

# *Santa Hat Card Tote*

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Christmas is almost here and packages—and packaging - are on everyone’s mind! Use this Santa Hat Card Tote to give handmade cards to friends and family, teachers, the mailman—everyone on your list. It’s even large enough to hold a gift for someone special. This is my way of saying “thank you” for following along on my blog!

Wishing everyone a Merry Christmas. Hugs, Fran

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## Supplies

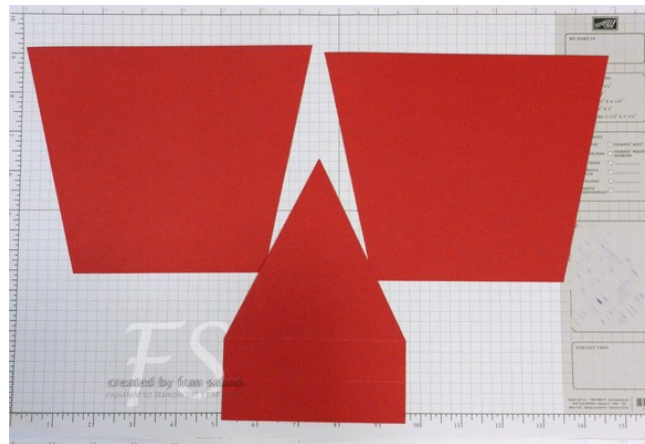
- (1) Real Red 12 x 12 Textured card stock Real Red (121077)
- (2) 12 x 12 Smooth card stock (124290)
- (2) 2 x 7 1/4 Whisper White (100730)
- (1) 1 3/8 circle (119860) punched in Whisper White

- Simply Scored tool (122334)
- Sticky Strip (104294)
- 1/16 hand held punch (101227)
- Glimmer brads (2 red) (121006)
- 16" Real Red satin ribbon (117286)
- Tombow Multipurpose Adhesive (110755)

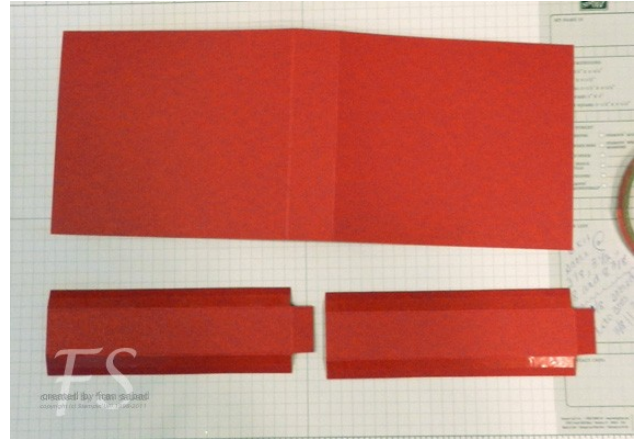
- Large pom-pom
- Velcro
- Cutting Guide

## Directions

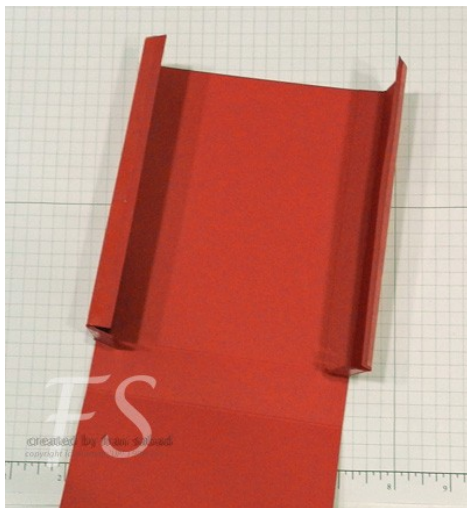
Use the cutting guide to cut and score both pieces of Real Red card stock. You will end up with the textured card stock pieces—



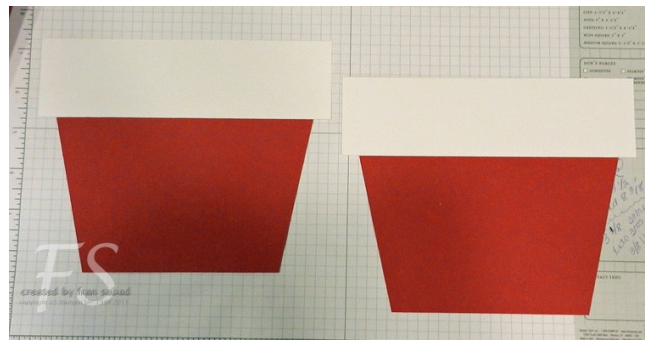
And the smooth card stock pieces— To make the inside box, fold the  $4\frac{3}{4} \times 12$  and both  $2 \times 6$  pieces of Real Red Smooth card stock on the score lines. Add sticky strip to the flap of the  $2 \times 6$  piece.



