

Diagonal Double Pocket Card Simplified

Supplies: 1 sheet 8-1/2" x 11" paper. I find that Double-sided Designer Series Paper (DSP) from Stampin' Up! works the best!

Numbers refer to the graphics at right. White is one side of the paper, gray is the other.

1. Fold the paper in half vertically and horizontally (dashed lines). After folding horizontally, cut in from the left to the center fold.
2. Fold the upper left corner of the paper down to the right. There should be about 1-1/2" from the center line to the right edge of the fold. Apply adhesive to the left edge of the upper left quadrant (the pink strip).
3. Fold the upper left quadrant to the right pressing the adhesive.
4. Fold the lower right corner up to the left, meeting the center line with the edge of the paper.
5. Fold the lower left quadrant BEHIND the newly-folded lower right quadrant.
6. Fold the new lower right corner up to meet the left folded edge of the card. Apply adhesive as shown by the pink strips.
7. Fold the bottom half of the card up to the top, pressing adhesive.

A Variation This is good to use if you are using card stock instead of paper, to avoid a couple of extra layers of card stock on the front. It also works with DSP!

8. After step 4, apply adhesive to the lower right quadrant as shown in 6, then fold the bottom up to meet the top, as shown in step 7. Then fold what is now the left half of the card behind the diagonal fold to create a card that has room for an inside greeting.

