



# Stamping 411 – Sketch ssc106

## Technique – Creating Your Own Pattern Paper

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### Supplies Needed for This Card:

- Autumn Days Stamp Set
- Teeny Tiny Wishes Stamp Set
- Cardstock – Soft Suede, Rich Razzleberry, Whisper White
- Ink Pads – Soft Suede, Rich Razzleberry, Crushed Curry, Old Olive, Really Rust
- ½” Polka Dot Grosgrain Ribbon – Soft Suede
- Paper Cutter, Scissors, Bone Folder
- SNAIL Adhesive, Stampin’ Dimensionals
- Punches – 1 ¼” Square, 1 ⅜” Square, Modern Label
- Brads – Antique Brass
- Piercing Tool and Mat (or Crop-a-Dile or Small Hole punch)



### Assemble your supplies and cut your layers

- Layer One (cardbase) Soft Suede Cardstock – 5.5 x 8.5” (1/2 of a standard sized sheet)
- Layer Two – Whisper White 4 x 5.25”
- Layer Three – Rich Razzleberry – 5.25 x 1.75”
- Inside of Card – Whisper White – 4 x 5.25”
- Ribbon – cut at 6” and 4”
- Scraps of Soft Suede and Whisper White to use with punches



Using all of the colors of ink, make your patterned paper by randomly stamping the images over the cardstock. Turn the stamps in different directions and stamp off the edge to give it a more random look.

I used the small leaf stamp and the pinecone stamp from the Stamp set and stamped them in 4 different colors.





Using Rich Razzleberry Ink, stamp the berry image onto the Rich Razzleberry Cardstock

Using SNAIL adhesive, attach the Rich Razzleberry layer to the Patterned Paper layer that you just created on Whisper White cardstock.



Lay your 6" piece of ribbon over the "seam" of the two cardstocks. Apply SNAIL adhesive to the ends of the back of the ribbon. Turn to the back..

Make sure the ribbon is straight across the card.  
Adjust if necessary.

Set adhesive by applying pressure with your fingers



Using your Bone Folder, Fold the Cardbase in half, matching edges and corners.

Run the Bone Folder over the fold to make a crisp, neat crease.

If you would rather, you can score this piece of cardstock at 4.25" with the scoring blade on your Paper Trimmer and then fold and crease with the Bone Folder.



Apply the assembled layers to the cardbase, using SNAIL adhesive.

There should be 1/8" border which shows around all edges of the card.

Be sure your layers are straight and centered.

Apply pressure with your fingers to set the adhesive.



Stamp your images on scraps of White Cardstock.

Turn the smaller square punch upside down (so that you can see through the window) and center it over the part of your stamped design that you wish to punch out. Punch by apply pressure.

Punch three 1 3/8" square from Soft Suede Cardstock.

Attach small squares to larger, using SNAIL adhesive.



Apply Stampin' Dimensionals to the backs of the squares. Remove the Paper Backing and attach over the ribbon. Squares are very close together.



Pass your shorter piece of ribbon under the attached ribbon and tie a simple over-hand knot to make a Faux Bow.

Adjust the ends before pulling tight.

Trim the ends as desired, on a diagonal.



Stamp the Sentiment from Teeny Tiny Wishes onto a scrap of Soft Suede Cardstock.

Again, holding your punch upside down, punch out the sentiment.



Lay the punched piece on the piercing mat and poke holes in each edge with the Piercing Tool.

You may also use a small hole punch for this but I find when working on very small pieces of cardstock, the Piercing Tool works much better.



Pass the brad prongs through the holes. Working on the back of the piece, bend both brad prongs to the inside of the punched label (so they don't extend over the edge of the label). Press down so they are smooth with the cardstock.

Apply a Stampin' Dimensional to each end of the label, remove the paper backing and adhere to the front of the card.



Stamp the images in a random pattern on the inside piece of Whisper White cardstock.

Adhere to the inside of the card using SNAIL adhesive.



Your Card is Complete – congratulations!

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