

Waterfall Card

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Supplies



White cardstock

Colored cardstock (I used orange, black, and navy)

Black permanent ink

Paper trimmer with a scoring blade

Brads & 1/16" hole punch

Ribbon or cord for the "pull tab" (**Note:** For best results use ribbon no wider than 1/4" or use cording. Otherwise you might tear your hole when you insert the ribbon because it is too thick.)

1/8" hole punch

Double-sided adhesive

Colored pencils

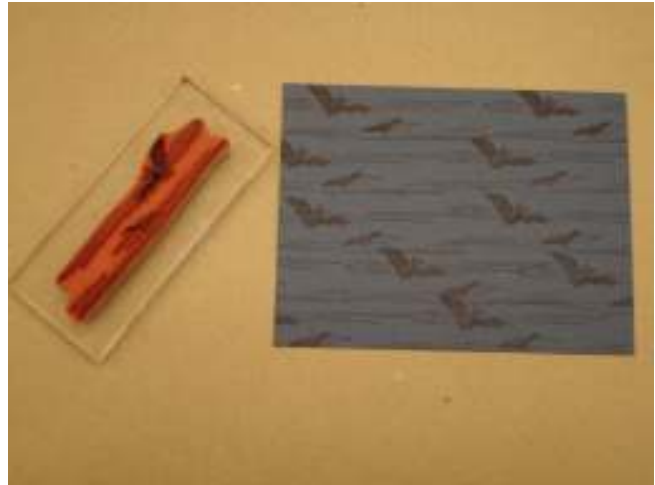
Stamps (I used Flying Witch 819G, Jack-o-lantern 520F, Flying Bats 519F, Bristly 1126F, Happy Halloween 606E)

Step By Step

Step 1

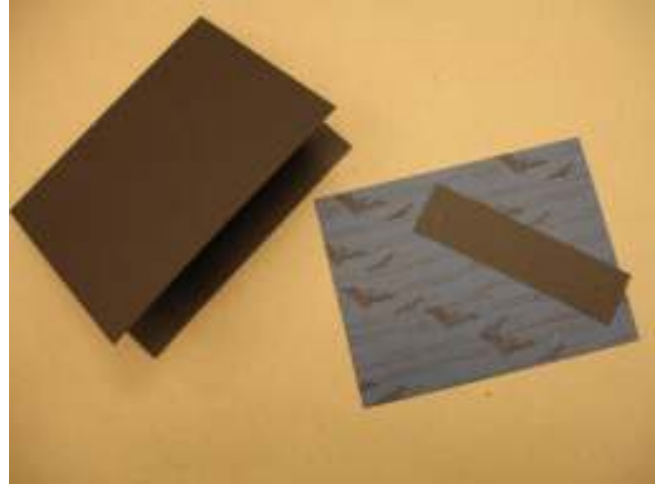
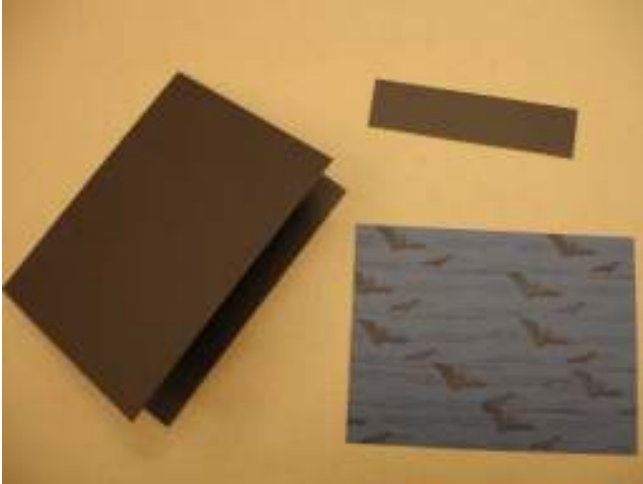
You will need the following cardstock pieces to create the waterfall card:

- 1- 5 1/2" x 8 1/2" Back Piece/Card (Black)
- 1- 1" x 4" Brad Strip (Black)
- 1- 5 1/4" x 4" Layering Piece (Navy)
- 1- 1 3/4" x 8 1/2" Waterfall Strip (Orange)
- 3- 2" x 2 1/4" Squares (Orange)
- 3- 2" x 1 3/4" Squares (White)



Step 2

Stamp your layering piece using the Flying Bats 519F stamp, stamping in horizontal rows and moving the placement of the stamp on each row you to create movement.



