

INSTRUCTIONS

You can take the cards to a print shop or print them at home. The instructions below are for printing at home.

Materials you'll need

- Cardstock for printing the cards - I used 200gsm (~135lb) weight cardstock
- Regular printer paper for printing envelopes (optional)
- Color printer
- Scissors
- Scoring tool for making neater folds
- Ruler
- Glue (if you're making the envelopes).

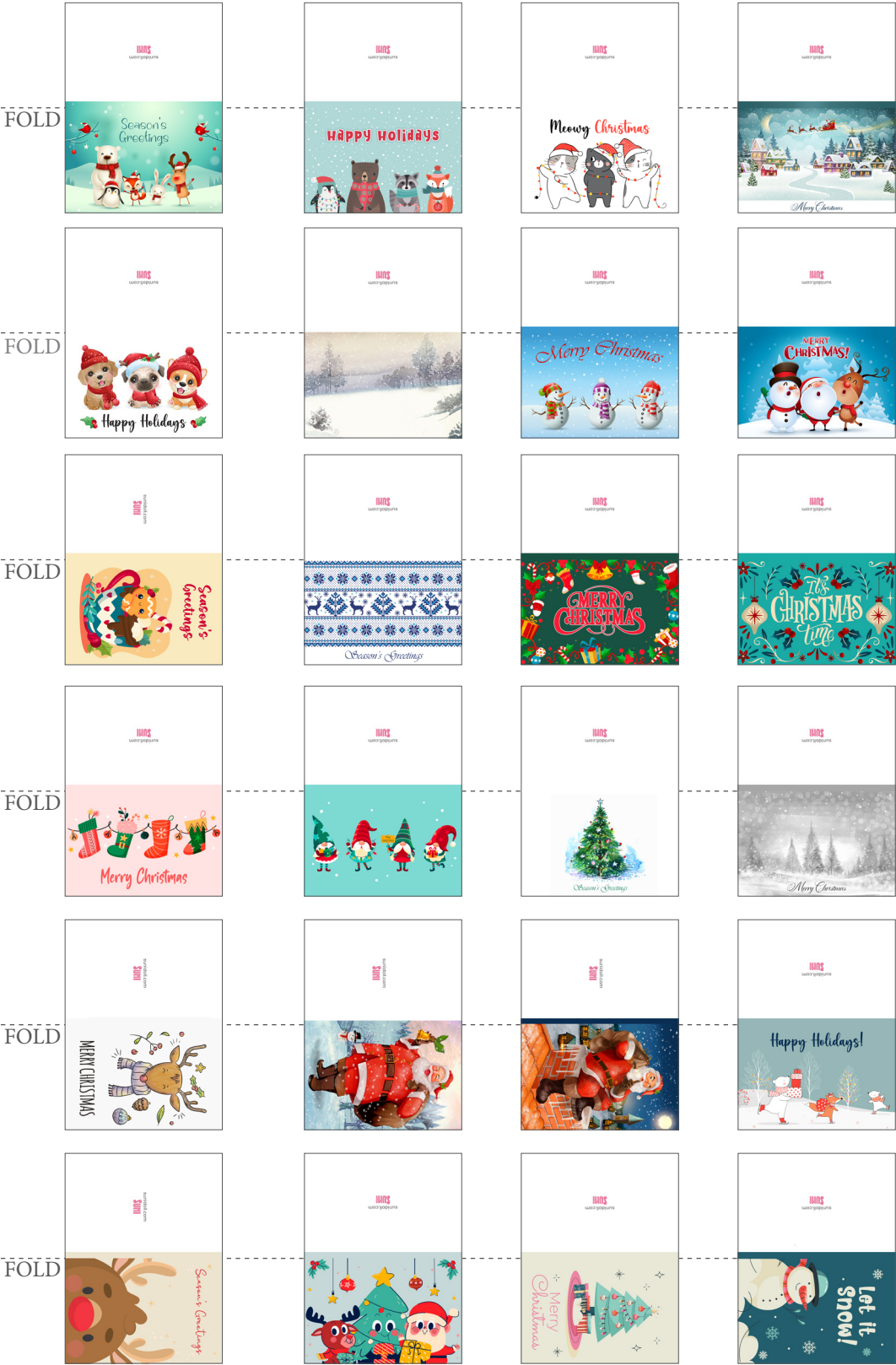
How to assemble

1. Print your Christmas cards on cardstock using your color printer's 'best' ink setting.
2. Once the printing is dry, cut the fold lines on the sides of the cardstock so you'll be able to see the fold lines from the wrong (unprinted) side of the cardstock.
3. Most of the cards have a 'bleed' so the colour extends to the back of the card in order to avoid white lines at the fold. Therefore use the marked fold lines as a guide rather than the printed design on the card.
4. Using a stylus or some other scoring tool and a ruler, score along the fold lines on the unprinted side of the cardstock. Score them a few times but be careful you don't go through the cardstock!
5. Now you can start folding the cards in rows.
6. Once the cards have a clear fold you can cut them out individually. Trim edges. You can also add some colored marker to the edges to hide the white cardstock.
7. For the envelopes, print them on regular printer paper and cut around the outer lines of the shape. You shouldn't need to score the envelopes before folding. Fold the envelopes so that the printed side is hidden on the inside. Glue some of the tab edges to keep them in place.
8. Alternatively you can make a template from one envelope and trace the shape onto colored paper to make them more festive.

Merry Christmas!

1:6 SCALE CHRISTMAS CARDS

Cut the fold lines on the edges of your paper so you can score the centre folds on the wrong side of the cards.



1:6 SCALE ENVELOPES

Place printed side on the inside of your envelope so fold and cutting lines aren't visible on the outside.

