## JND380 - Banner Alphabet - by John Lockwood



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John has created a 'You Tube Video' dated November 2023, using JND380 Banner Alphabet, where he demonstrates using the dies to make this beautiful simple to make card. I would advise that you visit it as well as following these instructions.

## **Materials**

Top Folding White Card Blank
JND380 - Banner Alphabet (35)
Essential Coconut White Card
Scraps of coloured Essential Card in various colours.
A5 Die Cutting Machine
3M Craft Mount Permanent Spray Adhesive
2mm Foam Tape
Craft Kit

## Information:

There is a full alphabet set made up of each letter inside the banner flag, plus an additional 4 duplicated letters (P, Y, E A), there are also 5 blank banners to go behind the dies in the set, so you could put different colours behind if you wanted too.. This is the same alphabet set that is in the simple alphabet set so you can layer these on top.



## Method:

- Cut a piece of Coconut white card to 5¾" x 4½" which is an A6 piece of card.
   Add the letters 'HAPPY' onto the card, tape it down and run through your die cutting machine.
- Take your scraps of card, rose, blush, sea blue, sky blue, sunshine yellow, light yellow and clotted cream, we are going to cut 2 colours together, so tape down one of the plain outside flag dies onto 2 pieces of card and cut them out. Repeat this so that you have a set of 14 flags in colour order. There are 2 ways of securing the pieces together, you can use spray glue, glue glaze, and your fine glue applicator with Craft Artist Super Tacky glue inside. If we use the glue glaze, add a few dabs around the edge of the flag and the letter and add the colour behind it putting the 2 points of the flag together and pressing down. We use this method for all the other glues, i.e. fine glue applicator and spray glue on the back.





- These can then be added onto your base card, this has been made following the separate set of instructions for the Lattice Edges. John has cut a piece of card that is 7" wide, and starting with 5" in depth, then the next colour at 4¾", then 4½" etc until the last one which is 3¼" so all the card pieces have been cut to size.
- Add foam tape onto the back of each individual flag, remove the yellow backing and add onto your card at different angles. Here is the original colour card and this version.



Your creation is now complete. I hope you have enjoyed these instructions.