

Explosion Gatefold Card with Hidden Centre Reveal

UN PROGETTO DALLA NOSTRA DIRETTA - MONDAY MADNESS - 17 OTTOBRE 2022



IL PROGETTO

Create an eye-catching explosion gatefold card with a hidden centre reveal that opens to surprise the recipient. This project features gaming-themed designs with vibrant colours including teal, pink, and glittery Tetris-style patterns, combined with fun sentiments like 'I Don't Get Old I Level Up' and 'Eat Sleep Game Repeat'. The main techniques include die-cutting, stamping, colouring focal images, and constructing the unique gatefold mechanism with a decorative belly band closure.

Dalla puntata: Monday Madness

Mostrato: 17 ottobre 2022

Il progetto inizia: 18:15 dall'inizio della puntata

In questo tutorial: 14 passaggi, tutti con foto

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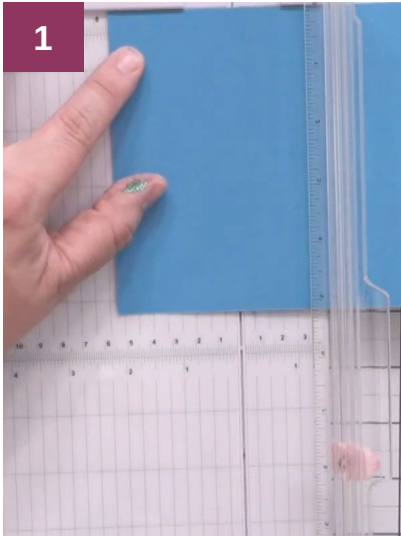


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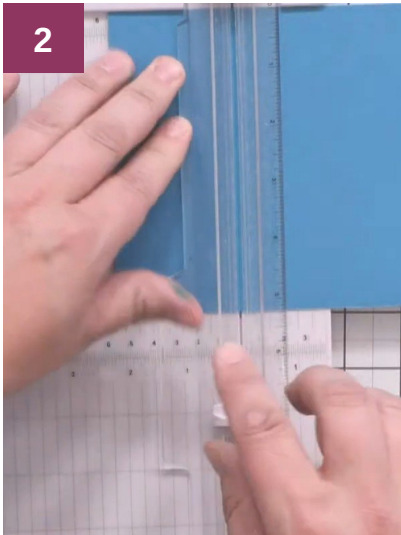


PASSAGGIO 1 DI 14

Cut a piece of blue card measuring 5¼ inches by 8½ inches for the outer card base.

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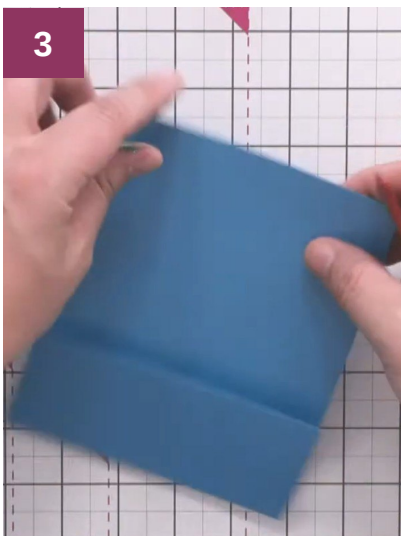


PASSAGGIO 2 DI 14

Score the blue card at 2½ inches down one side using a scoring board.

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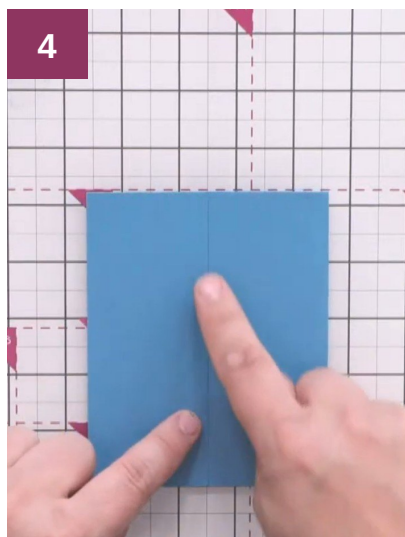
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PASSAGGIO 3 DI 14

Use a bone folder to crease along the score line, creating a sharp fold in the blue card blank.

