free

Layering with a Cricut® machine



















Step 1:

Cut an 8"x8½" rectangle of gray cardstock. Fold it in half length-wise. Cut a 3½"x8½" rectangle of black cardstock. Cut a 3¾"x8½" rectangle of pink cardstock. Adhere the black cardstock to the pink cardstock and place on gray card.

Step 2:

Using printed paper and Opposites Attract[®] Cricut[®] cartridge, set dial size to 3", press the **Opposite** feature and **Shift Lock**. Type "BLESS YOU".

Step 3:

Press **Reset All** key located on the right side of your overlay. Set your dial size to 1" and cut the "thanks" phrase from pink cardstock. Using the same dial size, cut "thanks" again, using the **Shadow** feature and gray cardstock. Adhere the pink phrase to the gray phrase.

Step 4:

Assemble card: Adhere "BLESS YOU" to the black card stock, staggering the letters. Glue layered "thanks" on top of these letters, making the word end at the right-hand edge of the card (it will be off-center). Insert into a legal size envelope and thank someone!

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Welding with Cricut DesignStudio[™] Software



One of the most common things you will want to do with the Cricut DesignStudio[™] is to weld letters together to form one word. Combine with your favorite flower images to make the ultimate bouquet.





endless possibilities with text



stretch width and height



skew and rotate





Design Your Own Stamps with Cricut®



1. For best results use a fresh mat. Use Cricut[®] machine and Deep Cut blade (blade depth: 4½, speed: 3, pressure: 4). Ensure cut is no larger than acrylic block.

Arrange image on block. Image should appear correct when viewed through top of block. Refer to photo.
Ink the stamp. Stamp surface with even pressure.

Cricut Color[™] Inks







Replace your cutting blade with these quick, clean inks and draw whatever your cartridges can cut! Inks are archival quality, acid-free, light-fast and waterproof.

Create Your Own Embossing Folders with Cricut®













- 1. Cut design from embossing sheet with Cricut[®] machine.
- 2. Adhere design inside blank embossing folder.
- 3. Use embossing folder in Cuttlebug® Die Cutter and Embosser.













Cuttlebug

Cricut Expression[™] Personal Electronic Cutter

Cuttlebug® Die Cutter and Embosser

up to six cartridges. Connects to any Cricut® machine.

Cricut DesignStudio[™] Software

and duplicate characters.

Deep Cut Blades

Cricut[®] machines.

cords and manuals.

Cricut Jukebox™

Cricut Expression[™] uses cutting mats measuring 12"x12" and 12"x24" to allow cuts from 1/4" up to an impressive 231/2". Six modes and four functions offer broad customization of cuts, while new settings and menus add functionality. Includes Plantin SchoolBook™ font cartridge, Accent Essentials® mini cartridge, 12"x12" cutting mat, cutting blade assembly,

It's easy, portable and compatible with other die-cutting systems. Cuttlebug® will launch you into a new dimension of papercrafting possibilities.

The Cricut Jukebox[™] changes your cartridges with the push of a button. Holds

Explore the content of the Cricut® cartridges. Search by keyword. Preview new cartridges. Use on-screen cutting mat to determine each character's size, style and placement. Combine cuts from cartridges. Quickly weld, shear, flip, kern,

For cutting thicker materials, including chipboard. The deep blade has five additional blade depths for use with the Blue Deep Blade Housing. Use in all



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