



Fold & Lock Fun Fold Card



I saw this card design in metrics on Gerry's Craft Room YouTube Channel – I just loved the layout, but it required a 12x12 paper and wanted to make it using an 8-1/2" x 11" and fit in a medium envelope. Gerry calls this card the Slide to Hide Fun Fold, when you look for her version on YouTube. Enjoy!

Ingredients

- Card Base Piece #1: 5-1/2" x 11" Basic White Cardstock
 - Scored on long side @ 1", 4", 8"
- Card Base Piece #2: 5-1/2" x 2-1/2" Basic White Cardstock
 - Scored on short side @ 1"
- Designer Series Paper
 - 5-3/8" x 2-7/8" (4 pieces)
 - 5-3/8" x 3-7/8" (1 piece for back of card)
 - 5-3/8" x 7/8" (1 piece for flap)
 - 5-3/8" x 1-3/8" (Covers Pocket flap)
- Inside Cardstock Layer: 5-3/8" x 3-7/8"
- Inside Card: 5-1/4" x 3-3/4" Basic White Cardstock (used for inside of card)
- Scraps for die cuts and front sentiment
 - Vellum Circle (2" circle)
 - Die cuts (3 different elements can be layered – 1 to stamp sentiment)
- Tasteful Touches Stamp Set + Dies
- Coordinating Ink Pad

Directions

1. Cut and score cardstock per the measurements above
2. Measure 3/4" from top and bottom of 1" flap on Piece #1 of Card base to create a triangle (see image below) and cut at an angle from the 3/4" mark to the score line along the edge.



3. Take the 7/8" piece of DSP and lay over top of the triangle cut portion of the card base. Take the 7/8" DSP and lay behind flap then, slide above top of card about 1/8" and mark with pencil on the diagonal. Then slide the DSP down below the bottom edge about 1/8" and mark on the diagonal with a pencil. Now cut at the pencil lines (this will now give you an even piece of paper to adhere to the tab portion of your card).
4. Adhere Piece #2 to Piece #1 (opposite end of the tab side). Adhere the 1" flap of Piece #2 to the end of Piece #1 with the 1" flap glued to the bottom (this creates the start of the fold where the flap will go to hide the card).
5. Burnish the score lines with the bone folder – add the Designer Series Paper to the front and back of the card (be sure to lay the DSP out first to ensure you have the side you want to appear. Fold your card to see where the flap will tuck into the back of the card).
6. Adhere DSP to the back panel (this should cover up the 1" flap from Piece #2) then fold over the other side of Piece #2 to the same side as the 1" piece – add strong adhesive to the top and bottom – leaving the side open, so the flap can tuck in.
7. Make sure the fold is set so the cut flap is now able to hide in the pocket now created
8. Adhere the rest of the designer series paper to the sides of the card.
9. Embellish front of card with layers and embellishments to finish card!

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