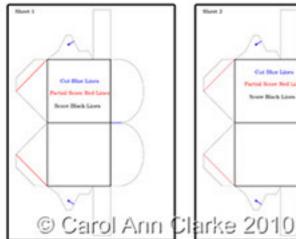
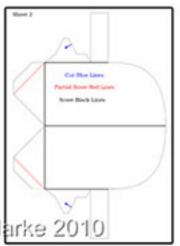
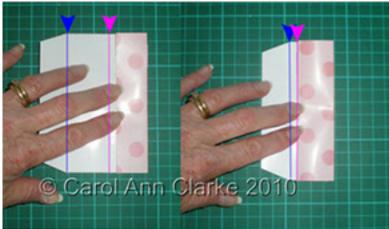
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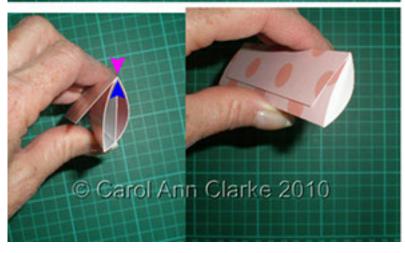
For best results print sheets 1 to 3 onto photo paper or good quality cardstock and pint sheet 4 onto the reverse of sheets 1, 2 & 3. Print sheets 5 & 6 onto good quality paper. For a pretty lining to your envelope print sheet 7 onto the reverse of sheets 5 & 6











Please read the instructions all the way through before starting to make your card.

Before cutting out score each of the fold lines as per these diagrams. Note the red partial score lines and cut on the blue lines. Fold and crease all the score lines using a bone folder

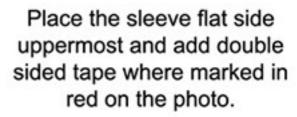
Start with the sleeve. Turn it over and add dst where marked in red on the photo

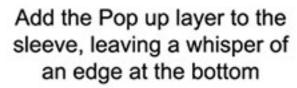
Starting from the opposite end to the dst fold inwards on each score line.

Note the folded edge marked in blue and the score line marked in pink on the photos

Before adhering squeeze in on the top and bottom edges lining the edge we noted in blue above with the score line marked in pink above and adhere. This will create a sleeve that bows out on one side and has 2 channels









It will now look like the left hand photo from the side.

Fold the Pop Out bar as per the right hand photo



Add dst to the 2 small flaps and adhere it in the centre towards the bottom of the Pop Up Layer.

It will now look like the right hand photo.

Place to one side.

Please see page 9 for instructions on how to create 'floating' decoupage.



Take the card front. Fold down the flaps and adhere the flap covers in place.



Take the card back

Add dst where marked in red on the photo making sure to avoid the hole and elastic slot



Turn over and fold in all the tabs. Remove the carrier from a tab and an elastic slot piece on one side only. as marked in red on the photo



Take the front, line up the pieces and adhere together



Open the card up and the tab and elastic slot piece will be joined but 'free' inside the card.



Take the pop up layer and slip the tab you just joined together into the back channel of the sleeve



Fold the remaining tab and elastic slot pieces to the inside of the card (over the pop up layer) and remove the dst as marked in red on the photo

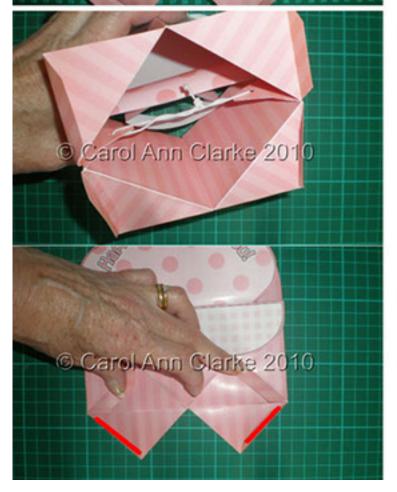


Fold over the front and aligning the edges adhere together

Your card will now look like this from above with the flap we just joined 'free' within the card







Slip the tabs you just joined together into the front channel of the sleeve. It may take a little jiggling but it will fit in ... honest! Your Pop Up Layer will now slide freely on the tabs & sleeve

You can add the decoupage to the Pop Out Layer now or later. These are separate in your kit so you can decide where to add them



I used shirring elastic to power the Pop Up and it measured approx 8 cm from folded edge to knot. Slip it onto the hooks

If your band is too long then add a twist (as below) to shorten it



Flatten your card by pressing on the front. You may find it easier to use paper clips to stop it from popping up whilst you secure the base. Flip up 2 of the base pieces, fold in all the flaps and add adhesive where shown in red on the photo



Fold the top flaps down and adhere in place



The base of your card will now look like this

To close your card squish it with the elastic band running left to right. Gently start to fold in the 2 base pieces. Your card will try to resist ... that's the pop up mechanism working lol



Gently make sure that the base pieces are folded into the base of the card until it is fully folded and flat. Make sure the 'seams' on the inside of the base are both on the same side of the elastic band to ensure your card flattens properly and isn't bulky.