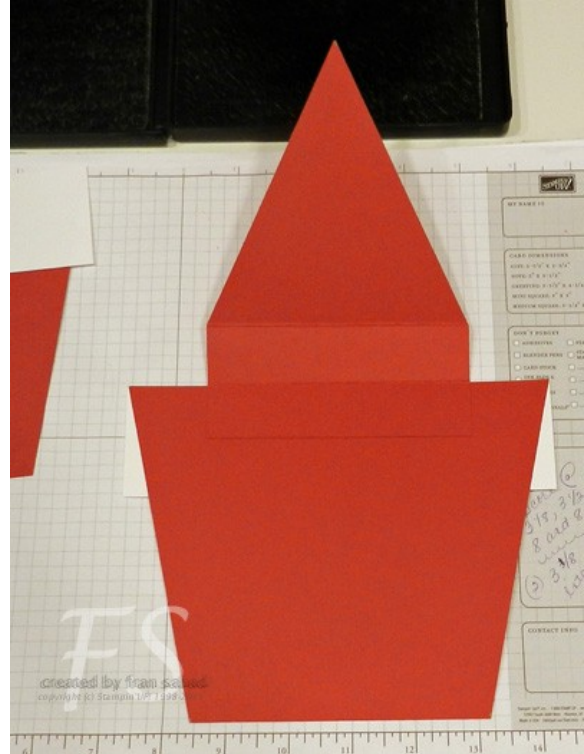
Attach the sides to make the box.



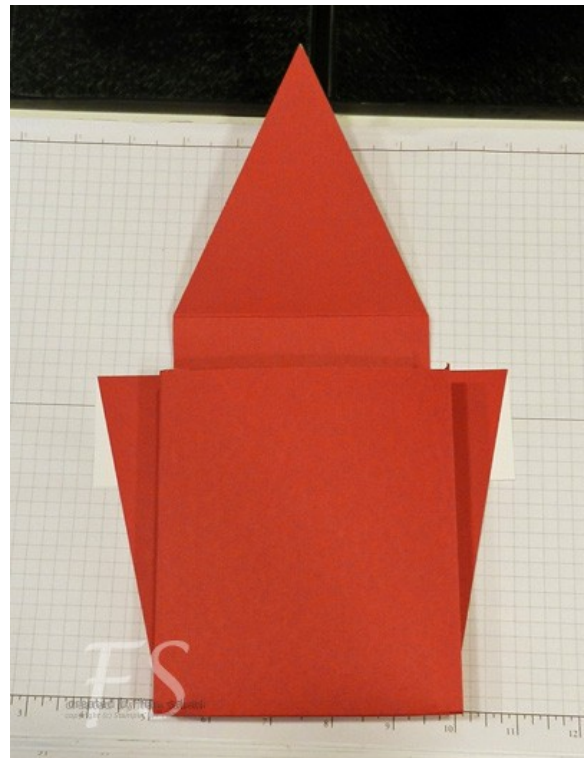
Attach the Whisper White  $2 \times 7\frac{1}{4}$  pieces to the tops of the  $7\frac{1}{4} \times 5\frac{3}{4}$  triangle pieces.



Apply Sticky Strip to the bottom flap of the triangle piece and attach to the back of one of the hat fronts, matching the score line to the top of the hat.



Use Tombow Multi purpose adhesive to adhere the box to the hat back—and then the front. (hint—put the TMP on the box, not the hat.) Line the box up to the bottom of the hat.



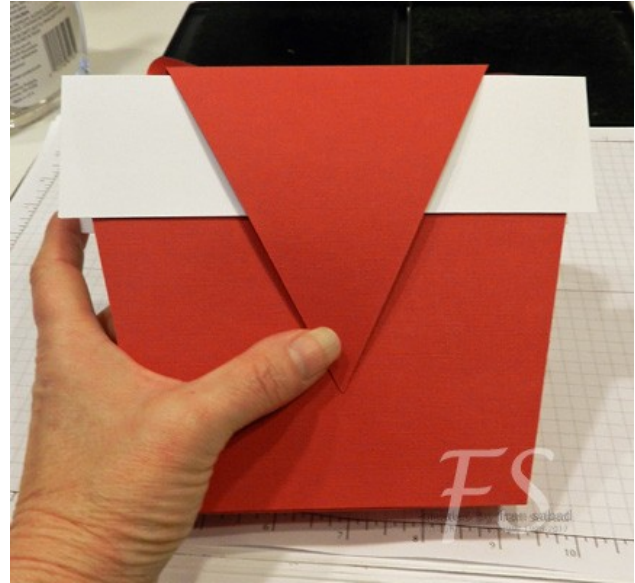
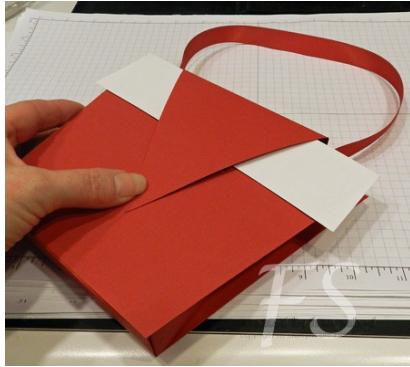
Use the hand held punch to punch holes for the handle on each side of the box.



