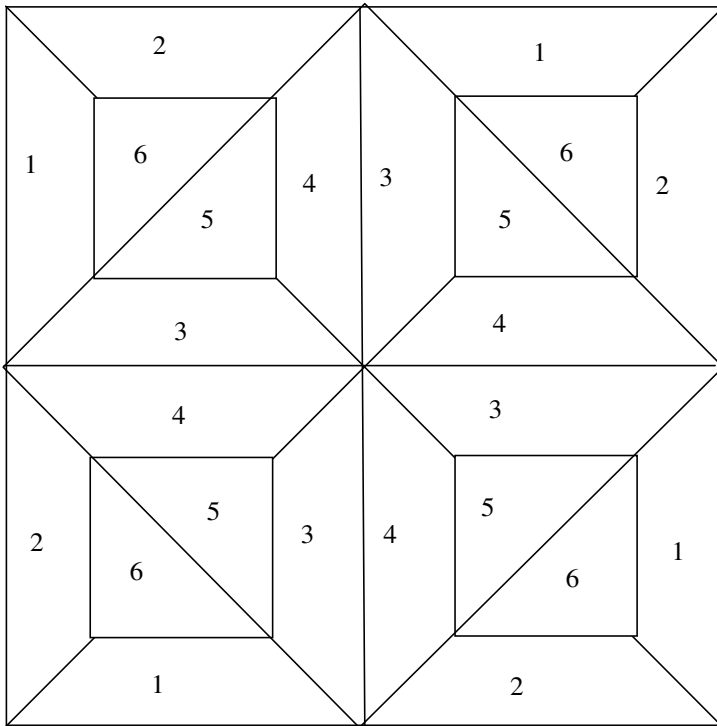


Day and Night

Most quilt block patterns can easily be adapted for cards. This pattern is a little tricky as an iris folding pattern, however, you can make a much simpler version of this card by using this pattern for paper piecing rather than iris folding. This quilt block card looks best when made with light and dark contrasting colors.



Materials:

- Scrapbook paper in 6 colors/patterns
- 6 1/2" x 5" card blank
- 6 3/8" x 4 7/8" colored card stock with a 3 3/4" square window
- Bone folder
- Tape

Cut scrapbook paper as follows:

Colors 1 and 2 - cut four 1" x 2.25" pieces. Fold under 1/4" on one long edge.

Colors 3 and 4 - cut four 1" x 2.25" pieces. Fold under approximately 1/4" on both long edges making sure that the width matches the width of the number 3 and 4 spaces. Use the pattern as a guide.

Colors 5 - cut four 1.75" x 1.25" pieces. Fold under 1/4" on one long edge.

Color 6 - cut four 1.25" squares

For best results use a bone folder to score and crease the paper.

Position the card stock face down over pattern so that the pattern is aligned in the window. Secure the card stock at the corners with low-tack tape.

Tape all four pieces of color #1 in place, lining up the folded edge with the inside line of the #1 spaces. Fold each end diagonally using the pattern as a guide for the fold lines. Use a bone folder to flatten the folds. Tape securely, making sure that none of the tape overlaps into any of the remaining open spaces.

Tape all four pieces of color #2 in place. Do not fold the ends that overlap #1 at the corners. Fold the end opposite the corners diagonally using the pattern as a guide. Tape securely.

When placing color #3 make sure that the ends do not extend beyond the center of the quilt block. Fold the ends that are pointed toward the center diagonally, using the pattern as a guide. Trim if necessary.

Tape all four pieces of color #4 in place. You do not need to fold either end of color #4.

Tape all four pieces of color #5 in place, followed by color #6.

Carefully remove the card stock from the pattern to see your finished quilt block. Mount on the front of the card.

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