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COFFEE FILTER WREATHS

Taken from: <https://lilluna.com/easy-coffee-filter-wreath/>



Supplies:

- Foam Wreath (whatever size you want to make it)
- Coffee Filters
- Hot Glue Gun and Glue Sticks
- Pen/Sharpie
- Fishing Wire (for hanging)

Directions:

- 1) Gather your supplies.
- 2) Wrap a coffee filter around the end of a pen or sharpie. Add a dab of hot glue.



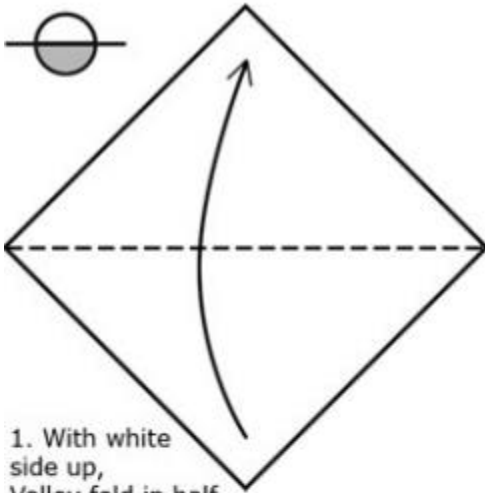
- 3) Press the coffee filter onto your foam wreath. Hold for a few seconds.
- 4) Continue adding coffee filter to the fronts and sides of your foam wreath until it is complete full. If you want them all to be even, trim some of the coffee filters.
- 5) I hung mine using some fishing wire so you didn't see it. I just tied a knot around the wreath and hung it onto a nail I put at the top of my window.

ORIGAMI – SIMPLE BOOKMARKS

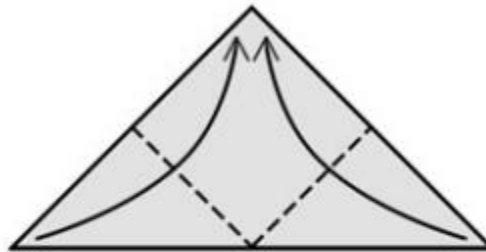
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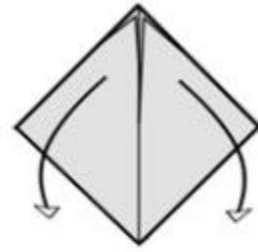
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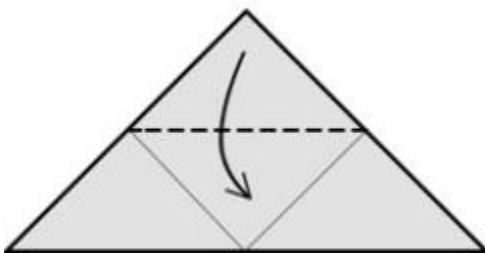
1. With white side up, Valley fold in half.



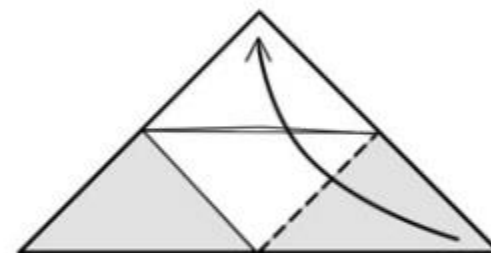
2. Valley fold the bottom left & right corners to the top point.



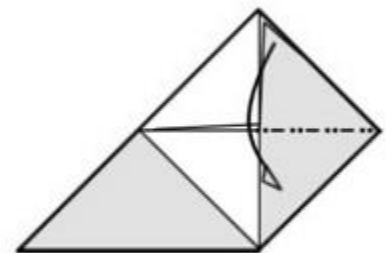
3. Unfold flaps.



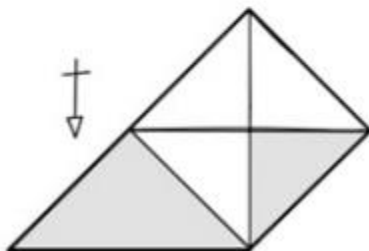
4. Valley fold the top near flap down.



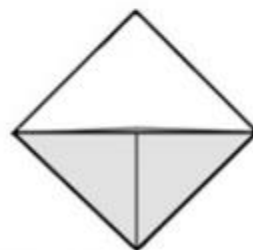
5. Valley fold the right corner to the tip again.



6. Mountain fold the flap into the pocket.



7. Repeat steps 5-6 on the left side.



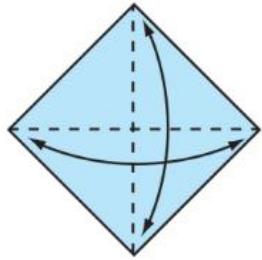
8. Completed Bookmark.



