

Interactive Z-Fold Card with Hidden Message and Belly Band

UN PROGETTO DALLA NOSTRA DIRETTA - CREATE TOGETHER CLUB - 19 APRILE 2023



IL PROGETTO

Create an interactive Z-fold card with a hidden sentiment revealed beneath a decorative flap, complete with a coordinating belly band. This charming design features stamped panels showcasing florals and a house motif, beautifully coloured with watercolour paints in soft, vibrant hues. The project combines stamping, watercolouring, and clever paper engineering to produce a unique and heartfelt greeting card.

Dalla puntata: Create Together Club

Mostrato: 19 aprile 2023

Il progetto inizia: 7:15 dall'inizio della puntata

In questo tutorial: 13 passaggi, tutti con foto

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PASSO PASSO

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PASSAGGIO 1 DI 13

Start with a top-folding note card measuring 8 by 6 inches. Score the card down the middle to create a centre fold.

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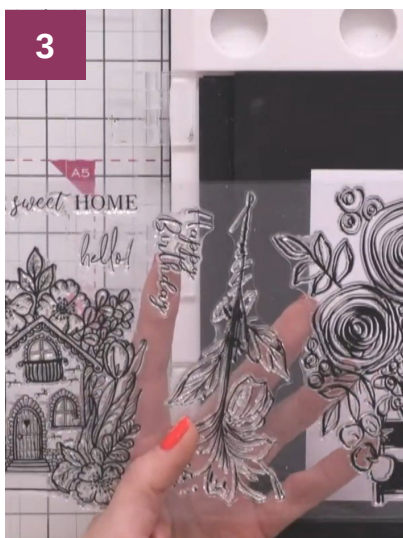


PASSAGGIO 2 DI 13

Cut three white card panels to layer onto your card base. Position each panel on the card base to check the fit.

GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 8:15

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PASSAGGIO 3 DI 13

Stamp the floral design with roses and leaves down the side of the first white panel using black ink, creating a half-vars effect along the edge.

GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 9:30

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PASSAGGIO 4 DI 13

Stamp the same floral design onto a second white panel in the same position as the first, ensuring the placement matches.

[GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 11:00](#)

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PASSAGGIO 5 DI 13

Stamp individual flowers from the floral stamp set onto the left and right sides of a third white panel. Use the clear stamps to position the flowers decoratively on each side.

[GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 12:45](#)

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PASSAGGIO 6 DI 13

Score a 6 by 5 inch white panel to create a Z-fold interactive flap with a hinge at the top. Position the panel on your cutting mat and use your scoring tool to create the fold line.

[GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 16:15](#)

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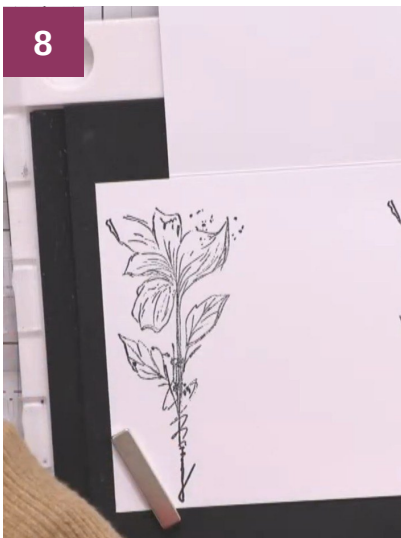


PASSAGGIO 7 DI 13

Position the white panel with the teal border and floral stamps onto the Z-fold card, arranging it so the stamped flowers are visible on either side of the central square frame.

[GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 17:00](#)

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PASSAGGIO 8 DI 13

Add colour to the stamped floral images using watercolour paint, applying it randomly and leaving some white spaces for a realistic effect. Stamp the sentiment 'HOME sweet HOME' in the centre between the two florals.

[GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 24:45](#)

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PASSAGGIO 9 DI 13

Layer and adhere the stamped floral panels onto the metallic card base. Position them to create dimension and visual interest across the card front.

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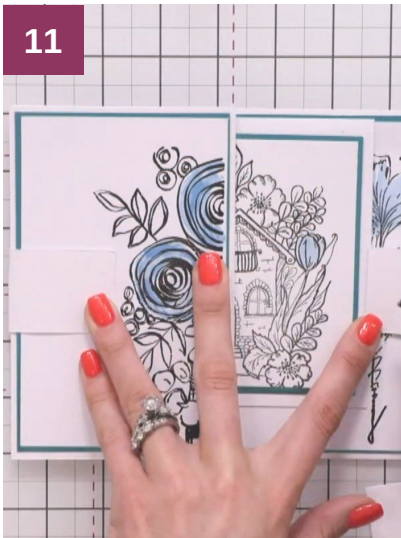


PASSAGGIO 10 DI 13

Cut a belly band from A4 card, approximately 1.5 inches (4 cm) wide. Use a scoring tool and ruler to score the band gently to allow it to fold around the card.

[GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 29:15](#)

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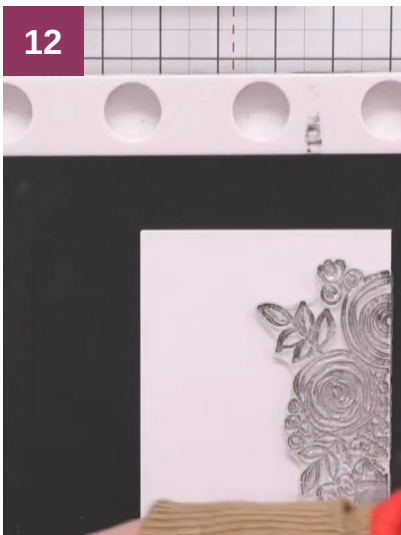


PASSAGGIO 11 DI 13

Apply glue to the back of the belly band and wrap it around the folded card. Leave a small gap so the band can slide freely on and off the card.

[GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 31:00](#)

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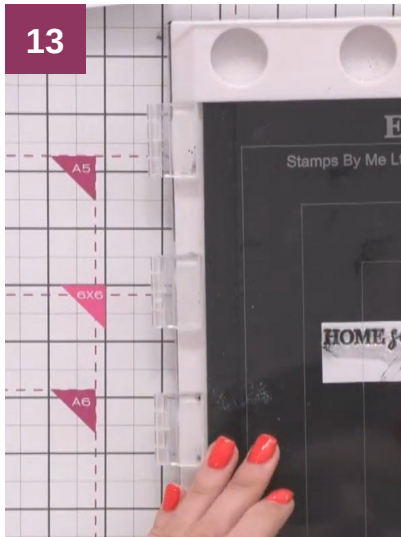


PASSAGGIO 12 DI 13

Stamp a floral image onto white cardstock using black ink. Fussy-cut around the stamped design to create a decorative element that will be attached to the belly band.

[GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 34:45](#)

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PASSAGGIO 13 DI 13

Stamp the 'Home Sweet Home' sentiment onto a small white panel.
Attach this panel to the front of the z-fold card to complete your interactive card with hidden message.

GUARDA QUESTO PASSAGGIO - 37:45

CONSIGLI DALLA PUNTATA

- Don't glue the belly band too tightly; leave a little sliding grace so recipients can remove it easily.
- Use off-cuts from your card stock to create coordinating panels and reduce waste.
- Colour randomly and leave white spaces in the flowers for a more realistic, sketchy look.

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