



Happy Valentine's Day Dump Truck Card

I created this card for our 2-yearold grandson, who loves all things mechanical, and he is fascinated by work trucks.

This is his Valentine's Day card, but this pattern could be used for any occasion.

Use your own papers, stamps, and embellishments to personalize it.

The possibilities are endless!

Stampin' Up! Supplies Used:

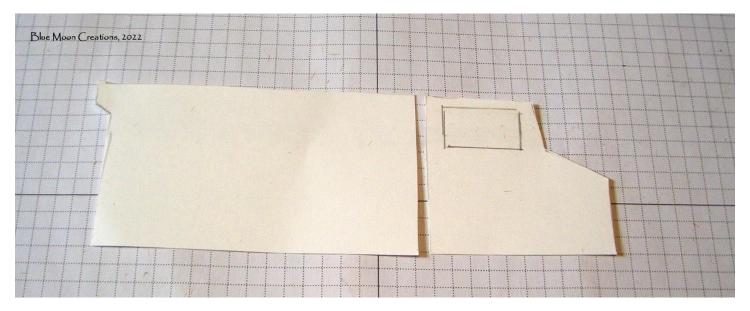
Stamp set: Teeny Tiny Wishes

Ink: Polished Pink

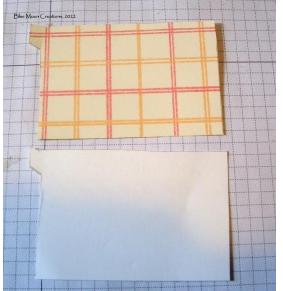
Paper: Very Vanilla, Basic Black, So Saffron, Beauty of the Earth, and Daffodil Afternoon 12"x12" Designer Series Paper, Burlap, Red Foil, Rainbow, and Ombre Glimmer Specialty Paper

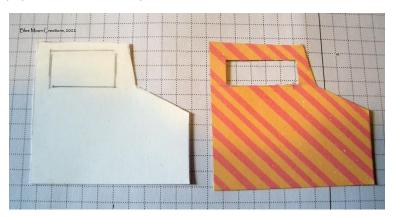
Accessories: dump truck pattern, printer, pencil, scissors, paper trimmer, Stampin' Cut & Emboss Machine, Basic Borders, Gears and Give it a Whirl Dies, 1" circle punch, Take Your Pick Tool, glimmer brad, Mini Dimensionals

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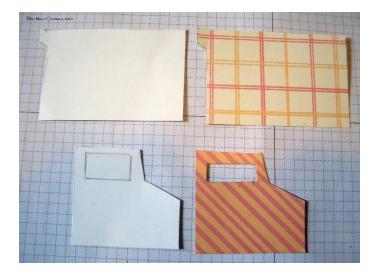


1. Print dump truck template found on the last page of this tutorial. Cut pieces and trace them on card stock or designer paper. Cut out with a pair of scissors.



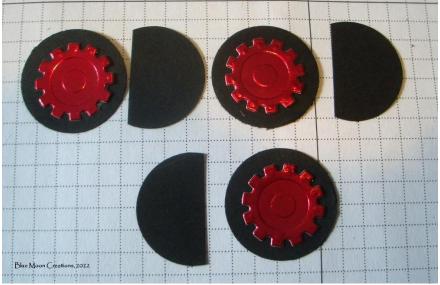


For the window in the cab, I drew the window's outline on the designer paper using a pencil, then cut it out using the trimming blade on my paper trimmer/scorer.





- ${\bf 2. \ Cut \ out \ embellish ments \ for \ the \ truck:}$
- Tires and hub caps:
- -1" circle punch out of black card stock
- -Gears die for hub caps cut out of red foil paper
- -insert for the window-scrap piece of yellow card stock cut to fit the window cut out



Tires: Three full 1" circles and one and a half 1" circles cut in half



Hearts: An assortment of hearts cut out of red foil and multi-colored glimmer paper using a die-cut machine and heart die.



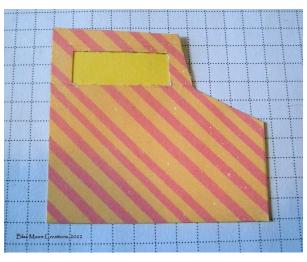
3. Cut landscape background.

I cut two pieces out of burlap paper using a die-cut machine and borders die.