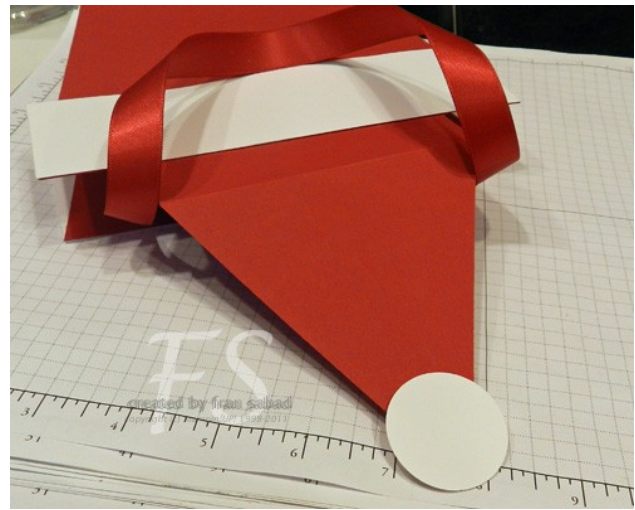
Attach the 16" of Real Red Satin ribbon using Real Red Glimmer brads. (You may need a paper piercer to get the brad through the ribbon.)



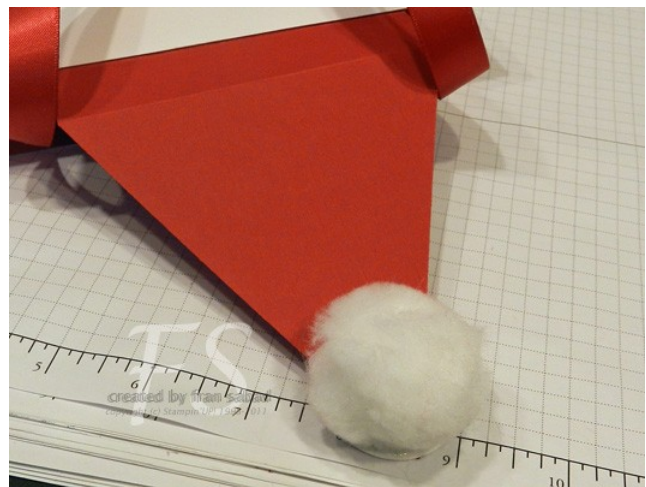
Pull the flap to the front—your tote should look like this.



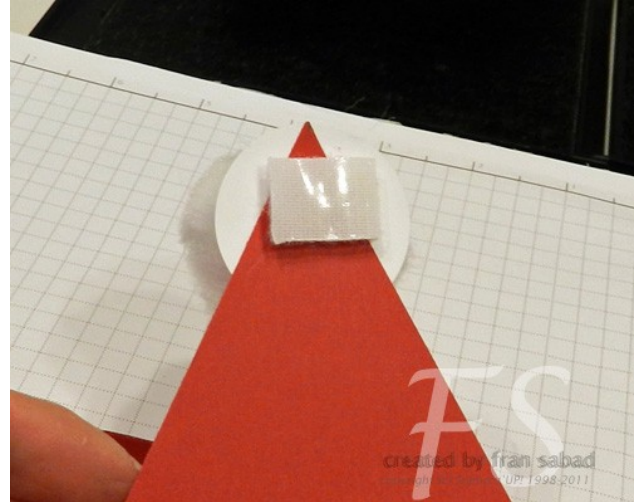
Use the Tombow Multipurpose Adhesive to glue the 1 3/8 Whisper White circle to the point of the flap.



Glue a pom-pom to the circle.



Add a piece of Velcro to make a closure.



Fill with your wonderful hand-made cards (don't forget envelopes!) and give to someone special.