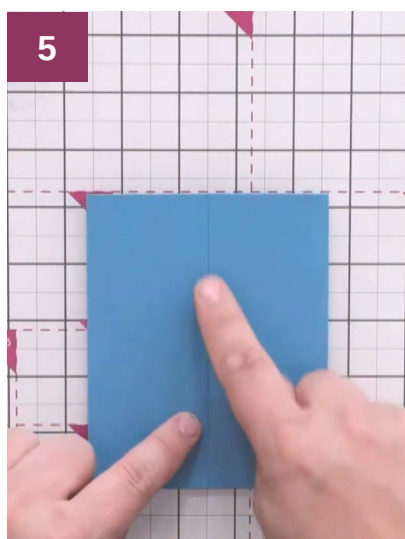
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PASSAGGIO 4 DI 14

Fold the blue card in half and measure to find the centre point.
Score at the matching position on the other side to create a symmetrical fold.

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PASSAGGIO 5 DI 14

Use the bone folder to crease the second score line on the blue card, creating a gatefold card blank.

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PASSAGGIO 6 DI 14

Cut a strip of card measuring 4 inches by 8 inches for the explosion insert.

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PASSAGGIO 7 DI 14

Score the patterned paper strip at 2-inch intervals using your scoring board. Hold the paper firmly in place whilst scoring to ensure accurate, straight score lines.

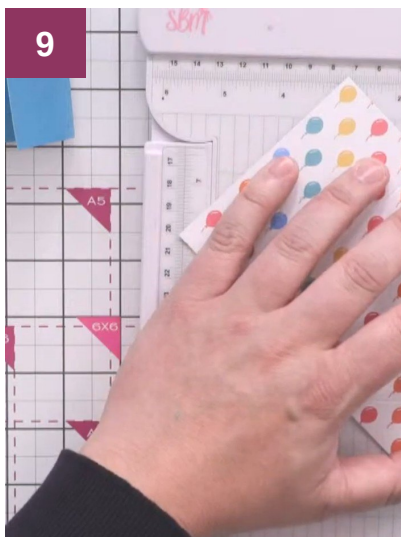
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PASSAGGIO 8 DI 14

Create diagonal score lines across the corners of the white strip to form a cross pattern. Position the strip on your scoreboard and score from corner to corner diagonally in both directions.

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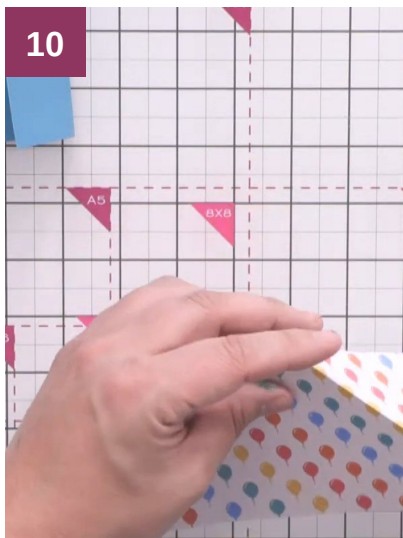


PASSAGGIO 9 DI 14

Use the bone folder to crease all score lines in both directions to break down the card fibres. Work systematically across the entire piece, ensuring each fold is well creased.

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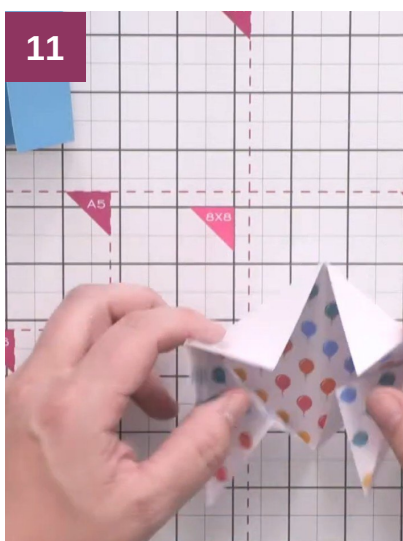


PASSAGGIO 10 DI 14

Fold the patterned strip inwards along all the creases so that the corners meet in the centre, creating a diamond-shaped reveal area.

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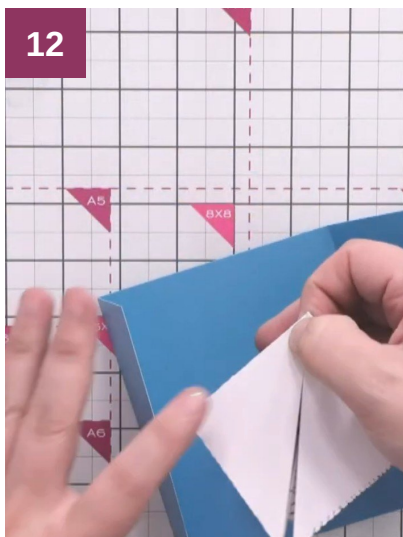
PASSAGGIO 11 DI 14

Stamp background detail onto the triangular sections on the back of the insert using a circuit board or similar background stamp.

