

How to make ...

Passion Flower Card

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Materials Needed for Project

Creative Expressions Singles Stamps: Botanical Spray / Ivy Corner / Henna Petals

Creative Expressions Singles Stamp Set: Crystal Cut

Cosmic Shimmer Coloured Pearlescent PVA: Vintage Plum

Cosmic Shimmer Specialist Acrylic Glue Cosmic Shimmer Detail Embossing Powder: True White

Foundations A4 Card: Coconut White / Mauve / Amethyst / Rich Plum

Ranger Perfect Medium Ink Pad: Clear

Ranger Distress Ink Pads: Mowed Lawn / Peeled Paint





Start by making a circle of Vintage Plum pearl drops on your card stock. By missing the 'next' dot, you can keep the drops from running into one another. Leave to dry.



Complete the circle with another round of Vintage Plum pearl drops. Set aside to dry completely.



Stamp the Botanical Spray with Mowed Lawn Distress Ink twice onto Coconut White card. Allow to dry.

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Stamp the Ivy Corner with Peeled Paint Distress Ink twice onto Coconut White Card. Allow to dry.



Cut out three sprigs as shown from the Botanical Spray images, and a complete sprig of the Ivy with a half sprig from the second image.





Stick a foam pad into the centre of your circle and stick down the Ivy sprig. Use the glue to stick the fronds directly to the card.



Stick the second sprig to the top of the other, and the card, in the same way.



Repeat with the three Botanical sprigs.



Cut a hole in a piece of scrap paper to form a mask, and ink the centre of the Henna Petals Stamp. Print three times each onto your three card colours using Perfect Medium.



Cover each image with the white embossing powder, tap off the excess and heat set.



Cut out the flower from the lightest card, the larger circle from the middle shade, and the swirl from the darkest. Use foam pads to make the flower.

Alternative Card Colours

These combinations could also be used to form the flowers:

Foundations A4 Card:

Ruby – Raspberry – Rich Red with Vintage Pink Coloured Pearlescent PVA

or

Milk – Heather – Amethyst with Vintage Plum Coloured Pearlescent PVA.



Stick flowers into place on the card using the Cosmic Shimmer Glue.



Finally, print the sentiment from the Crystal Cut stamp set onto the darkest card using Perfect Medium, emboss as before, and then cut out and mat onto the other card shades before gluing onto the card.