

Stampin' Up! – Naturally Eclectic Bundle Card #3

Technique: Two Tone Paste

Level: Beginner - Intermediate



TIME: 20 Minutes

STAMPS:

Naturally Eclectic Bundle
Wood #145355
Clear #145356

INKS:

Lemon Lime Twist #144086
Soft Sky #131181
Archival Basic Black #140931
Reinkers:
Lemon Lime Twist #144092
Soft Sky #131161

ACCESSORIES:

Eclectic Layers Thinlits #143744
Aqua Painter #103954
17" – Soft Sky 3/8" Classic Weave
Ribbon
Embossing Paste #141979
Palette Knives #142808
Pattern Party Decorative Masks #144103
Silicone Craft Sheet #127853
Sponge Dauber #133773
Multipurpose Glue #110755
Mini Glue Dots: #103683

Dimensionals #104430
Tear and Tape #138995 or
Fast Fuse #129026 or Snail Adhesive #104332
Stampin Scrub #126200 and Stampin Mist #102394

CARD STOCK AND DESIGNER PAPER:

Lemon Lime Twist #144245	4-1/4 x 11, score and fold at 5-1/2 – card base
Soft Sky #131203	4 x 5-1/4 – mat
Water color paper #122959	3-7/8 x 5-1/8 – card front
Whisper White #100730	3-1/2 x 4-1/2 – stamp and die cut flowers.
Lemon Lime Twist	3 x 3-1/2, stamp and die cut flower and leaves.

DIRECTIONS:

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1 – Use a couple of drops of Soft Sky reinker inside the inkpad lid and the Aqua Painter to watercolor the card front. Let it dry completely or use a heat tool to dry it.

2 – Using the Soft Sky inkpad, and the solid image leaf stamp, stamp across the bottom portion of the card front using the Generation Stamping Technique.

TIP – Generation Stamping – Ink the stamp, stamp once, then stamp a second time without reinking.



3 – Clean your stamp with the Stampin Scrub and Mist.

4 – Change over to the crosshatch leaf stamp and stamp two or three times in Lemon Lime Twist in the same area of the card front.

TIP – you want to leave enough room at the bottom for the sentiment.





5 – Place two small scoops of the embossing paste onto the Silicone Craft Sheet, place 1 drop of reinker on each, Soft Sky and Lemon Lime Twist. Use a clean knife to mix each one complete.

6 – Cover the card front with the Decorative Mask and secure with Post it Note tape or Washi Tape before you start adding the paste.

TIP – Start on the top right corner with the blue paste, pulling it down and to the left unto you reach the center of the art piece. Start in the bottom right corner with the green paste and pull it to the left and up to meet the blue. Use more of the blue paste to blend where they meet in the center.

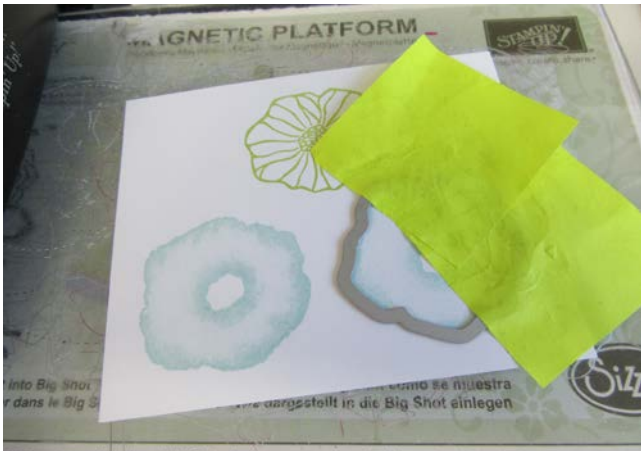


7 – Remove the mask and tape to reveal the finished background.

TIP – clean the tools ASAP. It's a good idea to have a basin of warm water close to drop the knives, silicone mat and masks into until you can clean them.

8 – On the piece of Whisper White card stock, stamp the outline flower in green and the donut looking flowers in blue.





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9 – Use the coordinating Eclectic Layers Thinlits to cut out the flowers.



10 – Use a sponge dauber and ink pad to add a little extra color to the edge of the blue flowers.



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11 – Die cut the green flower.



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12 – Stamp and Die cut the leaves. (There are two in this picture but I only used one).



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13 – Use Fast Fuse Adhesive to attach the art piece to the mat.



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14 – Wrap the ribbon around the art piece and tie a knot on the left side. Trim the ends.





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15 – Use Fast Fuse or Multipurpose Glue to attach the art piece to the card base.

16 – Use Dimensionals to attach the two blue flowers to the card front.



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17 – Use Dimensionals to attach the green flower over the two blue flowers.

18 – Use multipurpose glue to attach the green flowers and leaves, tucking the ends under the flowers.



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19 – Finished card. I resisted the urge to add more embellishments; I decided there was enough going on.

20 – Clean stamps with the Stampin Scrub and Mist.

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