

Lover Girl Patchwork Card with Stencilled...

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Create a vibrant, eye-catching card featuring a stylish 'Lover Girl' character set against a colourful patchwork background. Using stencils, distress inks in pink, yellow and teal, and decorative papers, you'll build up layers of pattern and texture, framed with bold black ink. The focal image is coloured with alcohol markers and positioned on the patchwork design for a contemporary, artistic finish.

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WHAT YOU WILL NEED

- Imala - A5 Stamp - Lover - 090524C

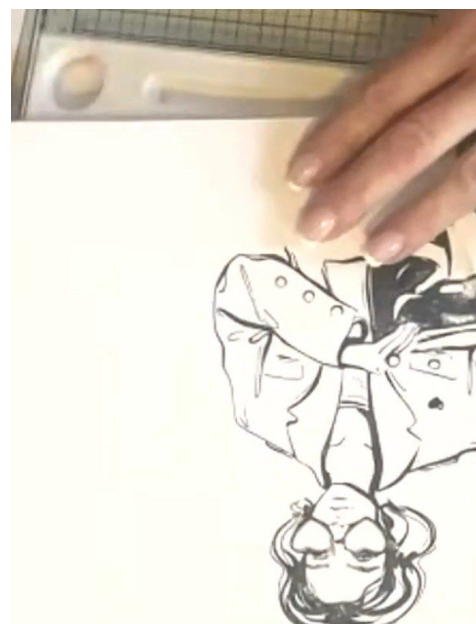
STEP 1



Stamp the Lover Girl (Daisy) image onto white card using black ink. Position the stamp carefully and press firmly to ensure a clear impression.

Watch this step: 35:45 into the show

STEP 2



Using a darker alcohol marker, lightly outline and shade the girl's features, focusing on areas like the cheeks, lips, and nose to add definition and depth.

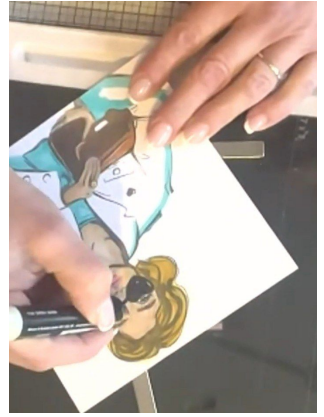
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STEP 3

Apply a peachy alcohol marker under the cheekbones of the character. Layer your skin tone over the top using the other end of the marker to blend and create natural shadows.
Watch this step: 37:00 into the show

STEP 4

Use darker markers to add depth and dimension to the face, accentuating key features such as the eyes, nose and mouth. Work carefully to enhance the facial details and bring the character to life.
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STEP 5

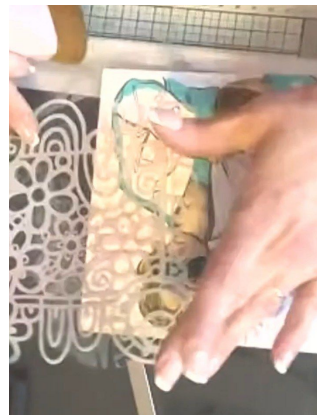
Use a white gel pen to add highlights to the eyes and other features. Then use a black pen to define the eyes and add detail, creating more texture and dimension to the character's face.
Watch this step: 38:15 into the show

STEP 6

Use teal alcohol marker to colour the girl's clothing and accessories. Add colour to her top, trousers, and sunglasses to complete the character.
Watch this step: 39:15 into the show

STEP 7

Stamp the girl image onto decorative patterned paper that coordinates with your background. Colour around the edges of the stamped image with matching markers to blend with the paper pattern, ready for fussy cutting.
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STEP 8

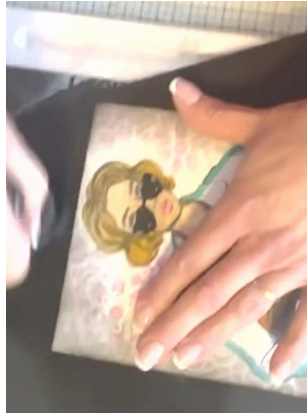
Take a large card base and begin building the background by layering decorative paper panels at angles around the sides. Position the panels to create texture and visual interest across the card front.
Watch this step: 40:30 into the show

STEP 9



Use a stencil and distress ink in salvage patina to add colour around the edges of your background panels. Apply the ink lightly around the borders to create subtle shading.
Watch this step: 41:00 into the show

STEP 10



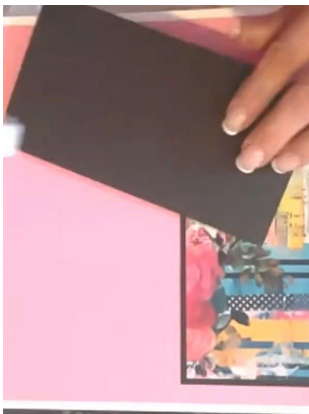
Layer pink distress ink over the stencilled background, slightly overlapping the previous colour to build depth and dimension.
Watch this step: 41:30 into the show

STEP 11



Using the same stencil, apply teal distress ink to the background to continue building up a multi-coloured, textured effect.
Watch this step: 42:00 into the show

STEP 12



Frame the entire background with black distress ink, applying it lightly around all the edges to pull the design together and add definition.
Watch this step: 42:30 into the show

STEP 13



Mat the coloured girl image onto black card. This creates a border that makes the image pop against the patterned background.
Watch this step: 43:30 into the show

STEP 14



Adhere the matted girl image to the centre of the layered background using foam pads for dimension.
Watch this step: 44:00 into the show

STEP 15



Add a sentiment such as 'Hello beautiful' to the card.

Frame the sentiment lightly with black ink to tie the design together.

Watch this step: 44:45 into the show

TIPS FROM THE SHOW

- When paper piecing, colour around the edges of your stamped image with matching markers to create a seamless pattern when fussy cut.
- Use black ink as a blending tool to frame and pull together all the elements of your design.
- Layering decorative paper panels at angles creates visual interest and allows you to build a cohesive patchwork design.

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