

Using Fabric to Make Blank Cards!

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Directions and Supplies from her art quilting books

Supplies

NO sewing machine needed

Small, sharp scissors

Tweezers

Rotary cutter, ruler, and mat

Small iron and ironing board

Parchment paper or Teflon ironing sheet

Fabrics of your choice

Pellon® 805 Wonder Under fusible web

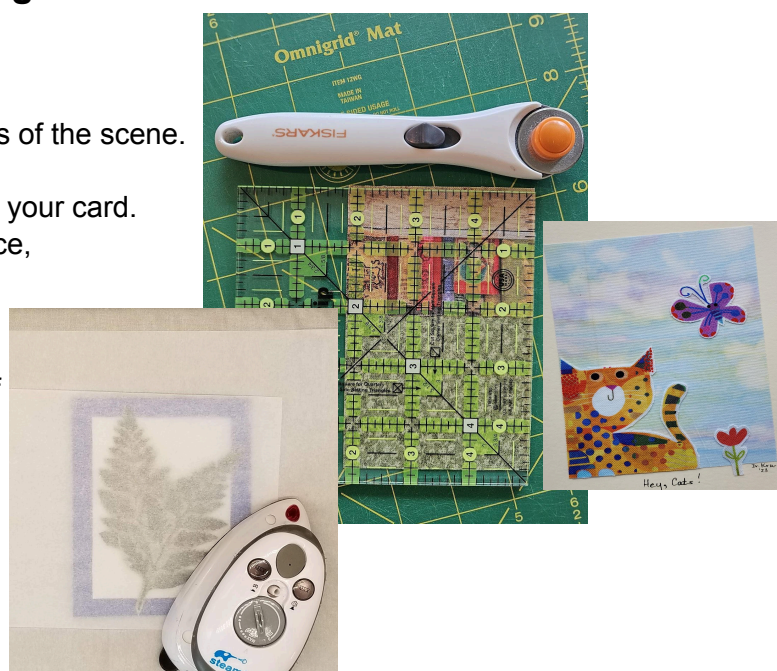
A2 cards—4 1/4" x 5 1/2" cardstock with envelopes

Mary Ellen's Best Press spray sizing (opt.)



Directions for Card with Rectangle Background

1. Stiffen your colored fabrics with spray sizing; e.g., Mary Ellen's Best Press, and adhere Pellon® 805 Wonder Under (see page 19) to the back of the fabric for the background rectangle and the desired elements of the scene.
2. Cut the fabric for the background to a 3 1/4" x 4 1/2" rectangle and fussy cut the other desired elements for your card.
3. With the cardstock right side up on the ironing surface, center the fabric rectangle atop the cardstock, gently cover with a piece of parchment paper, and press.
4. Collage/arrange the fussy cut fabric elements atop the background rectangle, gently cover with a piece of parchment paper, and press.



Starter Guide to Creating Art Quilts (ISBN: 9781947163843, Landauer) and *Art Quilts Made Easy* (ISBN: 9781947163874, Landauer) highlight auditioning and choosing fabrics for art quilting.

For sale: Card Kits (\$3). Zoom classes offered.

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