overlap the ends so that they are in the middle of the card front. Add adhesive and attach the ends together.



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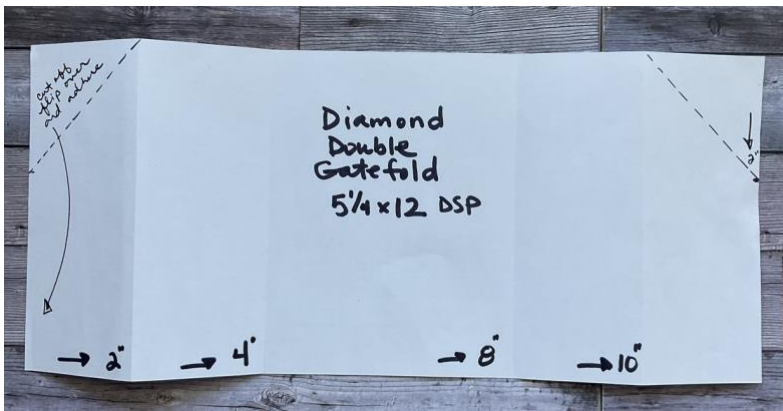
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Diamond Double Gatefold Supplies

- 5-1/4" x 12" DSP
- 2-3/4" square of cardstock
- 3-3/4" x 5" cardstock for insert
- 5-1/2" x 4-1/2" cardstock
- 1" x 10" for belly band (optional)

Directions

1. Score the 5-1/4" x 12" piece of DSP at 2", 4", 8", and 10".
2. Fold and crease on the score lines so that the 4" and 8" lines go toward the middle of the card and the 2" and 10" lines go in the opposite direction.
3. Open the 5-1/4" x 12" piece of DSP so you are looking at the inside of the card. Measure and mark 2" down from each of the inside top corners.
4. Using the paper trimmer, cut off the outside corners starting at the 2" mark and ending at the 2" and 10" score lines marks (this takes off triangle shapes from the corners).
5. Flip the triangle corners over to the opposite pattern and attach them to the bottom outside corners. This creates a diamond shape on the card front when the gatefolds are closed.
6. Create a layered focal point on the 2-3/4" square as a diagonal.
7. Attach the 2-3/4" square diagonally, directly onto either the right or left side of the gatefold and centered in the middle of the card front. Adhere it only to the outermost gatefold (or create a belly band for the card and attach the focal point to it).



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Angled Double Gatefold Supplies

- 5-1/2" x 12" DSP or (5-1/4" x 12")*
- 3-3/4" x 5-1/4" cardstock for insert
- 1" x 10" for belly band (optional)
- 4-1/4" x 5-1/2" coordinating cardstock*
 - Use for 5-1/4" x 12" version
- 1" x 10" for belly band (optional)

Directions

1. Score the 5-1/2" x 12" piece of DSP at 2", 4", 8", and 10".
2. Fold and crease on the score lines so that the 4" and 8" lines go toward the middle of the card and the 2" and 10" lines go in the opposite direction.
3. Open the 5-1/2" x 12" piece of DSP so you are looking at the inside of the card. Measure and mark 4" down from each of the inside top corners.
4. Using the paper trimmer, cut off the outside corners starting at the 4" mark and ending at the 4" and 8" score lines marks (this takes off large triangle shapes from the corners).
5. Flip the triangle corners over to the opposite pattern and attach them to the bottom inside corners. You will need to attach the cut off triangles in opposite bottom corners to make the score lines match.
6. Attach the focal point to one of the gatefold sides similar to the Diamond Double Gatefold, or use a belly band.