Step 3

Place the brad strip about 1" in from right-hand side of the layering piece (as seen below in Step 4) and punch the holes in the layering piece and brad strip at the same time to keep them even.



Step 4

Put the brads in the holes through the brad strip and layering piece and attach the layering piece to the 5 1/2" x 8 1/2" piece of cardstock which has been folded in half to create a black card.



Step 5
Stamp the white squares with Flying Witch 819G, Jack-o-lantern 520F, and Bristly 1126F.



Step 6
Color the Jack-o-lantern using colored pencils.



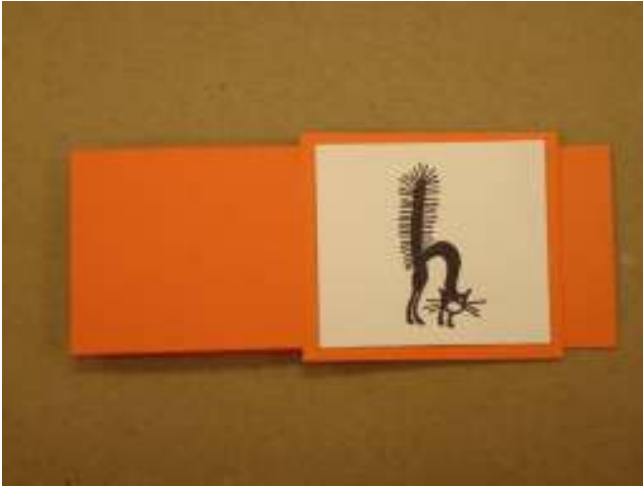
Step 7

Score the waterfall strip at $1\frac{3}{4}$ ", $2\frac{3}{4}$ ", and $3\frac{3}{4}$ ". There will be an area of $4\frac{3}{4}$ " remaining.



Step 8

Attach the stamped images to the three $2\frac{1}{4}$ " x $2\frac{1}{4}$ " orange squares.



Step 9a

Attach Bristly to the waterfall strip as shown above. The left edge of the orange square will be on the first score line at the 1 3/4" mark from the end of the right-hand side of the waterfall strip.



Step 9b

Attach the Jack-o-lantern to the waterfall strip as shown above. The left edge of the orange square will be on the second score line at the 2 3/4" mark from the end of the right-hand side of the waterfall strip.



Step 9c

Attach the Flying Witch to the waterfall strip as shown above. The left edge of the orange square will be on the third score line at the 3 3/4" mark from the end of the right-hand side of the waterfall strip.



Step 10

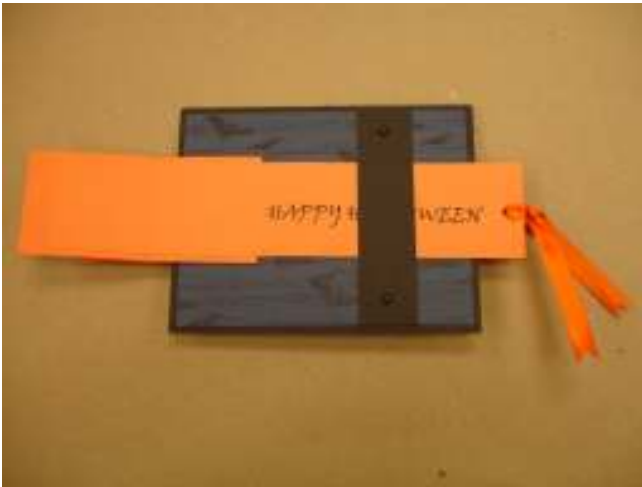
Stamp Happy Halloween 606E on the long unscored side of the waterfall strip as shown above. The "Happy Halloween" will be hidden until the card is pulled open (as shown below in Steps 13 and 14).

Note: For best results you will want to stamp your phrase so that you leave at least 1/2" of blank space on the right-hand side of the strip (as shown above). Otherwise your phrase will be partially exposed when the card is closed.



Step 11

Using the 1/8" hole punch, punch a hole approximately 3/8" from the end of the long unscored side of the waterfall strip as shown above. Put your ribbon through the hole you punched to create a pull tab for your card.



Step 12

Insert the waterfall strip under the brad strip as shown above and apply adhesive to the brad strip in an area no larger than the width of the waterfall strip, centering the adhesive in the middle of the brad strip. This will be the place where you attach the waterfall strip to the card.



Step 13
Attach the waterfall strip to the brad strip as shown above.
This is the finished card.



Step 14
Pull the ribbon to the right to see the images flip on the waterfall card and see the Happy Halloween message appear.