## Purse Bag w/ Notecards

## Supplies:

1 sheet Designer Series Paper ( 12 " x 12")
6 SU! Notecards w/ Envelopes (3-1/2" x 5 ")
13 " x 6-1/2" piece of coordinating cardstock for bottom of bag
2-3 sheets of coordinating cardstock for purse trim and layering on notecards
12" Paper Cutter w/ both cutting and scoring blades Sticky Strip, Snail Adhesive, Dimensionals
SU! Eyelet Border punch, Tab punch, Horizontal Slot punch
Assorted Stamps, Stamp Pads and additional punches
Mini Brads, Ribbons, and other embellishments


## Directions:

Step 1: Cut the $12 "$ x 12 " piece of Designer Series Paper as shown in either diagram below and set pieces aside. Step 2: Score the 3 " x $6-1 / 2$ " square piece of cardstock at $1 / 2$ " on all four sides. Make a cut from the outside edge to the inner score mark on the 2 opposite sides. Fold the flaps up and use sticky strip to assemble the base of bag. Step 3: Place Sticky Strip along the bottom ( 8 ") edge of one of the 4 " x 8 " pieces of DSP. Do the same for the other 4 " x $8 "$ piece but also put strips along sides as show in photo. Step 4: Cut two $1 "$ x 8 " strips of coordinating cardstock and use Eyelet Border punch along each strip for purse trim. Place Sticky Strip along entire length of each strip and adhere trim pieces to each of the $4 " \times 8 "$ pieces of DSP as shown. Step 5: Take the $4 " \times 8 "$ piece of DSP that only has the Sticky Strip across one edge and adhere along the longer edge of the bag base (being careful to center the piece so it wraps evenly around each side section. Take the other 4 " $\times 8$ " piece of DSP and do the same on the other side and overlap the 1st piece along the sides. Step 6: Punch 4 pieces of coordinating cardstock using the Tab punch, punch a slot into each one to place the ribon through for handles as shown. Adhere tabs w/ ribbon to each side of the pursebag using Sticky Strip. Embellish with brads if desired. Your pursebag is now done! Step 6: Embellish notecards using the other cut pieces of DSP, additional cardstock for layering, ribbon and stamps as desired (see sample photos for ideas). Place the completed cards and envelopes in the pursebag and you have a great gift item!


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