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PROJECT INSPIRATION

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SUPPLIES

STAMPS

Christmas in Frames
Christmas Your Way
Penciled Outlines

DIES

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Border Bling: Candy Cane Frame 1
Into the Blooms: Christmas Sprigs dies
Candy Cane Classics dies

PAPER

Stamper's Select White Cardstock
Perfect Match Sweet Blush Cardstock
Perfect Match Pure Poppy Cardstock
Perfect Match Raspberry Fizz Cardstock

INK

True Black
Pinefeather
Dark Chocolate

OTHER

Ranger Distress Oxide Ink: Festive Berries, Candied Apple and Picked Raspberry
Copic Sketch Markers: YR68, R08, B0000, B000, BV000, B00, RV09, RV02, V12, V04, and RV00
Black fine-tip black marker

INSTRUCTIONS

STEP 1:

Using Ranger Distress Oxide inks, use a blender brush to blend the Candied Apple, Picked Raspberry and Festive Berries ink colors to create a colorful 5" X 7" background for the card. Splatter water on the wet ink and blot dry with a paper towel to lift some of the ink to create the splotchy background. Allow to dry. Using a fan brush, splatter white ink on the background to create the snowfall.

Tip: Transparent snowflakes (blotted ink) layered with opaque snow (white ink) create more depth in a scene.

STEP 2:

Cut the frame from white cardstock using the Border Bling: Candy Cane Frame 1 die. Adhere to the top center of the card front.

STEP 3:

Stamp and die cut the snowman head and top hat from white cardstock using the Christmas in Frames stamps and dies. Fussy cut right below the scarf.

STEP 4:

Stamp and die cut the snowman's body from white cardstock using the 1-7/8" circle from the Penciled Outlines stamps and dies. (Note: You can also use a fine-tip black marker to create a black outline on the body to match the outline on the snowman's head as shown here.)

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STEP 5:

Glue together the top hat, snowman head with scarf, and body together to make the standing snowman. Use Copic markers to add some shading below the hat, head, scarf and body. This will make the snowman look more rounded with dimension. Color the scarf and carrot nose. The following Copic Marker colors were used on this card: YR68, R08, B0000, B000, BV000, B00, RV09, RV02, V12, V04, and RV00.

STEP 6:

Stamp and add the Christmas in Frames evergreen sprig to the top hat using Pinefeather and Dark Chocolate ink. Stamp the two stick arms using Dark Chocolate ink and set aside for now.

STEP 7:

Hand cut a snowy hill from a piece of white cardstock. This can be any size. Attach to the bottom of the card front. Add the snowman to the center. Add shading to the hill using the blue and blue-violet (B, BV) colors listed in Step 3.

STEP 8:

Die cut six evergreen branches from white cardstock using the Into the Blooms: Christmas Sprigs dies. Attach white evergreen branches all around the snowman, three in back and three around the sides and front.

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STEP 9:

Die cut three smaller bows from Pure Poppy, Raspberry Fizz and Sweet Blush cardstock using the Candy Cane Classics dies. Layer the bows and glue them together.

STEP 10:

Die cut the candy canes from Sweet Blush, Pure Poppy and white cardstock. Glue the layers together to create two mirror-image candy canes. Add the snow man arms to the bottom of the candy canes and attach the canes to the snowman's body. Allow the candy canes to touch at the top to create a large heart above the snowman's head. Use foam tabs to attach the candy canes at the top. Attach the bows to the right-side cane. Stamp, die cut and attach the "Happy Holidays" sentiment from the Christmas Your Way stamps and dies to the bottom, right corner. Use foam tabs to attach the words to make the sentiment stand out.

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STEP 3:



STEP 4:



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