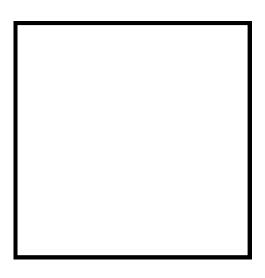
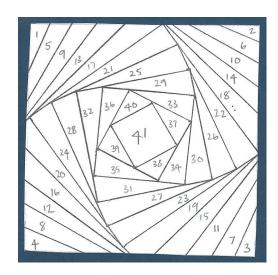






IRIS FOLDING: SQUARE PATTERN





MAKE SURE TO START AT NUMBER 1 AND FOLLOW THE NUMBERS UP IN ORDER - DON'T DO ONE COLOUR AT A TIME.

IRIS FOLDING WAS TRADITIONALLY MADE USING THE INSIDE OF ENVELOPES. IN THIS PROJECT I'VE USED ENVELOPES, PACKAGING AND USED PAPER BAGS. IT HELPS TO WRITE THE COLOURS YOU PLAN TO USE BELOW.

PATTERN

COLOUR A: 1, 5, 9, 13, 17, 21, 25, 29, 33, 37

COLOUR B: 2, 6, 10, 14, 18, 22, 26, 30, 34, 38

COLOUR C: 3, 7, 11, 15, 19, 23, 27, 31, 35, 39

COLOUR D: 4, 8, 12, 16, 20, 24, 28, 32, 36, 40

SPARKLE CARD: 41



FEEL FREE TO USE ANY COLOURS YOU WOULD LIKE.









iris folding instructions vi <u>What you need</u>

- PATTERN
- · CARD WITH OUTLINE CUT OUT YOU CAN USE A CRAFT KNIFE OR CUTTING MACHINE
- BLUE TACK
- SCISSORS
- TAPE (BEST TO BE IN A HEAVY TAPE DISPENSER THAT YOU CAN USE WITH ONE HAND)
- PAPER (I USED RECYCLED MATERIALS INSIDE OF ENVELOPES/ USED PACKAGING MATERIALS BUT YOU COULD USE ORIGAMI PAPER)
- SPARKLY CARD (OPTIONAL)
- OPTIONAL CARD, CARD BLANK AND ENVELOPE FOR MOUNTING

WHAT TO DO

- BLUE TACK YOUR PATTERN TO THE SURFACE YOU ARE WORKING ON
- BLUE TACK YOUR APERTURE OVER YOUR PATTERN (YOU WILL BE WORKING ON THE BACK OF THE CARD)
- DON'T LIFT UP YOUR WORK UNTIL IT'S COMPLETED WAIT FOR THE 'BIG REVEAL'
- WORK FROM NUMBER 1 AND GO UP IN ORDER OF NUMBERS (DO NOT WORK ON ONE COLOUR AT A TIME)
- 5 CUT STRIPS OF PAPER AROUND 1.5CM IN WIDTH
- MAKE A FOLD IN THE PAPER AROUND ONE THIRD TO TWO THIRDS OF THE WIDTH (SEE IMAGE BELOW)



- PLACE NEAT FOLD ON THE LINE OF THE PATTERN AND COMPLETELY COVER WITH THE PAPER THE NUMBER THAT YOU ARE ON
- SECURE IN PLACE WITH TAPE MAKING SURE NOT TO COVER ANY OF THE APERTURE (HOLE). THE FINAL NUMBER WILL BE YOUR SPARKLY CARD YOU DON'T NEED TO FOLD THIS
- COMPLETE THE PATTERN AND THEN GENTLY PEEL OFF THE BLUE TACK TO REVEAL YOUR BEAUTIFUL IRIS FOLDING. FINAL STEPS MOUNT AS YOU WISH







ACTUAL SIZE OF PATTERN

THIS IS THE ACTUAL SIZE OF PATTERN I USED BUT YOU CAN INCREASE AND REDUCE AS REQUIRED.

CUT YOUR APERTURE TO MATCH THE SIZE OF THE PATTERN YOU DECIDE ON.