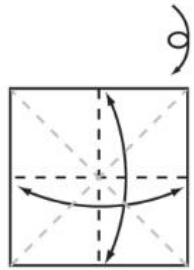
9. Tuck several page corners into the pocket.

ORIGAMI – TRADITIONAL CRANES

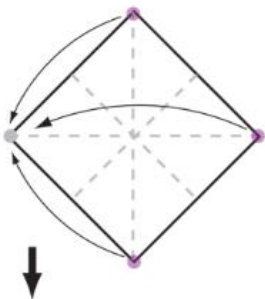
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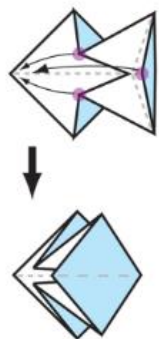
1. Start with a square piece of paper, coloured side up. Fold in half and open. Then fold in half the other way.



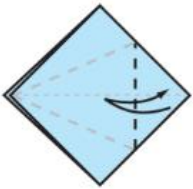
2. Turn the paper over to the white side. Fold the paper in half, crease well, and open, and then fold again in the other direction.



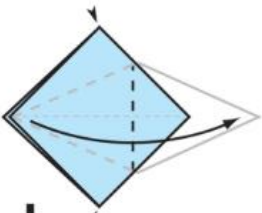
3. Using the creases you have made, bring the top 3 corners of the model down to the bottom corner. Flatten model.



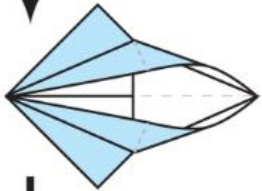
4. Fold top triangular flaps into the centre and unfold.



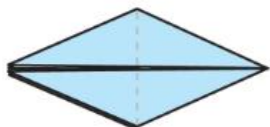
5. Fold top of model downwards, crease well and unfold.



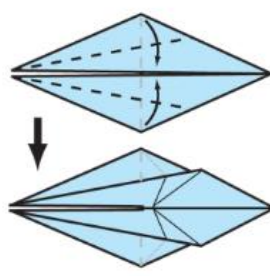
6. Open the uppermost flap of the model, bringing it upwards and pressing the sides of the model inwards at the same time. Flatten down, creasing well.



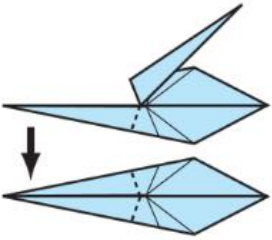
7. Turn model over and repeat Steps 4-6 on the other side.



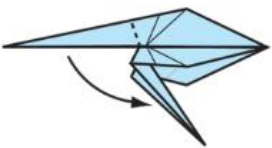
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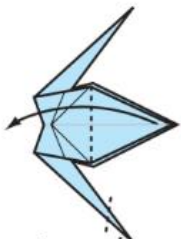
9. Repeat on other side.



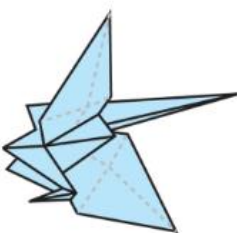
10. Fold both 'legs' of model up, crease very well, then unfold.



11. Inside Reverse Fold the 'legs' along the creases you just made.



12. Inside Reverse Fold one side to make a head, then fold down the wings.



Finished Crane

BOW TIE BOOKMARKS

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BOOK PAGE PUMPKINS or APPLES

Pumpkin: <http://www.creationsbykara.com/2011/09/book-page-pumpkin-tutorial.html/>

Apple: <http://hymnsandverses.com/2013/10/how-to-make-book-page-apple.html>

1) Make a pumpkin shape out of a piece of paper. I roughly drew one, then folded the paper in half and cut it so it would be symmetrical.

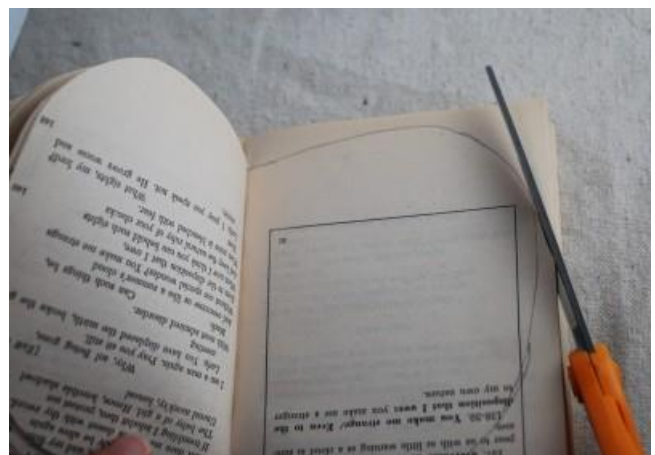
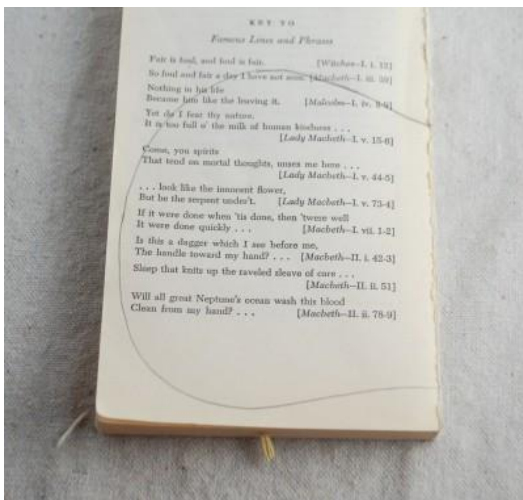