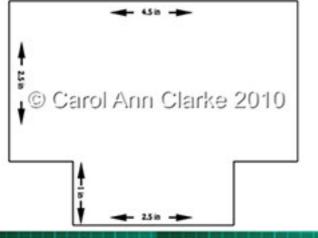
age earlier then add it now making sure it is adhered to the front of the Pop Out Layer. I used a piece of clear acetate when making up some of the designs. Adding the decoupage to this and then attaching the acetate to the Pop Out Layer to give the effect of 'floating' decoupage. See page 9 for more info on this.

Your card will now look like this from above.

Flatten your card ...

... and slip it into it's matching envelope.

I printed the coordinating backing paper onto the reverse of my envelope to give a pretty lining









To create 'floating' decoupage as mentioned on pages 3 & 8 you'll need a piece of clear acetate no bigger than 4.5 inch wide by 3.5 inch tall. Cut as per the diagram

Adhere the bottom portion of this to the front of the Pop Up Layer

Take your chosen decoupage element (most kits contain a number of choices) and adhere this to the acetate. I chose to add just 1 piece and placed it just 'kissing' the top edge of the Pop Up layer under the acetate, but you can add as many as you wish and place them wherever you'd like them!

Trim the excess acetate away.

Complete your card as before



The decoupage is all separate so you can make it differently every time!



There's a writing panel on the back of your card. If you printed a backing paper onto the reverse of sheet 3 then you won't have any white showing

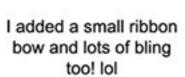




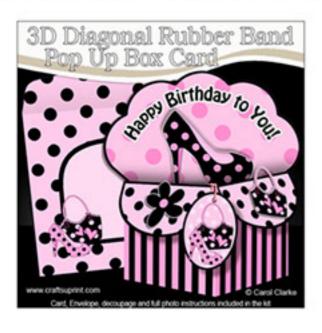
A few details from my card

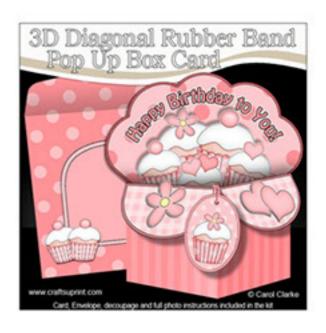
I used one of the small handbag decoupage pieces as a 2nd swing tag

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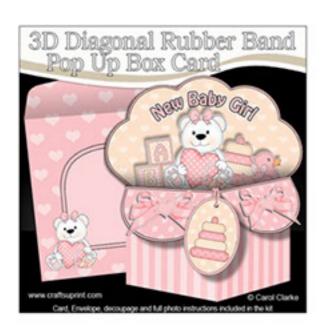
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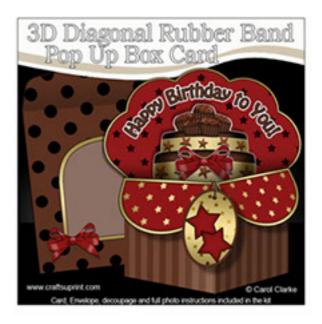






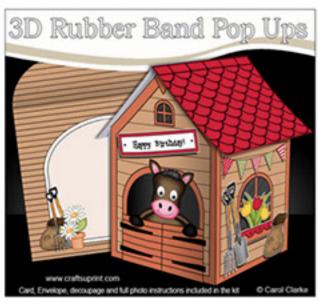


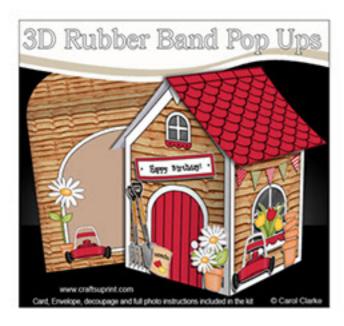




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