

Card Sketches

6" x 9" Paper: Set 1

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On the next two pages, are 15 card sketches that go together with my 6" x 9" cutting templates (Set 1). If you don't have 6" x 9" paper or if you don't want to make this many cards, you can always pick your favorite sketches as inspiration.

In the sketches, I included where I added extra scrap cardstock, die-cuts, and sentiments. Measurements are included for the scrap cardstock, but the die-cuts and sentiments will change based on what you have. For the measurements of the labeled patterned paper, you will need to refer to the cutting templates.

The card sketches are for a mix of mini slimline and standard A2 cards. Standard A2 size is 4.25" x 5.5" (card base: 8.5" x 5.5, score at 4.25" **or** 4.25" x 11", score at 5.5"). Mini slimline size varies, but I prefer 3.5" x 6.5" (card base 7" x 6.5", score at 3.5"). I usually have a card front that is 1/16" smaller than the card base on all sides.

I like to mat my patterned paper on cardstock before attaching it to the card front. I prefer 1/8" cardstock mats, but occasionally use 1/16" cardstock mats. You will likely have cardstock pieces leftover if you mat the patterned paper. Colored cardstock scraps are great for small die cuts and sentiments. White cardstock scraps are nice for cutting multiple of the same die then layering to add extra dimension.

Cutting guides, card sketches, and other downloadable content are available on <https://CardsbyNandita.com/freedownloads>.

Hope you find these helpful – please tag me on IG with @CardsbyNandita so I can see what you create. Thanks!



