

## Quick & Easy Card Fold

It is actually easier to do this manually than with a template, so this is how to create the base.

Cut out an oval, using a die or manually it doesn't matter & then cut a smaller one to create the card front.

Score a line through the centre of the larger oval, across the middle & then use that line as a guide to draw two lines approx. 2cm either side of the score line.

Measure along the scored line to find the centre point & make a little mark with your pencil, then make further pencil marks approx. 2cm either side of that centre mark.

Draw vertical lines from those two marks down to the pencil line below the scored line, use your craft knife & cut through one of these lines, turn your work & cut across the central score line to the other vertical line, turn your work & cut back up to the pencilled line.

Now rub out the pencil line that would form the final side so you don't accidentally score through. Score the pencil line either side & the full pencil line on the other side of the central fold.

Fold your oval across the centre in a valley fold, the full score line 2cm down in a mountain fold & the two partial score lines 2cm up from the central fold in mountain folds. Trim away excess.

The central cut out will form the support for the front panel of your card, as seen in the second photo, so secure that panel into position & then decorate your card.

