

Glitter Panels

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These little quilled designs look so good when set against the glitter panels. If quilling is not for you, try paper punched shapes, they do look just as pretty.

MATERIALS REQUIRED:

2mm Quilling Paper: Green, Yellow and Orange.

Stardust Glitter Paper: STG11PA5 Yellow.

Glitter Board: GB10A4 Lavender.

Peel-Off Stickers: ZL485U-82 Glitter Panels, ZL713U-54 Dots, XL428U-02 Best Wishes and XL769U-02 Swags.

Paper Punch: PPW208 Sun.

Deckled Panel: PCD4U-30 White.

6mm Ribbon: MTR38-30 Lilac.

Card Mount: SF03C-111 Pearl Lavender.

TO MAKE THE CARD:

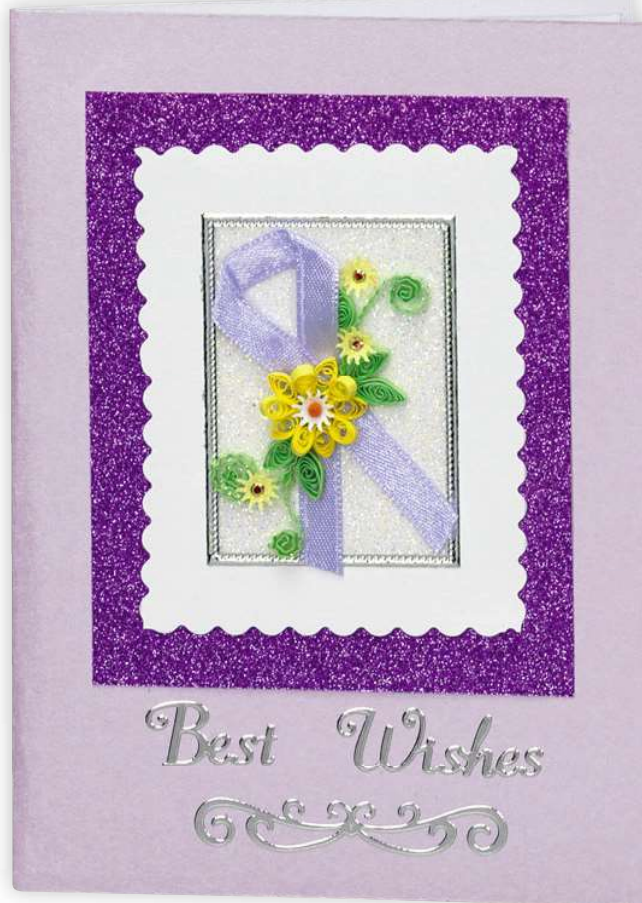
Cut a 75mm x 100mm lavender glitter panel, stick it to the card with an even border at the top and sides. Stick the deckled panel centrally on to it, and one of the glitter oblongs neatly on top of that.

Cut a 150mm length of lilac ribbon and fold as shown, crossing the ends over, use a little double sided tape where they cross to hold them together. Check the fit on the glitter panel, and trim the ends to length as necessary. Stick onto the panel using double sided tape at the back of the crossover point and behind the top of the loop.

The picture below is approx. actual size. For the main flower, make ten coils from 6cm lengths of yellow paper and pinch at one end to make teardrops. Stick five teardrops in a circle onto the crossover of the ribbon for the bottom layer, leaving gaps between them as shown. Add the top layer of teardrops, sticking them with the points down into the gaps in the bottom layer and the tops angled upwards.



Punch four suns from yellow stardust paper. Stick one of these suns face down in the centre of the flower so the white paper back is showing.



Roll a small tight coil from 2cm of orange paper and glue into the centre of the flower.

Make five leaves from 10cm lengths of green, wound to loose coils and pinched at both ends to make eye shapes. Stick these in place, tucking one leaf under the ribbon and adding scrolls to fit between them. I've used a ribbler on my paper for the scrolls, but plain paper is fine if you don't have one.

Add the suns, face up this time to make little flowers, two on top of the quilled leaves and scrolls and one on the glitter oblong as shown. Stick a red dot to the centre of each flower, then add the greeting and swag below the panel to finish.

SQUARE CARD:

This design uses an SF06H-68 Europa Ivory card, with the fold along the top, you can turn it around so the fold is at the side if you prefer.

Stick a strip of lilac ribbon down the side of the card 32mm from the fold then add a crossover piece of ribbon 32mm from the bottom edge. Trim the ends neatly to the card edges. Tie a bow and stick it onto the ribbon strips where they cross.

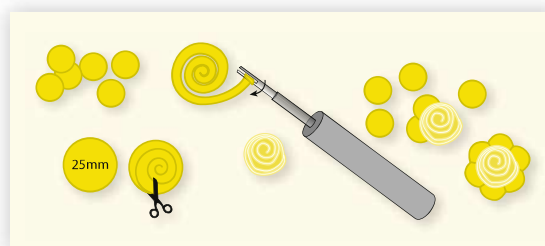
Cut a 60 x 80mm panel from the orange/yellow part of a sheet of light rainbow paper (SR097P) using deckled scissors. The glitter panel has gold edges (colour 81) this time to go with the warmer colour scheme. Stick a glitter oblong onto the lilac section of the rainbow paper and cut it out, then add it to the centre of the deckled panel.

The picture below is approx. actual size. I've used a scrap of deep yellow paper for the roses, and a darker green quilling paper and white for the flowers.

For the roses, cut a 25mm circle for the centre, and cut a spiral into it as shown (below right). Wind the spiral from the outer end using the quilling tool then glue the coiled part onto the centre of the spiral. Punch six small circles and stick these to the back of the rose in an overlapping ring to make the outer petals. Add these two roses to the oblong.



Use two lengths of green glued back to back for the stems, and a single length for the long leaves, taper the ends to a point and tuck them into position. Wind a piece of green



paper around a large needle to make a very fine spiral for each of the lower stems and add to the design.

Make the green leaves from loose coils, pinched to eye shapes, as for the main design, and stick in place. Wind tight white pegs for the buds, making them smaller towards the top of the stems and larger as they go down. Make three loose coils in white for the more open flowers and bend them around the end of the quilling tool to shape into crescents. Add all of these to the panel, then stick it in place on the card and decorate with stickers as shown.

TALL CARDS:

These cards also use glitter panels to show-off the designs, using paper punched shapes and stickers in place of the quilling.

Far Left: The square stickers are placed on blue paper, on the diagonal, so the glitter corner stickers fit between them. The corners are actually some of the heart square layer stickers (ZL639U-50 & -51) that I have cut in half. The top butterfly corners are cut from ZL645U-50.

Left: The glitter squares are stuck to white card so they contrast with the cream card blank, and I've used smaller sprays of paper punched flowers to decorate them.

