



## Sweet Talk Mailbox

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### Stampin' Up! Supplies Used:

- Cardstock: Balmy Blue (146982), Basic White (159276), Highland Heather (146986), Petal Pink (146985), Real Red (102482)
- Designer Paper: Sweet Talk (157616)
- Accessories: Real Red 3/8" Faux Linen Ribbon (158129)
- Tools: Sweet Hearts Dies (157623), Stitched So Sweetly Dies (151690), Basic Borders Dies (155558), Playful Alphabet Dies (152706), Stampin' Cut & Emboss Machine (149653)

- Miscellaneous: Multipurpose Liquid Glue (110755), Tear & Tape (154031), Mini Glue Dots (103683), paper mache mailbox

## INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Trace ends of mailbox on to back of DSP with a pencil to make a template. Add 1/2" to all edges. Cut with Paper Snips. Adhere to ends with Multipurpose Liquid Glue. Use Paper Snips to snip in to the pencil line around the 1/2" overhang. Apply Tear & Tape to the sides of the mailbox, then fold each flap over, onto the Tear & Tape.

2. Carefully remove the "flag" from the paper mache mailbox. (You will be covering it and re-attaching it in a later step.) Use Tear & Tape to adhere the striped DSP over the top and sides of the mailbox.

3. Cut two 1-1/2" x 8-1/2" strips of Real Red cardstock. Die cut the top edge of each with the Basic Borders Dies. Adhere to the sides of mailbox with Tear & Tape.

4. Cut two 1" strips of Real Red cardstock to cover the edge of the door. Adhere them so that the seam is directly on top of the door. Create a small loop from linen ribbon and adhere over the seam with Tear & Tape.

5. Cover the mailbox "flag" with DSP; adhere to side of the mailbox with Tear & Tape.

6. Die cut two scalloped rectangles from Basic White with the Stitched So Sweetly Dies. Use Tear & Tape to adhere one to each side of the mailbox "flag".

7. Die cut hearts from DSP using the Sweet Hearts Dies. Adhere to both sides of the "flag" with Mini Stampin' Dimensionals.

8. Use Playful Alphabet Dies to die cut name from Real Red cardstock. Adhere to "flag" with Multipurpose Liquid Glue.

9. BONUS: To make quick & easy valentines, die cut additional scalloped rectangles from a variety of cardstock scraps (Balmy Blue, Highland Heather and Petal Pink are shown.) Adhere a 2-1/8" x 3-1/4" piece of Basic White to each scalloped rectangle. Die cut additional hearts from DSP and adhere with Multipurpose Liquid Glue.

