How to Make a Swivel Slide Card

**Supplies**
- Make a card from paper of your choice. This will be your base to craft on, a card base.
- Make 2 rectangles of thick stamping paper smaller than the card base.
- Have more paper on hand to stamp & some pretty paper.
- Get thick cardstock to die cut from.
- You will need:
  - “On the Move Swivel Slide Die Set”
  - The “Neighborhood” and/or “Going Places” stamps or stamps of your choice
- Gather craft supplies:
  - foam tape
  - strong adhesive like tape or glue
  - stamping ink and markers or colored pencils to color the stamps
  - of course you’ll need a die cutting machine and some scissors too

1. **Cut a Slide**
   First choose a SLIDE die from the “On the Move Swivel Slide Die Set.” Place it on one of the rectangles of thick stamping paper. Position the die where you want the slide to be and die cut. This will be the background. Decorate it with background stamps of your choice and color as you like. Set the rectangle background aside.

2. **Make a Pull Tab**
   Now let’s make the pull tab so you can pull whatever character you choose along the slide. Choose the PULL TAB die and die cut it from a thick piece of cardstock.

3. **Add a Swivel**
   If you are using a straight slide skip to #6. If you are using a curved slide you’ll need to add a swivel to your pull tab. Use the SWIVEL die and the SEMICIRCLE die to cut the pull tab into two pieces as shown.

   Tip: You can use the TAB die and some pretty paper to decorate the end of the pull tab.

4. **Make it Pivot**
   Now let’s make a pivot to reconnect the pull tab pieces in a way that it can swivel. Use the PIVOT die to die cut the pivot. You will have two circles that will work as a paper brad. One circle is plain. The other circle has slits. Take the slit circle and adhere the center and ONLY TWO of the flaps to the pull tab as shown.

5. **Secure Together**
   Fold the free flaps up and put them through the hole of the other pull tab piece as shown. Now adhere the plain circle to the free flaps to secure the two pieces of your pull tab together.

6. **Fold the Pull Tab**
   On the arms of your pull tab there are little score lines. Fold the arms up along the score lines as shown. Then fold the arms together so they meet in the center. Then fold the circular parts away from each other. Adhere the arms together where they meet in the center.
7 Hold in Place
Now put the finished pull tab in the slide on your rectangle background. To hold it in place, die cut a sleeve using the SLEEVE die. The sleeve has score lines too! Fold on the score lines. Adhere the center of the sleeve to the back of the rectangle background as shown. Put the pull tab inside the sleeve and wrap the ends around it. Adhere the ends where they overlap.

8 Place on Card Base
Next let’s adhere the finished rectangle background and pull tab to the card base using foam tape. The foam tape gives the pull tab enough room to easily move between layers.
Tip: Leave enough space between the slide track & tape for the pull tab to move easily.

9 Cut an Extender
You can either stop here and add a stamped character directly to the flaps on the pull tab, or you can choose to hide the slide. If you are hiding it, cut an extender with the EXTENDER die. Adhere it to the pull tab flaps and adhere your character to the extender with foam tape.
Tip: Double the thickness of the foam tape to ensure the character has room to move.

10 Hide the Slide
To hide the slide track, stamp and color a foreground on the other rectangle. (The “Neighborhood” stamps or the “Going Places” stamps make cute foregrounds.) Use the matching stitched edge die to die cut above the top edge. Cut off any extra with scissors to fit your card. Attach the foreground to your card with foam tape hiding the slide track.
Tip: You can add a hidden message by stamping a sentiment on the pull tab.

BONUS: Your “On the Move Swivel Slide Dies” come with 2 RIBBON SLIT dies that let you to pull the character in the Opposite Direction on straight slides!

To use the ribbon slits, cut a rectangle a little bigger than your slide. Die cut a RIBBON SLIT on either end of your rectangle. Make a loop of satin ribbon through the slits. Make sure the loop slides easily. Attach your pull tab to the seam where the ribbon ends meet. (You can cut off the arms of the pull tab because you will not need them here.) Put the seam on the back next to the slit that is farthest away from the pull tab. Adhere your pull tab over the seam. Adhere the extender to the ribbon on the front side opposite the pull tab. It should be next to the slit closest to the pull tab. Use foam tape to adhere the finished rectangle to the card base under the slide track. Put the extender through the slide and adhere your character. Pull the tab and watch your character move the other way!