

Sparkly Christmas Bell Card with Alcohol Marker Shading

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Create a festive Christmas card featuring beautifully illustrated golden bells adorned with green holly leaves and red berries. This project uses alcohol markers to add realistic shading and dimension to the bells, creating depth and a professional finish. The sentiment 'It's beginning to look a lot like Christmas' completes this charming seasonal greeting card.

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STAP VOOR STAP

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STAP 1 VAN 13

Stamp the bells image onto white card using black ink. Position the stamp carefully and press firmly to ensure a clear impression.

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STAP 2 VAN 13

Select three shades of yellow alcohol marker: light, medium, and dark. These will be used to shade the bells on your stamped image.

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STAP 3 VAN 13

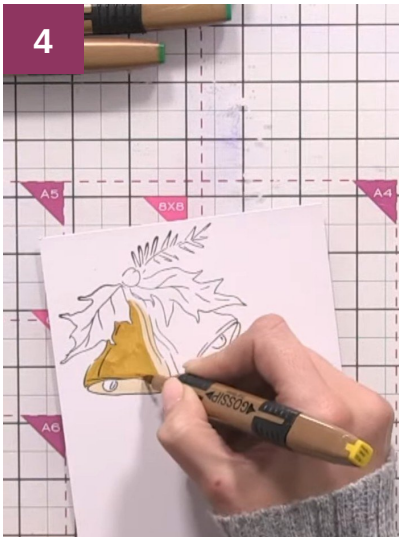
Colour the first bell entirely with the lightest yellow shade from your alcohol markers.

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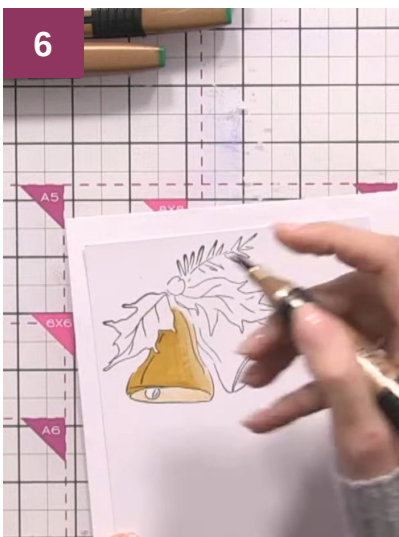
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Using the medium yellow marker, colour approximately **three-quarters of the bell**. Leave one side lighter to show where the light is coming from.

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STAP 5 VAN 13

Blend the medium and light colours together using circular motions with the light marker to soften the transition between the shades on the bell.

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STAP 6 VAN 13

Apply the **darkest yellow marker to the remaining uncoloured area of the bell**. Blend the colour smoothly with the medium yellow shade where they meet.

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STAP 7 VAN 13

Using the same three-shade technique, colour the second bell. Keep the light source consistent, placing the highlights on the same side as the first bell to maintain a cohesive look.

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STAP 8 VAN 13

Select three shades of green marker. Begin colouring the leaves on your stamped image, applying the lightest green shade all over each leaf, keeping your light source in mind.

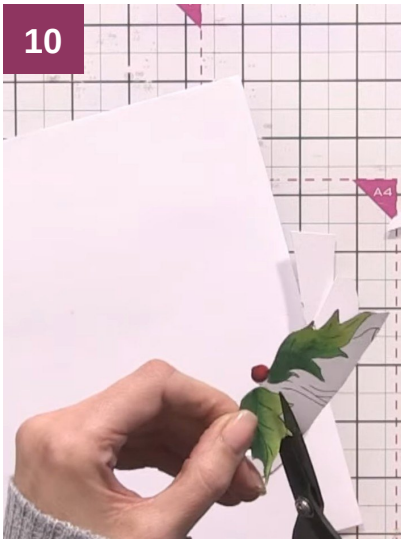
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STAP 9 VAN 13

Colour a small red berry with light red marker. Add dark red shading to create depth, then blend the colours together smoothly.

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STAP 10 VAN 13

Add white gel pen highlights to the berries to enhance dimension. Focus on the light areas of each berry to create shine and depth.

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STAP 11 VAN 13

Using a fine brush, paint a thin layer of gold shimmer paint along one side of each bell where the light would naturally catch. This adds dimension and a metallic sheen to the bells.

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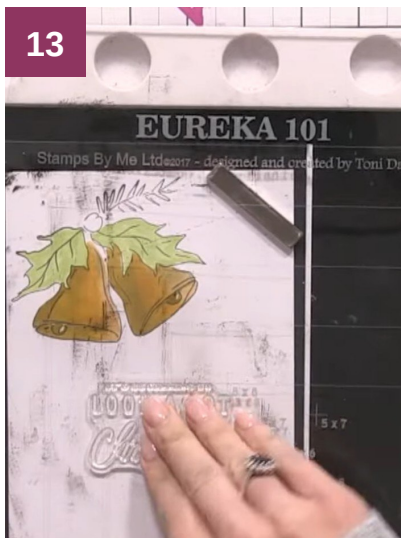


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Using a wet brush, drag the gold ink across the coloured bells to blend it smoothly over the surface. Allow the gold to dry completely.

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STAP 13 VAN 13

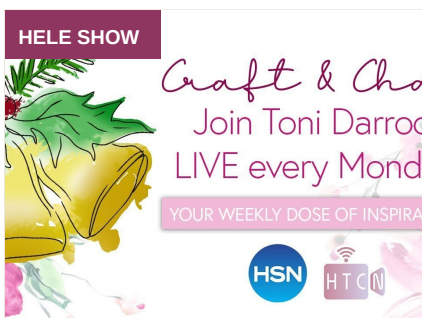
Cut out the coloured bells and leaves using scissors or a craft knife. Mount the cut-out image onto your card base using 3D foam pads or foam tape to create dimension.

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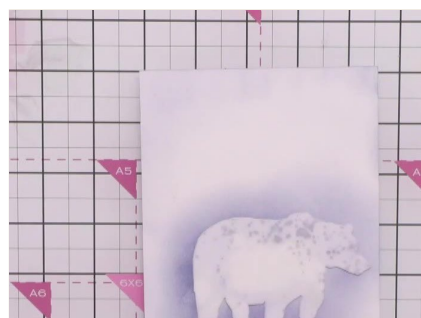
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- Always place paper underneath your work when using alcohol markers so the ink is absorbed and doesn't puddle on a glass mat.
- Keep your light source consistent from the same direction across all elements of your image.
- Use just three colours—light, medium, and dark—to keep shading simple and avoid overwhelming yourself.

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