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CUTE AND EASY CRAFTS FOR KIDS

ORIGAMI TULIPS

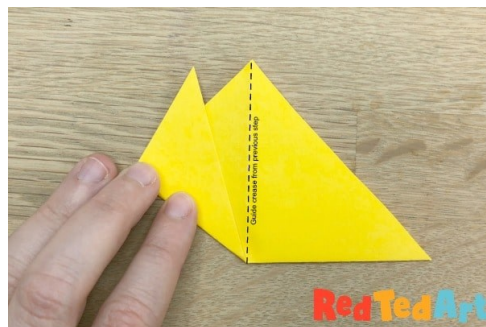
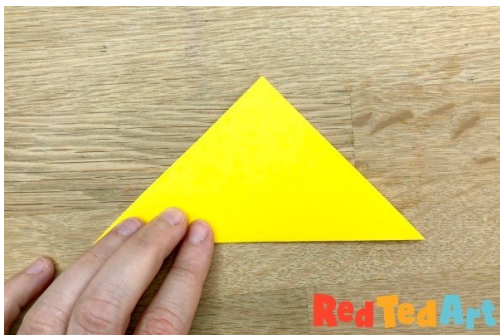
Origami Tulip – Materials

- Square piece of origami paper for the flower
- Square piece of origami paper for the stem, or
- Green straw for the stem

Step by Step instructions:

Origami Tulip Flower – Step 1 Create a Triangle

Turn your sheet of square paper, so you have a diamond shape in front of you. Fold the paper UP across the diagonal to make a triangular shape.



Shape the Tulip's Head

Fold down the centre of your triangle to create a “guide crease” (see photo diagram below). Open up again. Now you know where the middle of your paper flower is. Let's begin with the left side. Take the left corner and fold up the sides at an angle to create a left flap. The previous fold will help guide you as to where the central line is. As per the image. These are the tulip's petals. Then repeat with the right corner/ right side. You now have made the basic petals of the tulip.



Final details to the Origami Paper Flower's Head

Flip your paper over and fold in the sides to shape your paper tulip! The basic origami flower is finished. Now for a stem.



How to make a stem – a quick fun way

The video shared in this blogpost shows you how to make an ORIGAMI stem. However, you can also choose this other rolled up paper straw method.

Take the green paper and start rolling it up diagonally. Using a tooth pick or a thin paint brush to get it going should help. Secure with a little glue.

Cut a snip into the bottom of the tulip head and insert. Finished. If making the origami stem version, your tulip will be able to stand too and will have leaves (watch the video on auto play for this part of the tutorial)!

(Or make the small snip in the bottom of the tulip head and carefully wiggle the straw in the kit inside the tulip for a stem.)

