

Jumping Origami Frog

Supplies:

– Rectangular piece of paper (any color)

Optional: variety of crayons, colored pencils, or markers

Directions:

Origami works best when you use the back of your nail or the edge of a ruler to make crisp creases. Follow the steps below to make your frog.

Step 1:

Place the paper horizontally in front of you.



Step 2:

Fold the rectangle in half lengthwise, crease, and open.



Step 3:

Fold each top corner diagonally to the opposite edge, crease, and open.



Step 4:

Fold the top edge over while tucking in the sides with your fingers to create a triangle. Crease the folds to separate.



Step 5:

Fold each of the bottom corners of the triangle up to the top point.



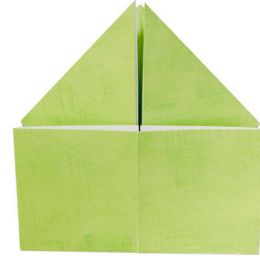
Step 6:

Fold each side inward so the edge lines up along the middle.



Step 7:

Fold the bottom edge up to line up with the middle of the triangles on the top.



Step 8:

Fold the bottom edge back down to line up with the fold underneath it.



Step 9:

Flip the frog over and decorate with crayons, markers, etc.



Step 10:

Open the creases of the front and back legs, press lightly on the frog along the back fold, and watch your frog hop away!