This will break up the white areas and add visual interest to the reverse side of the insert.

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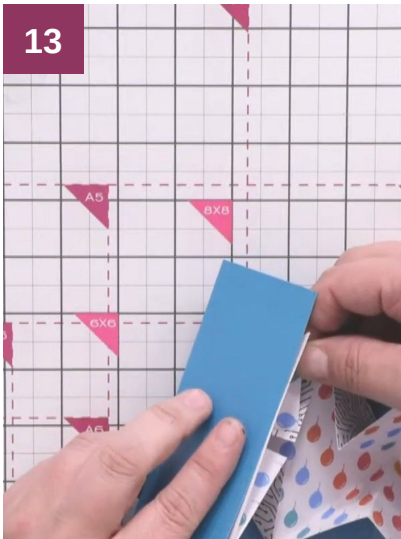


PASSAGGIO 12 DI 14

Apply tape runner adhesive to the centre edges of the white explosion insert piece.

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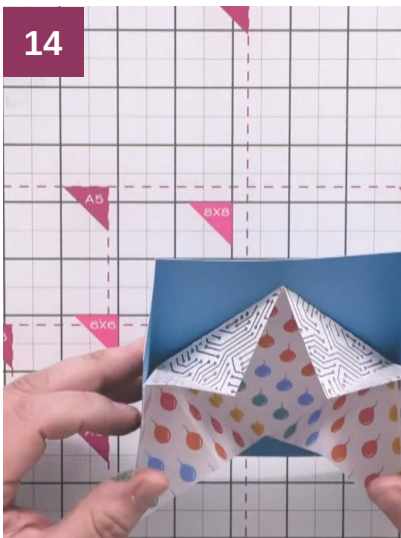


PASSAGGIO 13 DI 14

Position the folded insert inside the blue gatefold card, using the card edges to hold it in place centrally. The insert should sit with its explosion folds contained within the gatefold.

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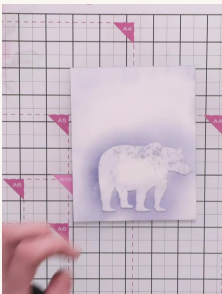
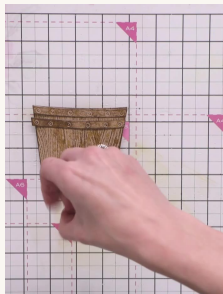
PASSAGGIO 14 DI 14

Press down firmly on the card insert to secure it in place and complete your explosion gatefold card with hidden centre reveal.

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CONSIGLI DALLA PUNTATA

- If using double-sided paper, you won't need to stamp the back triangular sections.
- The explosion card is an excellent way to hide a surprise message, photo, or gender reveal in the centre.

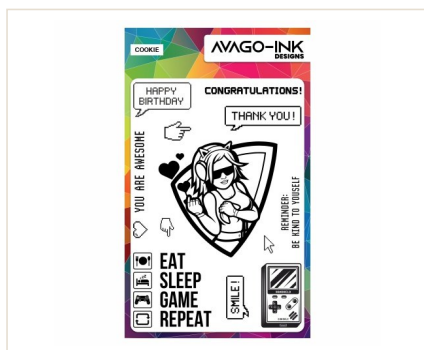


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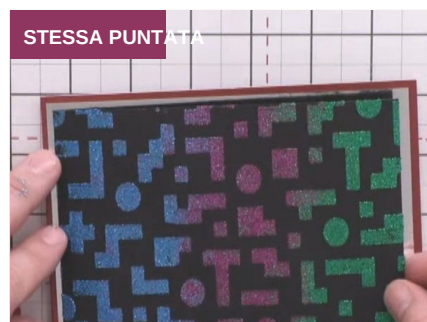
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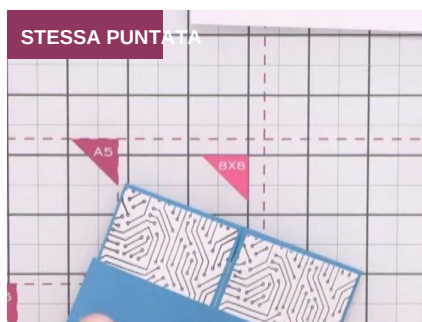
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Assembled Game Over Textured
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Explosion Card Exterior Panels and
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Explosion Card Focal Character
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