

## Black Cat Card with Coloured Eyes

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Create a striking Halloween card featuring a black cat with bright yellow-green eyes and orange flame accents. The design uses 'It's just a bunch of Hocus Pocus' sentiment text in an elegant font. This project demonstrates the lamination stamping technique, which allows you to add custom coloured details to pre-designed stamps without requiring traditional colouring skills.

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### WHAT YOU WILL NEED

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STEP 1



Select a piece of white card stock to use as your base card. Place it on your craft mat ready for the next steps.

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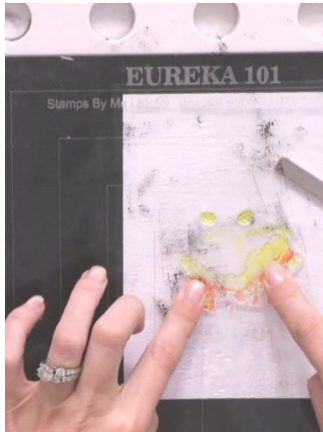
STEP 2



Ink up just the eyes portion of the cat stamp with yellow ink, carefully applying the ink only to the coloured eye area of the stamp.

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STEP 3



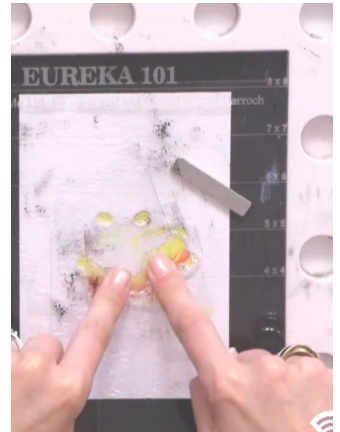
**Spray the inked stamp with water three times to create a watercolour effect.**  
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STEP 4



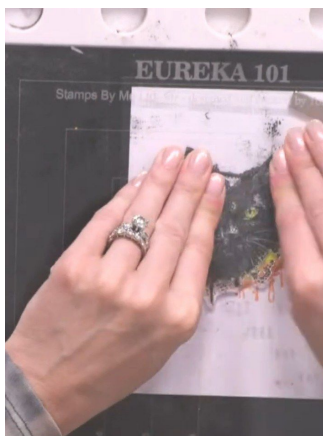
**Stamp the coloured layer onto your white card using the stamp positioner. Press down firmly to transfer the yellow and orange colours from the cat's eyes onto the card.**  
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STEP 5



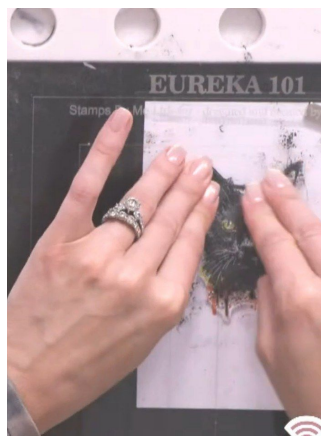
**Ink up the detailed cat stamp with black ink using your stamp pad or applicator.**  
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STEP 6



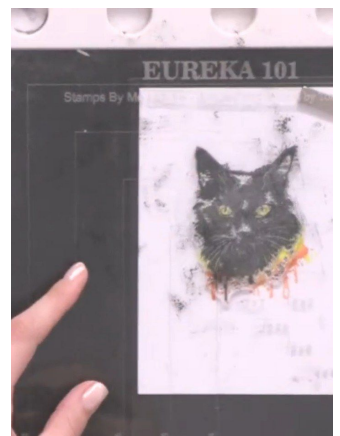
**Stamp the detailed black cat layer on top of the coloured base layer, carefully aligning the eyes and body to ensure the yellow eyes show through. Press firmly to get a clear impression of all the details.**  
**Watch this step:** 42:00 into the show

STEP 7



**Ink up the stamp a second time and stamp over the first impression to achieve a deeper, richer black coverage. Press firmly to ensure all details are fully saturated with ink.**  
**Watch this step:** 42:30 into the show

STEP 8



**Stamp a sentiment such as 'Hocus Pocus' below the cat image using black ink. Position the sentiment stamp centrally beneath the cat and press firmly to ensure a clear impression.**  
**Watch this step:** 43:00 into the show

#### TIPS FROM THE SHOW

- You can experiment with different ink colours for the eyes—lime green or orange would look striking.
- The stamp does all the work of creating shading and detail; no colouring skills needed.

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