2) Take the cover off of your book and place the pumpkin pattern with the fold on the binding edge. If it doesn't fit, trim it a little.



3) Trace around the pattern with a pencil.

4) Now it's time to cut out your pumpkin. You can use an exacto knife, but I found that it was easier just to use scissors. I could cut through 5-6 pages at a time pretty easily. If you don't have fine tipped scissors to cut all the way to the edge of the binding, you can use an exacto knife there.



5) After you cut all the way around, pull the excess pages over to the binding and they should tear right off.



6) Now trace around the pumpkin shape and cut through a few more pages. Tip: cut slightly inside the pencil mark, or your pumpkin will keep getting bigger. Yep, I learned that the hard way.

7) Keep tracing and cutting until you have all the pages done.

8) Now put a thin strip of glue on the very edge. I'm the impatient type, so I used hot glue.



9) Now bring that back page around and attach it to the hot glue, keeping the outside edges as even as possible. Then add a strip of hot glue to that page, and glue the next page to it, just on the inside edges. I sure hope that makes sense.

10) Don't panic! It just needs to be "fluffed". Just go around pulling the pages apart and arranging them how you want them. If I had a space where the pages just refused to come together, I added a little hot glue right at the inside seam. When you are done, it should look more like this. It's OK that there are some spaces. We'll fix them later.



11) At this point I decided my pumpkin needed a little color. I could have inked all the edges with my orange ink pad. But I knew that would take a while. So I turned to my best friend Krylon. Spray paint that is. Yep, you can totally spray paint book pages. Just use a very light touch, you don't want it drenched or anything. One light spritz is all you need.



12) Now it's time to add the stem. I just used a stick from my yard. If you have any stubborn pages, now you can bend them to your will. Bwaahaha! I used a bunch of hot glue, then forced the pages where I wanted them and held the stem in place till the glue dried. Voila!



13) Next I tied a ribbon around the stem. Not only does it look cute and add some color, but it hides all the gobs of hot glue. Yay!



FABRIC WREATHS

Taken from: <http://inhabitat.com/diy-how-to-make-a-beautiful-holiday-wreath-in-5-easy-steps/>

Supplies:

- Fabric shears. These will cut through fabric more easily than standard scissors.
- A collection of small pieces of fabric swatches. We used table cloths, placemats, pillow cases and remnant fabrics found in the far depths of our closet, or at my local thrift store. I chose to use plaids, stripes, and other patterned fabric with dominant reds and greens.
- An 18" diameter wire wreath frame with four circular hoops. We found one for less than \$3 at a local craft store.
- Bits and bobs from used or broken holiday decorations. We had collected some bows, bells, and faux berry branches attached to gifts in years past that worked perfectly.

Directions:

- 1) Cut Your Fabric. First, cut your fabric into roughly 1"x6" strips and organize into piles by pattern. You don't have to worry about being very accurate with the sizing. You may not need to cut all of the fabric you have collected, but make sure that you have several hundred strips to start with.



- 2) Tie Your Knots. Tie the strips with simple knots around the wired frame, alternating colors and patterns.



- 3) Bunch Your Knots. Bunch the knotted strips close together and continue around the wire frame.



- 4) Add Your Bits, Bobs and Baubles. Once you have filled the entire frame with knotted fabric, select a decoration you like use as an accent for your wreath. We attached few round bells and bows with a needle and thread. You could also use hot glue or thin wire to attach your accents.
- 5) Hang Your Wreath! Display your wreath on the wall by slipping a section of the frame's wire right over a standard wall picture hanger.

CORK TURKEY PLACE CARDS

Taken from: <https://funfamilycrafts.com/cork-turkey-place-cards/>



- 1) Gather your supplies: corks, paint sample cards, glue. You can also get googly eyes and grab a pen to write your relatives' names on the turkeys
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MASON JAR CANDLE HOLDERS

Taken from: www.popsugar.com/smart-living/DIY-Bug-Repelling-Fourth-July-Candleholders-30868004



QUILLING



MELTED SNOWMAN ORNAMENTS



Supplies:

- Clear glass ornaments
- Epsom salt
- Black peppercorns
- orange paper for nose
- Brown paper for arms
- Ribbon for scarf and hanging (optional)

Directions:

1. Gather supplies.
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