



# Meggan Jacks Scrapbooking

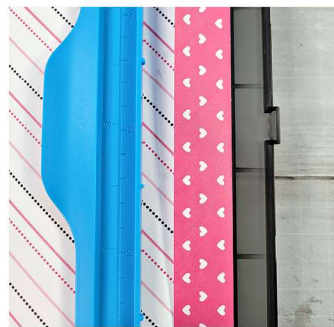
## Fold & Punch Picket Fence



Notes: Use a decorative blade when trimming weaving strips or vary the weave pattern for a different look.



1. Score background paper 1" on all four sides of 12 x 12 background paper.



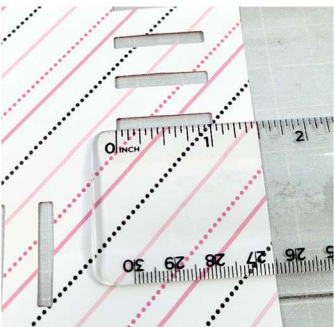
2. Fold one side along score line and insert into BMS paper holder as shown. Take the time to line up the paper as straight as possible on the black line.



3. Punch with Picket Fence BMC in the middle four positions. DO NOT punch top and bottom positions.



4. Repeat steps 2 & 3 on the three remaining sides of the background paper.



5. Measure holes to confirm width before trimming weaving paper. The slots should be approximately 1" wide.



6. Trim four strips for weaving (~1" wide each) and weave into punched slots as shown.



7. Ribbon cut ends of paper if desired.



8. Final layout features a 8-1/2" sq cardstock mat with a 4x6 and (2) 4x4 images



### Sunflower Picket Plaid

Adjusting the depth at which you punch the Picket Fence BMC can give some interesting results! The same effect can be accomplished by trimming off the tops of the pickets, but this technique saves a bit of paper.



2-3/4 x 12" Rich Brown with Victorian Blade

2-3/8 x 12" Yellow tonal paper

2-1/2 x 12" Green Plaid punched with Picket Fence BMC (see directions for punch technique)

(2) 1/4 x 12" Purple tonal paper with Wave Blade

Rich Brown & Yellow tonal paper punched with Sunflower Vine border punch



1. Place plaid paper in BMS paper holder as shown in photo above.



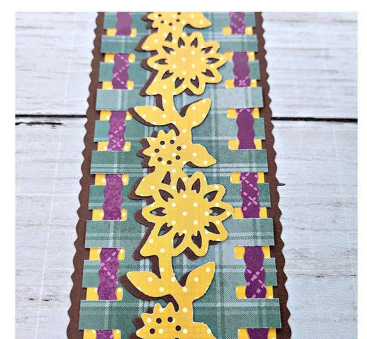
2. Punch with Picket Fence BMC.



3. Weave purple tonal strips into the Picket flaps.

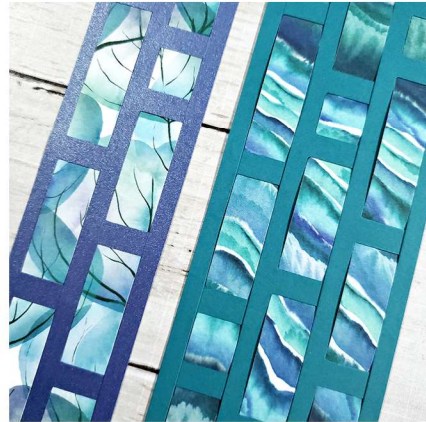


4. Center yellow tonal paper on top of rich brown border background. Center green plaid picket border on top of yellow piece. The green plaid will overhang the yellow by about 1/16" on both sides.

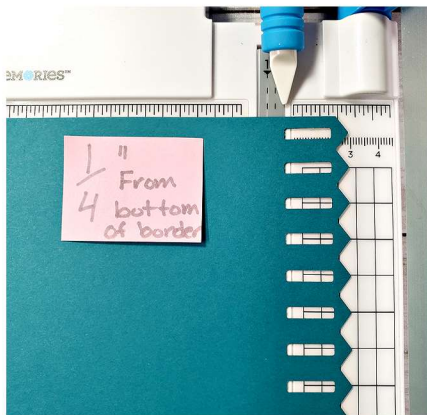


5. Layer yellow sunflower border on top of brown sunflower border to create a shadow effect. Adhere to center of green plaid border.

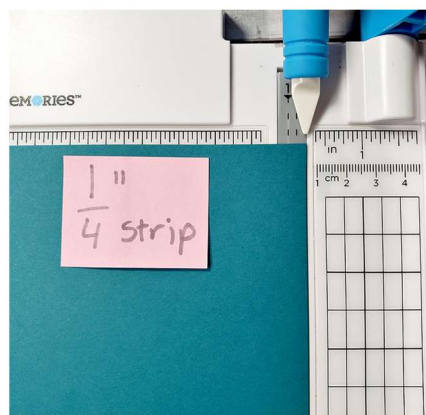
Repeat steps 1 & 2 with other side of plaid strip.



