

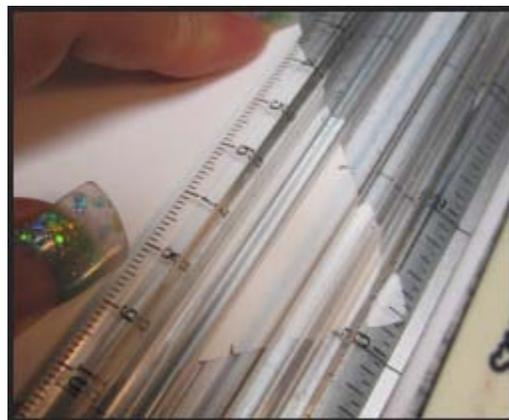
## 2012-2014 In-Colors Birthday Card



**Paper & Ink:** Gumball Green CS, Midnight Muse CS, Whisper White CS, Classic Ink Pads: Midnight Muse & Raspberry Ripple; Stampin' Write Markers: Midnight Muse, Raspberry Ripple, Gumball Green, Summer Starfruit, Primrose Petals & Early Espresso  
**Stamp Sets:** Patterned Party, Create a Cupcake, and Itty Bitty Banners  
**Tools:** Big Shot, Itty Bitty Banners Framelits, Adorning Accents Edgelits, Itty Bitty Shapes Punch Pack (Scallop Circle), Crop-o-Dile, paper trimmer  
**Accessories:** Raspberry Ripple Stitched Satin Ribbon, Bakers Twine (white), Bitty Buttons (scallop circle)  
**Adhesives:** Snail, Dimensionals  
**Other:** Needle

1. Score 5-1/2" x 8-1/2" Gumball Green CS in half at 4-1/4"
2. Take one of the 3-3/4" x 5" pieces of whisper white CS and from the two top corners, measure and mark 1" and 1" down.
3. Line up your two marks in the paper trimmer to cut off top corners and form tag shape.
4. Repeat with second piece of Whisper White CS
5. On one of the whisper white pieces, use markers to color and stamp the balloons on the left side.

**OPTIONAL:** Stamp a second copy of just the balloons on a second piece of scrap CS and cut out. Adhere to tag piece with dimensionals. In this case, only color and stamp the balloon strings on the card front.



6. Color and stamp the birthday gifts to the right of the balloons on the card front.
7. Color and stamp "Happy Birthday" sentiment on scrap piece on Whisper White
8. Cut out using matching itty bitty banners framelit. Also cut scalloped border using scalloped circle edgelit die from 4-1/4 x 3/4" piece of gumball green.

**TIP:** Use post it notes to adhere dies to CS before rolling through big shot!



9. Stamp plaid border in Midnight Muse on 4-1/4" x 1/2" piece of Whisper White CS (line up and stamp 2 times).
10. Trim top and bottom of CS piece up to stamped image edge.
11. Adhere to Gumball Green border using snail.
12. Adhere the card front to the 4" x 5-1/4" Midnight Muse CS piece using snail. Trim corner pieces.
13. Adhere Card front to Gumball Green card base. Trim corners (front and back)
14. Punch 1/4" hole through top of **card front only** using crop-o-dile



15. Put 6" piece of Raspberry Ripple ribbon through hole
  16. Tie together using White Bakers Twine
  17. Trim ends of ribbon and string.
  18. Burn edges of ribbon, if desired.
  19. Stamp birthday sentiment in Raspberry Ripple on second piece of Whisper White Tag
  20. Adhere to inside of card using snail.
  21. Adhere scalloped border to front of card under presents
- OPTIONAL: If you cut and used dimensionals on balloons and gifts, then use dimensionals to adhere border*



22. Adhere happy birthday banner overlapping bottom of presents and plaid border. Use dimensionals if you **did not** follow the optional instructions. If you **did** follow optional instructions, use snail.
23. Punch scalloped circle using itty bitty punch from Raspberry Ripple CS.
24. Thread needle with bakers twine and run through button and CS piece to adhere the two together. Tie with a knot.
25. Adhere button to left of happy birthday banner using glue dot.

