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Let's Make Beautiful Things Together

Just some info: ADHERE means to stick your card elements together using a tape runner, a double sided tape, a liquid craft glue or any combination of those. If I specify a type of adhesive, that's because the situation will work BEST using the recommended adhesive. But you can always just use what you have!

Where to Start?

First confirm you have all card elements and pre-plan your card layout. Just to get an idea of how you want it to look.

Contents:

- 1 Black card base
- 2 White panels
- 1 Set white balloons (8 pc.)
- 1 Glitter balloon
- 1 Black balloon string
- 1 Celebrate You set (black backer, white word)
- 1 Set of colorful stripes (13 pc.)
- 1 Set of thin black stripes (9 pc.)
- 1 Set of foam squares
- 1 Coordinating envelope*
- 1 Mailing Liner**



Let's Begin!

We'll construct the card front first.

1. The background of this card is a beautiful rainbow plaid design. You will create this plaid using paper stripes. To do this, adhere the paper stripes from the top left corner to the bottom right corner onto one of the white panels. Once the first layer is done, trim the excess. The next layer will be adhered over top of the first layer. This will be done starting from the top right corner, down to the bottom left corner. I have included example pictures for you to use as reference. TIP: I recommend that you lay out your first layer of stripes to get an idea of your spacing and angles before you begin gluing.
2. After you have two layers of plaid stripes on your panel, you are ready to decorate it with the white balloons. Each balloon is adhered with foam squares. You have been given multiple foam squares to use for this part. You will choose where to put the foam squares so that they will work out best for your design. I recommend that you use all, or at least Most of the foam given, so that the balloons are well supported, especially along the outside edges. For the design, allow the balloons to hang over the edge of the panel for added interest, then trim the excess. Three of the balloons will need to be reserved to decorate the inside of the card. See example picture.
3. Next, adhere the glitter balloon directly onto the large white balloon and add the balloon string. Adhere the balloon string only at the top and allow it to lay free at the bottom. See example picture.
4. Adhere the Celebrate You die cut onto the black backer using a light application of liquid glue. Then add it to the panel.
5. Finally, adhere the decorated panel to the front of the card base making sure to leave an even border of black showing along each edge.

That's it! Now let's decorate the inside of the card.



1. Use the remaining paper stripes to decorate the second white panel. See example picture. Begin in the bottom left corner with the dark pink, light pink, black, and then orange stripe. Next add the stripes from the bottom right corner. Trim the excess.
2. Next, add the reserved balloons for decoration. See example picture for placement ideas. Trim any excess.
3. Adhere the decorated panel to the inside of the card making sure to leave an even border of black showing along each edge.



**All instructions can be found on the Card Kit
Instructions page at sandiscards.com**

***Confirm postage needed when mailing**

****mailing liner is used as a barrier over the card front to protect it during shipping**