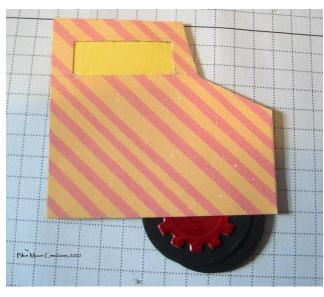


4. Attach burlap landscaping to card front measuring 4" x 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ".

My sky-patterned card front is a piece of Beauty of the Earth Designer Series Paper.



- 5. Now to assemble the pieces on the truck.
- -Attach yellow card stock behind the window of the cab.



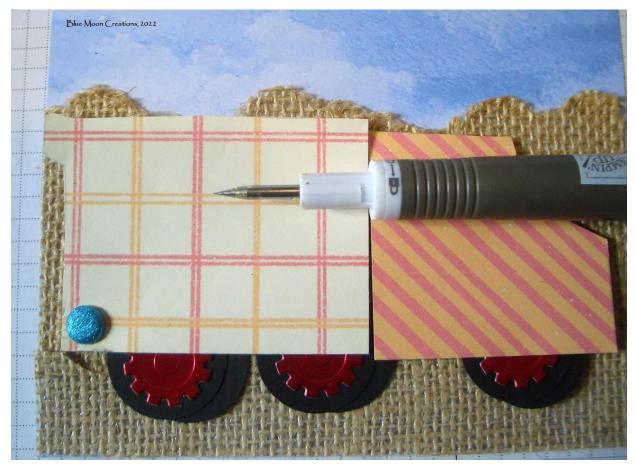
-Adhere 1 set of tires (one full circle and one half a circle) to the cab.



-Attach remaining tires to the burlap card front.



-Attach cab to the card front using Dimensionals to pop it up.



6. To attach the dump truck bed, pierce a hole through the bed designer paper, burlap paper, and card front designer paper. Insert a brad, and open the feet of the brad to secure. The bed will now flip up.



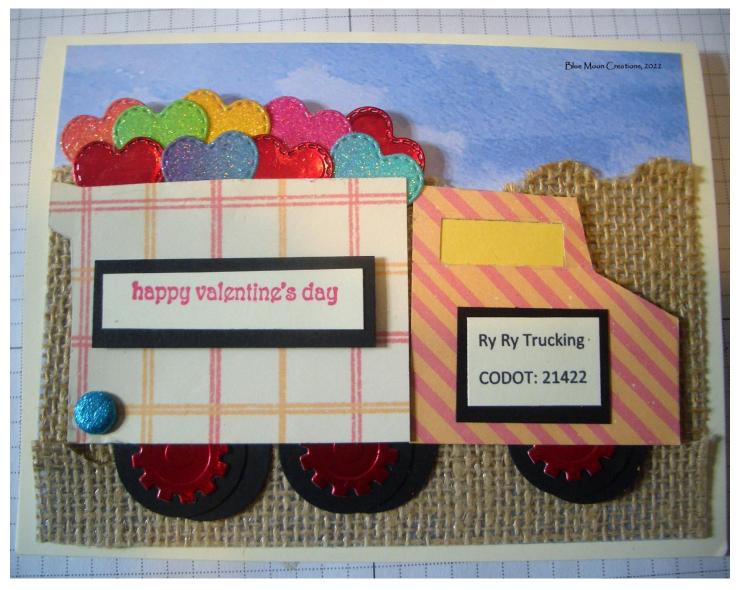
I removed the truck bed piece before completing this next step.

7. Attach and layer hearts to backside of dump truck bed.





8. Reinsert the brad to attach the truck bed with the hearts.



9. Attach to card base measuring 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ " x 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ ". Add desired greetings. I stamped the Valentine's greeting from Teeny Tiny Wishes on a scrap piece of Very Vanilla card stock using Polished Pink ink. I then attached it to a Basic Black mat and added it to the truck using Mini Dimensionals to pop it up.

I created a word document for the sign on the cab as I wanted to personalize it for our grandson. His name is Ryan, and his nickname is Ry Ry. "CODOT" stands for Colorado Department of Transportation and will be a familiar logo to him. The number is the date for Valentine's Day 2022. I printed out the document, then cut it down to size and matted it to a piece of Basic Black card stock.

Have fun personalizing your dump truck!



