

# Faux Lens/Fractured Card

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### Instructions:

1. Cut card base at 4-1/4 x 11", score and fold at 5-1/2". I used Basic Black. Cut 4 strips of matching card stock at 1/4 x 5-1/2". It is important that the paper strips match the card base.
2. Cut one piece of patterned paper at 4 x 5-1/4". I used Botanical Textures DSP here.
3. Cut a square out of Basic White or any coordinating color of card stock. The maximum size is about 2-3/8". You can make it smaller if you like. I used the Stylish Shapes Dies to cut this square.
4. Stamp your focal image and sentiment on your square with coordinating ink. I used Memento ink and the Natural Botanicals and the Simply Said stamp set for this card.
5. Adhere the square to the center of the patterned paper. Turn it so the points of the square point toward the center of each side of the patterned paper. It should form a diamond shape on the card front.
6. Line one of the paper strips up with the left corner of the diamond and extending up to the top edge of the patterned paper. Adhere it with your favorite adhesive.
7. Working clockwise, line up another strip so that it butts up against the first strip and the upper right side of the diamond. Adhere it so it extends to the right edge of the patterned paper.
8. Repeat with strips 3 and 4 to complete the pattern around the square to the edges of the other

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sides of the patterned paper as shown in the photo.

9. Use your paper snips to snip off the part of the strips hanging over the edges of the patterned paper.

10. Adhere the decorated panel to the card front.

11. Add embellishments and ribbon as desired.

12. Add a 4 x 5-1/4" piece of Basic White card stock to the inside of the card and decorate it to coordinate with your card front. I used a 1/4" strip of Basic Black adhered to the left side of the panel.

YouTube Video Tutorial: <https://youtu.be/5HCiJWp4UyQ?si=sJnZpXtDjw6kw6gc>

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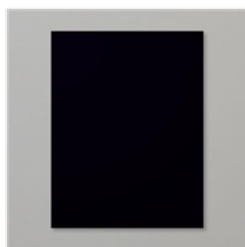
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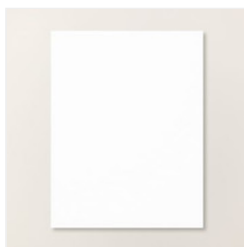
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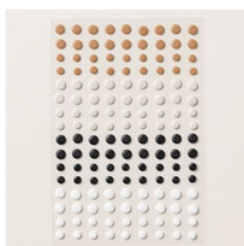
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