Small Coach-Style Purse with Mini Notecards

If you love purses-this is a must make project!

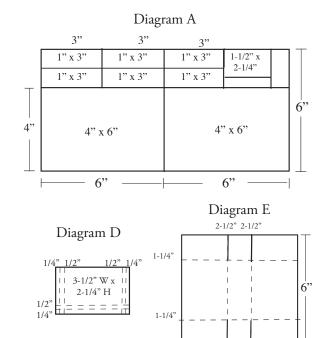
Supplies:

1/2 Sheet of Designer Series Paper (DSP)
2 sheets coordinating 8-1/2" x 11" cardstock
White (or colored) cardstock for the cards
12" Paper Cutter with both cutting and scoring blades
Small and Large Oval punches
Sticky Strip/strong adhesive
Stamps, Dies (flower) and other Embellishments
6-Mini Square envelopes (approx 3-1/4")

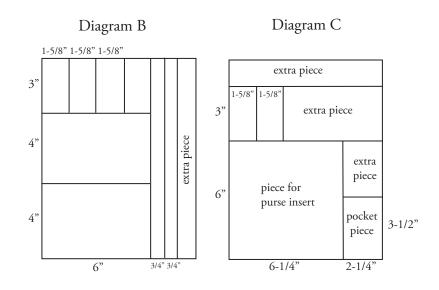


Directions:

- 1. Cut a 6" x 12" piece of DSP as shown in Diagram A.
- 2. Cut 2 sheets of coordinating 8-1/2" x 11" cardstock as shown in Diagrams B & C.
- 3. Layer the 4" x 6" pieces of DSP onto the same size pieces of colored cardstock. Trace the purse pattern onto these pieces and cut. Take the 3/4" x 8-1/2" pieces of colored cardstock and use sticky strip to adhere to each purse piece to make the straps as shown in photo. Punch the oval shapes out to make the "buckle" embellishments and glue into place, then use Brads to embellish further. Score the 3-1/2" x 2-1/4" piece of colored cardstock as show in Diagram D. Glue the 1-1/2" x 2-1/4" piece of DSP onto the center. Embellish with die cut flower if desired. Use sticky strip to place this "pocket" piece onto one of the purse sides.
- 4. Cut and score the 6" x 6-1/4" piece of colored cardstock as shown in Diagram E. Fold up sides to make the inner portion of the purse. Use Sticky Strip to adhere to the cardstock side of one of the purse sections (centered side-to side and along the bottom edge). Repeat with other purse piece.
- 5. You will need six pieces of 3" x 6" cardstock for the mini notecards. Fold each in half. Use a border punch along the edges of the 1-5/8" x 3" strips of colored cardstock. Layer the 1" x 3" pieces of DSP on those pieces and glue to the notecards. Embellish with diecut flowers and/or stamps as desired.
- 6. Place cards and envelopes in the purse. (Decide whether you can give it away or "need" to keep it for yourself!):)



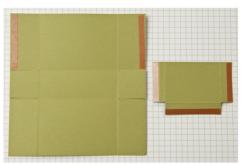
6-1/4"



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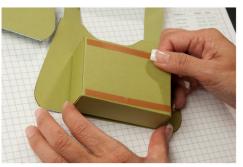
















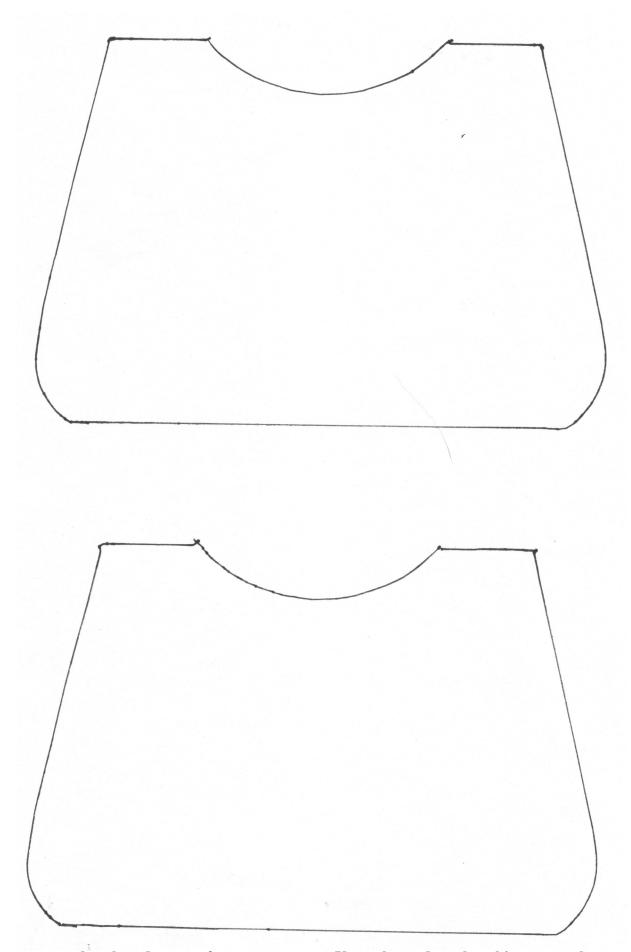
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Print out on cardstock and cut out for purse pattern. You only need one but this way you have an extra.