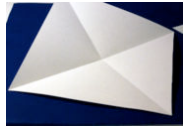


How to make an origami flying bird

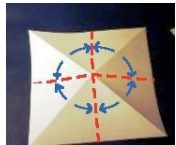
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1 Fold the paper diagonally in both directions from the same side of the sheet, making two "valley" folds.



Fold both diagonals from the same side of the sheet.

2 Unfold and turn the paper over.



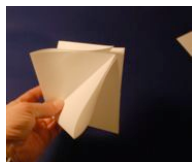
Turn it over

3 Fold the paper in half horizontally and vertically from the other side of the piece of paper.



Fold horizontally and vertically from the other side.

4 Bring all of the corners into the center and fold the paper into a square



Bring the corners together



Flatten into a square (along already creased lines)

5 Fold all the OPEN edges to the center line. Make sure each of the edges are aligned with the center line. Repeat for each open edge.



Open edge folded to center line.



Repeat for each open edge.

6 Gently unfold the edges.



Open your last fold(s)

7 Tuck the corner into the inside of the paper, and do this along the creased lines.

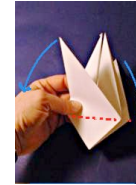


Tuck the corner to the inside of the paper, and do this along the creased lines you have made.



Tuck it fully inside along the previously creased lines.

8 Do this for all of the open edges.

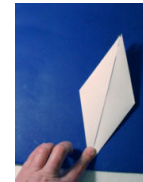


Creation with all four open or "raw" edges tucked inside.

9 Take the top flap of the more acutely pointed end of the kite and gently fold it down until it's smooth. Repeat with the reverse side.

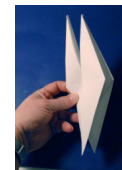


Fold the top point down.



Flatten it completely downward.

10 Hold your new "diamond" shape with the split end up. Gently pull down one of the split ends and fold it so that it points straight out at a 90 degree angle from the rest of the diamond.



New "diamond" shape with split point "up".



Pull a point down and reverse its middle crease.

11 Repeat last step with the opposite side (split) point. Turn the figure over.



Pull down, reverse crease - the base of the point should now be INSIDE the main body of your creation.



Both points pulled down and reverse creased.

12 Pull down the "head" and reverse its crease toward the neck.



Pinch the tip of the head point flat (your thumb should be inside the fold), turn it slightly down and reverse its crease to make the head.

13 Lift the "wings" and curl them slightly.



Curl the wings slightly.

14 Make your bird flap its "wings" by holding the chest of the bird with one hand and gently pulling back on the tail.



Enjoy!