**Picket Panels Border**  
Sharing a little love for the Picket Fence Border Maker Cartridge with this simple but stunning border. It's a great way to show off a beautiful statement print paper and can be done with two or three strips depending on the width of border you prefer.



1. Punch a picket fence border and trim at 1/4" from bottom of the border. This will line up with the right edge of the gray trimmer mat. Make 2-3 borders.



2. Trim two 1/4" strips from same material as your picket fence border.



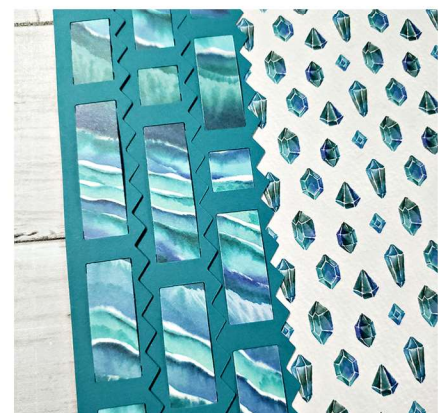
3. Trim 2-3 strips of paper or cardstock to 5/8" wide. These will be what you weave into your Picket Fence borders.



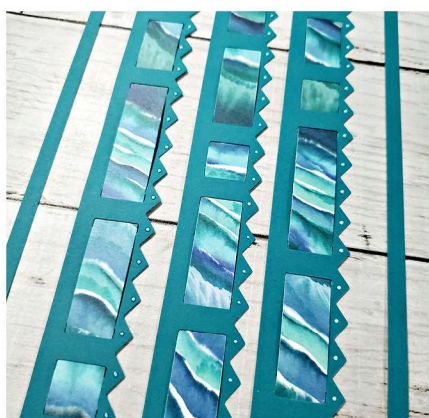
4. All of the pieces needed for a three panel border.



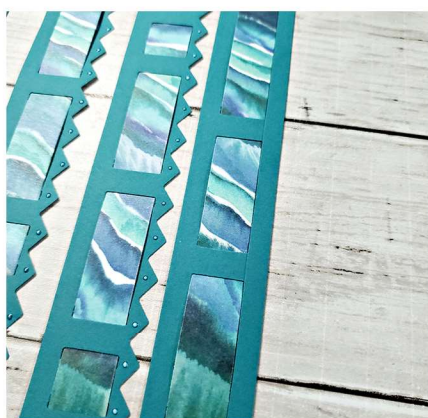
5. Weave the strips into the border. Play around with the weave pattern. If possible, keep the pattern irregular, varied between each strip so seams don't line up.



6. One option for stacking the borders is to let the pinking edge of the PF border show - gives a bit of texture to the border.



7. To create the "capped" border as shown in the first images, apply adhesive to the pinking edge of each border. The adhesive pen works great for this.



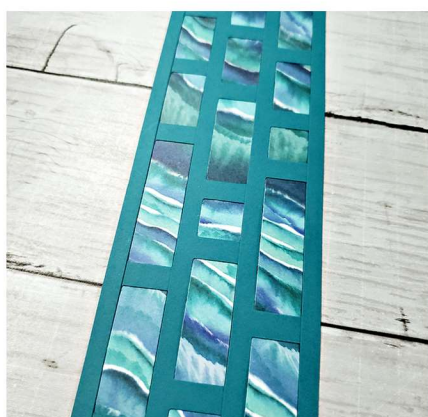
8. Adhere the 1/4" strip to the pinking edge of the right hand border.



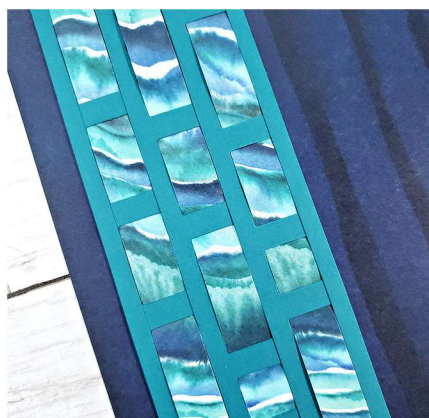
9. Continue to layer the borders, covering up the pinking edge with the straight edge of the previous border.



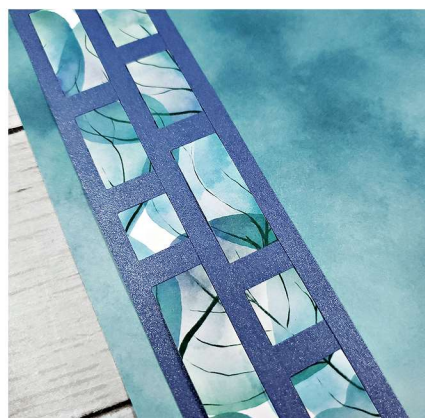
10. Apply the second 1/4" strip to the left side of the border if desired to mimic the layered look of the right.



11. Final border. This is a three panel border - you could use just two panels if you wanted a thinner overall border.



Three Panel Border



Two Panel Border