

# Floating Strips Technique



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This tutorial contains all the measurements and instructions that you need to recreate these cards along with a complete list of supplies.

The supplies used to create these cards are available, while supplies last, through my Stampin' Up! store at <https://lynnedunn.stampinup.net> so feel free to shop online for supplies or use some of your own materials that you may have on hand.

## **Supply List**

- Berry Burst Cardstock [Item# 144243]
- Basic White Cardstock [Item#166780]
- Window Sheets [Item# 142314]
- Nested Essentials Dies [Item# 161597]
- Baker's Twine Essentials Pack [Item# 155475]
- Peaceful Pine Classic Stampin' Pad [Item# 167679] - Available May 5, 2026
- Forever Plaid 3D Embossing Folder [Item#
- Velvet Meadow Designer Series Paper [Item#167904] – Available May 5, 2026
- Multipurpose Liquid Glue [Item# 110755]
- Foam Adhesive Strips [Item# 164049]
- Stampin' Dimensionals [Item# 104430]

**Bundle:** Flowering Meadow Stamp & Die Set Bundle [Item#167912] - Available May 5, 2026

Watch the video at <https://youtu.be/-GUCy6YeMdu>

## **Card #1**



1. Start with a 5-1/2 x 8-1/2 inch piece of Berry Burst cardstock. Score the 8-1/2 inch side at 4-1/4 inch to create the base of the card.
2. Cut a 4 x 3-5/8 inch piece of patterned paper. Cut this piece into eight 1/2" wide strips. Each piece will measure 1/2 x 3-5/8 inches.
3. Cut a 4-7/8 x 3-5/8 inch piece of a window (acetate) sheet. Adhere all 8 half inch strips across the window sheet leaving a little bit of space in between each piece.
4. Use the Nested Essentials Die which is 4-1/4 inches long to die cut the shape into the center of the paper strips on the window sheet. Save the die cut center shape for Card#2.

5. Cut a 4 x 5-1/4 inch piece of Basic White cardstock. Adhere the negative space (the left over piece with the die cut hole/window in the center) to the white cardstock. Adhere the white cardstock to the card front.

6. Cut a piece of Berry Burst cardstock using the 3-3/4 inch long Nested Essentials Die. Adhere to the center of the card front in the “window” between the paper strips.
7. Cut a piece of Basic White cardstock using the 3-3/8 inch long Nested Essentials Die. Stamp a greeting on this piece using Peaceful Pine ink. Adhere this piece to the piece from Step#6 using stampin’ dimensionals.
8. Embellish as desired.

## Card#2



1. Start with a 5-1/2 x 8-1/2 inch piece of Berry Burst cardstock. Score the 8-1/2 inch side at 4-1/4 inch to create the base of the card.
2. Cut a 4-3/4 x 4-1/4 inch piece of Basic White cardstock and emboss it with the Forever Plaid 3 D embossing folder. Adhere to the center of the card front as shown.
3. Cut a piece of Basic White cardstock using the 4-3/4 inch long Nested Essentials Die.
4. Cut a piece of Berry Burst cardstock using the 4-1/4 inch long Nested Essentials Die. Layer this die cut shape behind the white shape from Step#3 and then adhere to the center of the embossed cardstock as shown.
5. Adhere the paper strip die cut shape to the center of the Basic White shape (from Step#3) using stampin’ dimensionals (or foam adhesive strips).
6. Cut a 1-3/4 x 1/2 inch piece of Basic White cardstock and dovetail the left side. Stamp a greeting on this piece using Peaceful Pine ink and adhere to the card front as shown.
7. Embellish as desired.