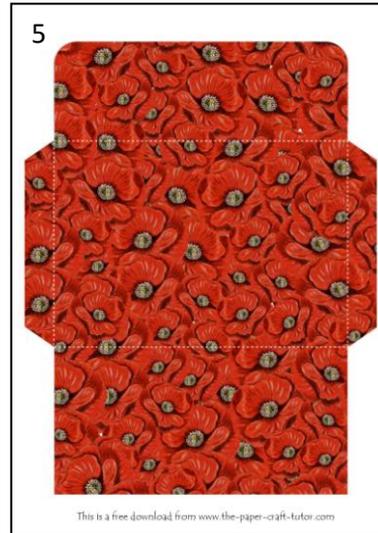
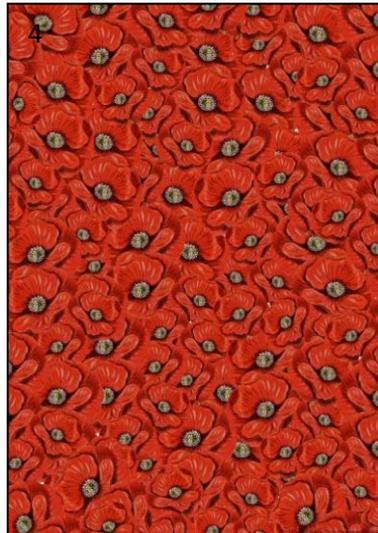
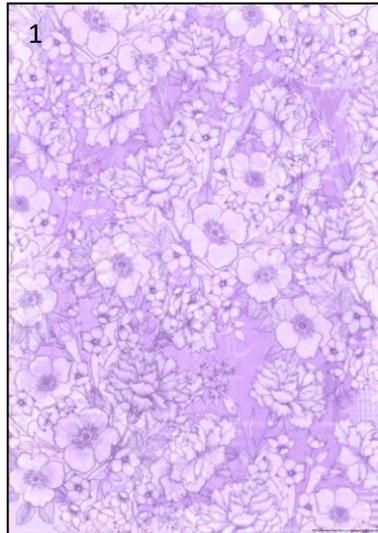




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## Welcome to my world

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Good morning everyone,

The weeks are flying by now that the beautiful summer is behind us & the longer winter nights are rolling in.

With the old mojo still stubbornly refusing to cooperate I have been watching loads of technique video's on YouTube as I am exercising each morning, but possibly too many as I can't remember how to recreate most of them by the time I sit down at the work bench later in the day!

But I have been inspired to order a stamping platform, in the hope that it can help me improve my stamping technique! It isn't due to arrive until late week so I have saved some of the videos so I can refer back to them when it does arrive.

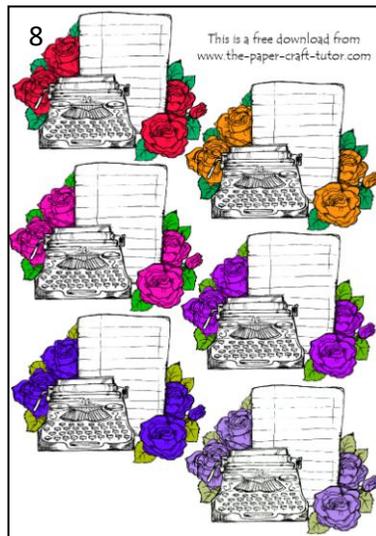
**Image 1:** I am launching a new paper collection this afternoon that I have called 'Fine China' & it is my favourite collection in a long while.

As always it is the design of the paper that takes all of the time as it has to take on other colours well, so needs to be multi layered & the final layer on this collection came about almost by accident!

**Image 2:** The first of the Christmas designs I have planned for the coming week is this cheerful gingerbread man design. There is a layered topper/card kit & an accompanying background paper.

**Images 3, 4 & 5:** The third in this quartet of decoupage, envelope & backing paper, using one of my favourite flower, that being the poppy.

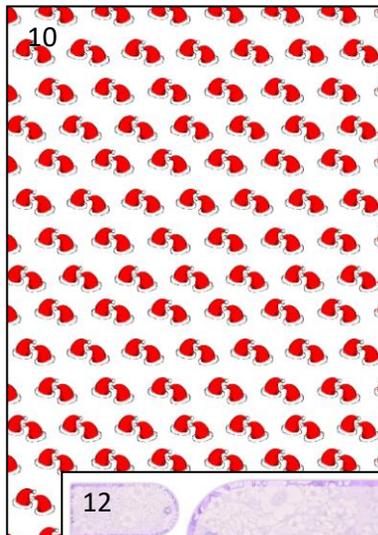
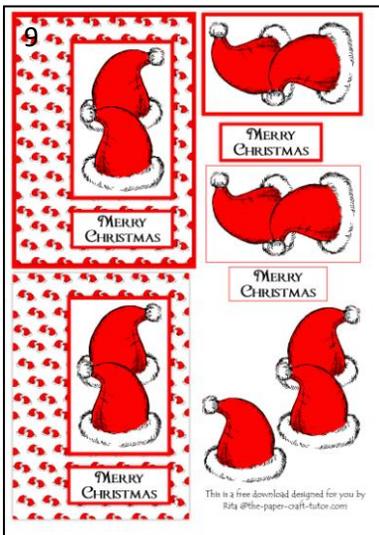
**Image 6:** A lovely vintage image featuring children, I created a new & enlarged background in order to have enough space to centre the image & create the oval decoupage design for you.



**Image 7:** I have so many papers on file that I designed to go with particular designs that I thought I would put some of them together, with some simple polka dot & stripe papers, to create some paper quartets. I did four sets in all & this daisy – another of my favourite flowers – design is the first of those.

**Image 8:** Another sheet from the Vintage Office file now, though I have to admit that I was in the file yesterday & binned some of the sheets so there are only a couple left to upload!

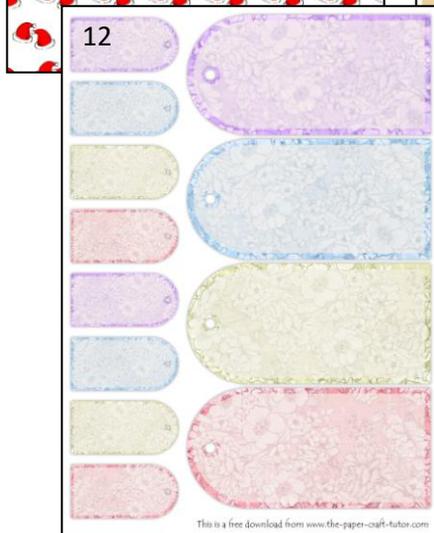
This is one of those that I digitally coloured & then used the design program to alter the colours I had begun with, giving you a bunch of toppers to use to coordinate with the colour of your project.



**Images 9 & 10:** The other Christmas downloads for the coming week again uses digitally coloured images, only this time it was only the red design that I was aiming for.

This a pair of Christmas hats create this bright & cheerful design that you can use either as a card kit or a decoupage topper, with the accompanying background sheet.

**Image 11:** I know you like your Christmas decoupage sheets so here I have added a backing panel to this image in order to add the Christmas greeting & then carefully created the layers for you to build up on your project with 3D pads, or gel glue.



**Image 12:** The first sheet of extras that I cut from the new paper collection, here I choose to create some large & small tags for you to use in conjunction with the papers.

So that is what I have chosen to upload to site for you in the coming week & I hope that I have included something that you can use in your projects.

Rita x