

# Gatefold Shutter Card ~ A5 size

(Australian measurements)

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## SU Supplies:

- Cardstock: Tangerine Tango, Whisper White
- Whole Lot of Lovely DSP
- Basic Black & Tangerine Tango Inkpads
- Scoreboard
- Trimmer
- Scissors
- Ruler & Pencil
- Dimensionals
- Fast Fuse or Tear & Tape
- Big Shot
- Layering Circles Framelits dies or 2 1/4" circle punch
- 1 3/4" circle punch
- Bone Folder
- Best Birds stamp set

Card base = 8 1/2" x 5 3/4", score at 2 1/8" & 6 3/8" to make a gatefold.

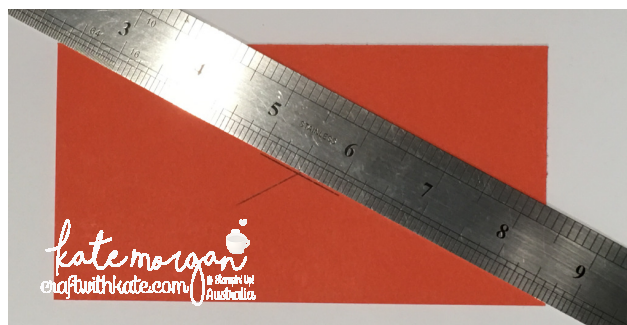
Cut 2 pieces of DSP = 5 1/2" x 1 7/8"

Adhere to the front of card



Inside the card: centre panel; cardstock = 3" x 5 1/2" & DSP = 2 3/4" x 5 1/2"

Adhere DSP to cardstock. Flip it over and find the centre by placing a ruler from corner to corner diagonally and marking a cross with a pencil.

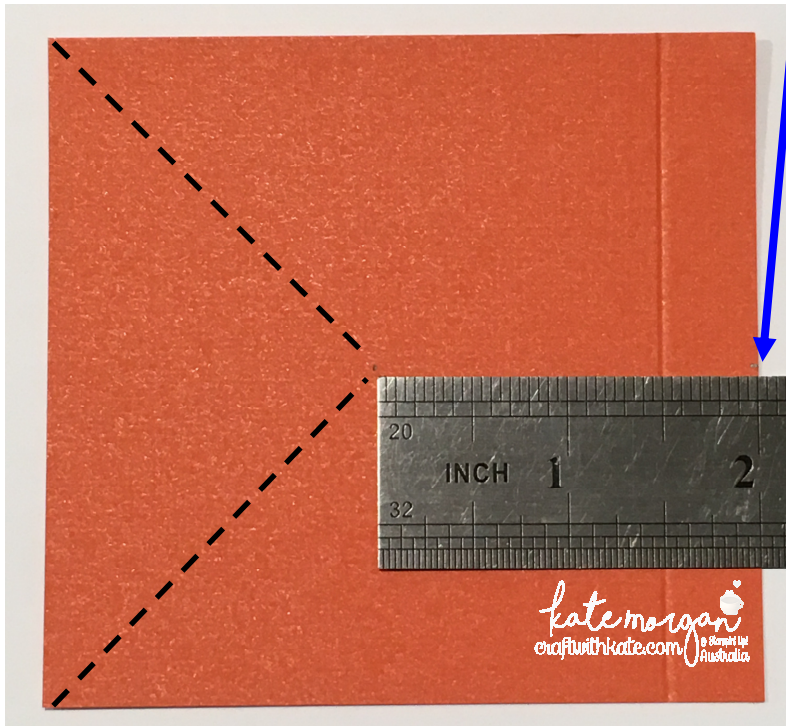


Place a 2 1/4" circle punch or the Layering Circles framelits dies (4<sup>th</sup> largest circle), over the centre of the circle. Flip Place 3 dimensionals at both ends. This allows for the banner mechanism to move through the centre underneath this panel.





Banner mechanism: cut 2 x cardstock =  $3\frac{1}{2}$ " x  $3\frac{3}{4}$ "  
 Place the  $3\frac{3}{4}$ " length into the scoreboard and score at  $\frac{1}{2}$ " on both pieces.  
 With a pencil, mark the centre of the scored end at  $1\frac{3}{4}$ "



Then place a pencil mark at 2" into the centre of the card (shown above)  
 Using scissors (or trimmer) cut the banner from the left corners into the centre mark (dotted lines)

Use this as a template to cut the second banner. Add Tear & Tape or fast Fuse along the tab on each banner.





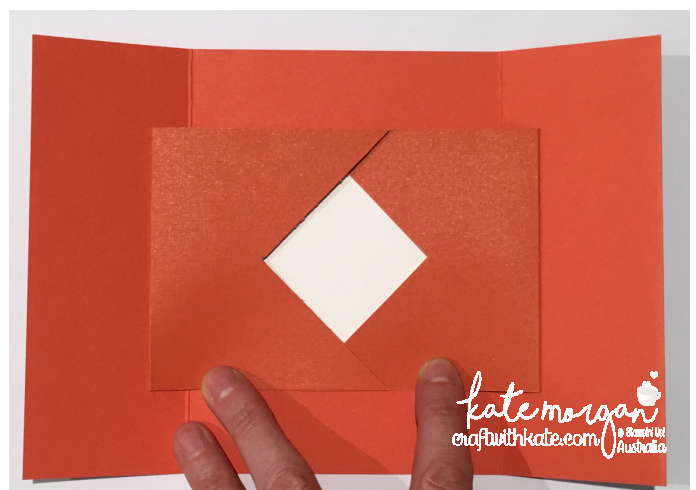
Using a pencil, mark the centre of the card along the fold line at  $2\frac{7}{8}$ ". Line the banner up so the two pencil marks meet along the scoreline.  
Remove the paper from the Tear & Tape.  
Fold the left flap over and press firmly.



Repeat this step on the other side and the banners should line up perfectly. Ensure you place the 2<sup>nd</sup> banner on top and that they line up.



I added a larger circle of white cardstock to the centre of the card for stamping on later. Just make as you glue it down, when the banners close, they cover the circle entirely.



Holding the banners on top of each other, place the centre panel over the top ensuring you centre it over the diamond shape and press down firmly. You can now stamp your preferred sentiment into the white space in the centre of the card. I have used the Best Birds stamp set.



Cut a piece of cardstock 1" x 11" and loosely wrap this around the card to create a belly band. I also cut a piece of coordinating DSP  $\frac{3}{4}$ " x  $10\frac{3}{4}$ " and adhered it with fast fuse before joining the ends of the belly band together. Ensure you don't have it too tight, so you can easily slide it off the card!

Then I used the two circles that were left over from the centre panel, to decorate the front of the belly band. I cut down the DSP circle with a smaller  $1\frac{3}{4}$ " circle to fit inside the orange circle.

I hope you enjoyed my tutorial.  
Here's another one I made using the same Designer paper.



  
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