

NEWSPAPER SNOWFLAKE

ITEMS NEEDED:

- ✧ Newspaper, or paper of choice
- ✧ Ruler
- ✧ Scissors, glue stick or double-stick tape
- ✧ Regular tape
- ✧ Hole punch
- ✧ Pen or pencil
- ✧ String or ribbon

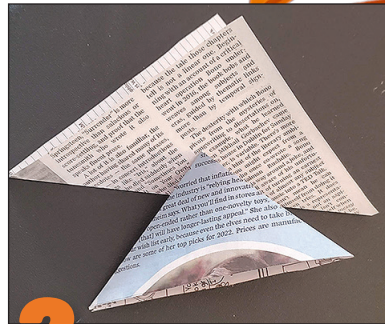


1.

Using the ruler, cut six squares from the newsprint at the size of your choice.

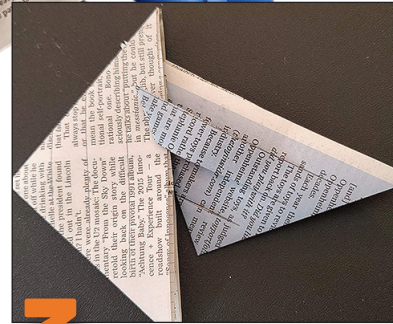
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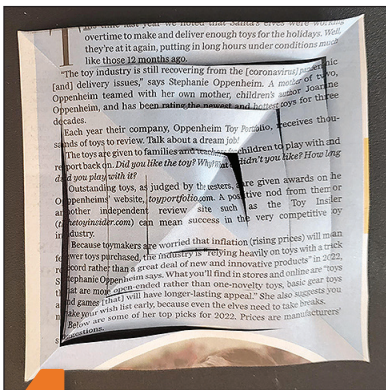
Fold one square in half diagonally. Fold in half once again.



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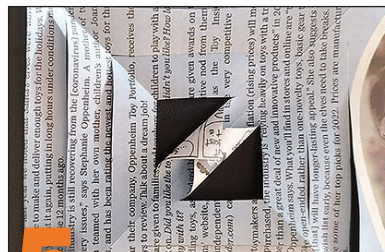
Cut three evenly-spaced slits along the bottom fold and parallel to the longest edge.

Cut close, but not all the way, to the top.



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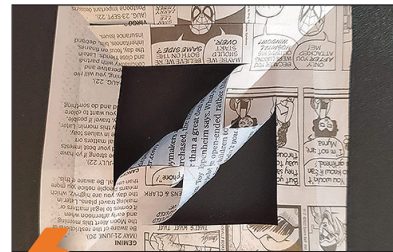
Carefully open to a square.



5.

Fold over the inner-most square so that the opposite tips overlap and create a small tube. Tape together.

HINT: Use a pencil to help create the tube.

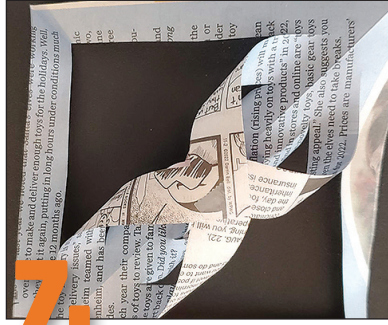


6.

Flip the square over so that the tube is on the bottom. Fold over the next inner square tips to form a new tube, slightly larger than the first. Secure in place with tape.



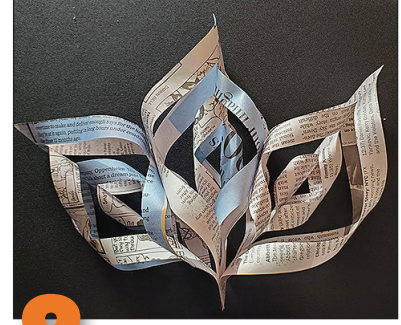
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Flip the square over again. Fold over the next inner square tips to form a third tube. Secure with tape.



Flip over again. Overlap and secure the last square tips. Repeat steps two through eight for the remaining five squares.



Put three sections together and staple or tape at the bottom to secure. Repeat with the other three sections.



Overlap the stapled bottoms of each section. Staple to secure.



Tape or staple where the sections meet to form the full snowflake.



Use your snowflake to decorate by punching a hole in one of the tips and hanging with string or ribbon.

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Snowflake directions adapted from www.wikihow.com/Make-a-3D-Paper-Snowflake.