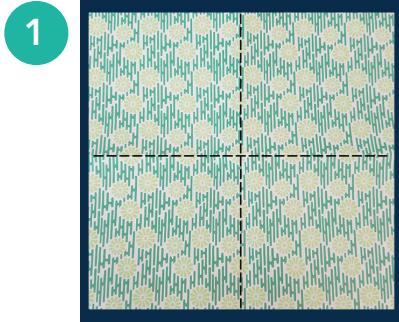


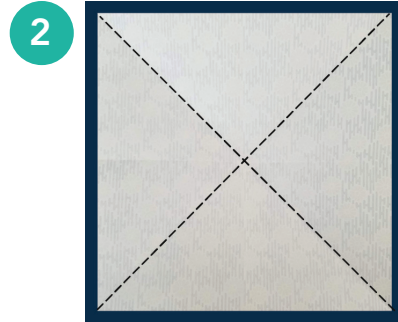
Create your very own Binkle the butterfly today! Follow the directions below to make a unique origami butterfly in eight easy steps.

## INSTRUCTIONS

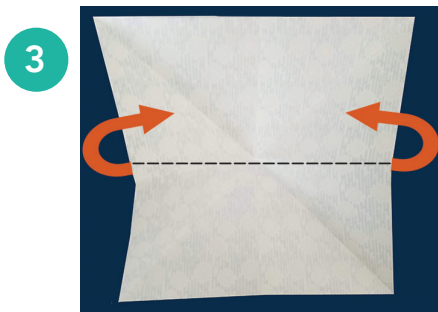
Before starting, select a square piece of origami paper that you will use for the project. If you do not have origami paper, carefully cut out one of the square designs on the second page of this activity.



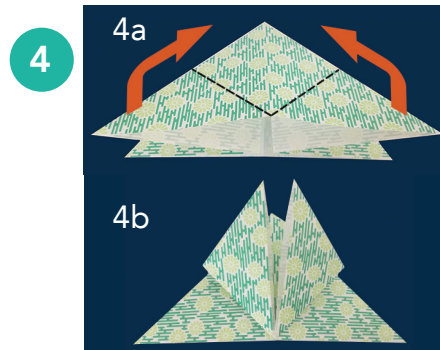
1 Lay your square piece of origami paper flat with the colored side facing up. Fold the paper in half both ways (following the dotted lines in the picture). Unfold the paper and turn it over.



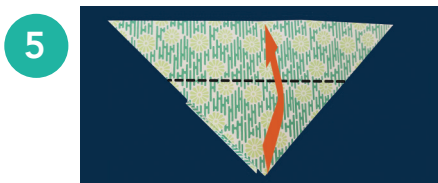
2 Fold the paper diagonally both ways (following the dotted lines in the picture). Unfold the paper.



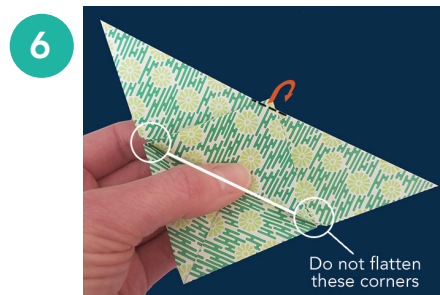
3 In the middle of your paper there is now a horizontal, creased line. At the horizontal crease, pull the left and right side of the paper towards you so that the paper collapses into a triangle.



4 Locate the upper layer of the triangle. Fold the left and right sides upwards (following the dotted lines in the picture) to create two vertical triangles. After the fold, it should look like 4b.



5 Flip the paper over and turn it 180 degrees so the base of your triangle is on top. Grab the bottom point and fold it up. A small piece of the paper shaped like a triangle will extend past the edge of the paper.



6 Gently fold the extending piece of paper behind your origami creation (following the dotted line in the picture). Be careful not to flatten the paper where the original fold occurred.



7 Turn the paper over and fold it in half vertically (following the dotted lines in the picture).



8 Now that the paper is folded in half, pinch the bottom base of it to ensure the fold was created.



Release your pinch and take a look at your beautifully unique origami butterfly!

