

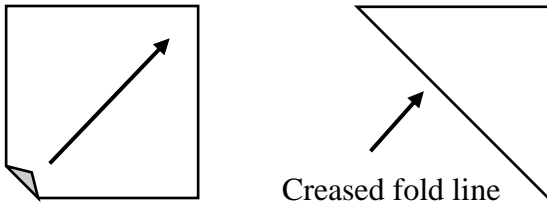
Because Char Smiled Supply list

- 6" x 6: square sheets of paper (You will need four sheets per flower)
*Double sided origami and patterned scrapbook paper work well. Amazon has 1000 sheets for \$15.99. Put "Bubu Origami Paper" in the search box on Amazon.
- Glue Sticks (regular school type) Walmart has them in bulk.
- **Low** temp glue guns w/glue sticks. Mini low temp guns are around \$2-\$3 a piece at Walmart or Joann's.
- 12" long smoothie straws. Amazon has 200 for \$16.80. Put "barproducts.com inc 12 inch mammoth straws assorted neon" in the search box.
- Ribbon – various colors sizes for bows
- Tissue paper – 20" x 20"
Dollar Tree sells 25 count packages of 20" x 20"
- Various colors of cardstock for inspirational messages/leaves.
- White paper for inspirational words.
- Scissors
- Pencils

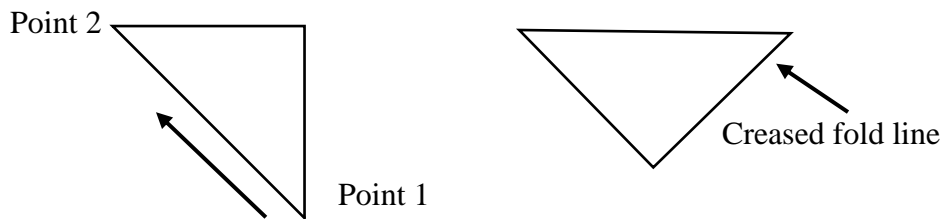
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Because Char Smiled Directions for making flowers

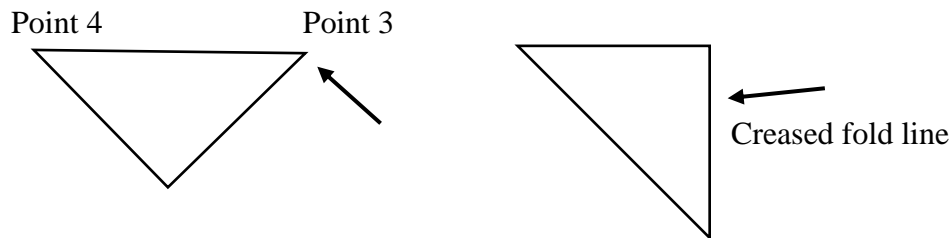
- Use 4 sheets of 6" x 6" double sided origami paper. Take one sheet and fold it corner to corner making a triangle.



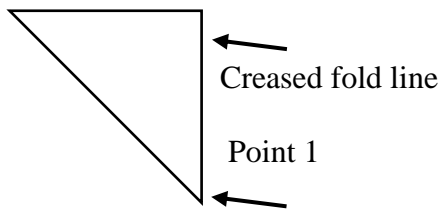
- Then take the corner and fold again from point 1 to point 2.



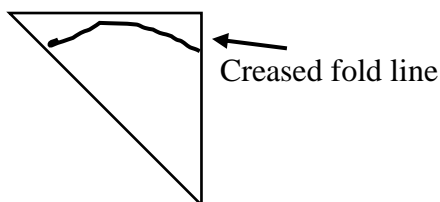
- Now make one more fold from point 3 to point 4.



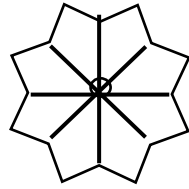
- Fold all four sheets.
- Next, making sure point 1 is facing down, with your scissors cut a tiny piece off of the point. Do this on all four sheets.



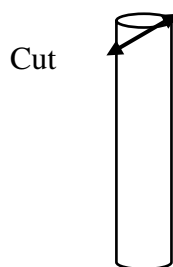
- Trace template for petal onto each sheet.



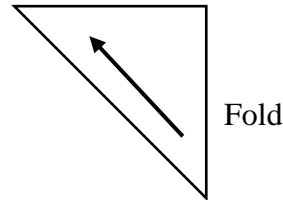
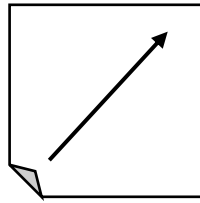
- Trace the template on all four sheets and then cut them out on the line. It should then look like an ice cream cone.
- Now, open all four sheets and lay them in a pile together. Note: petals will have rounded edges.



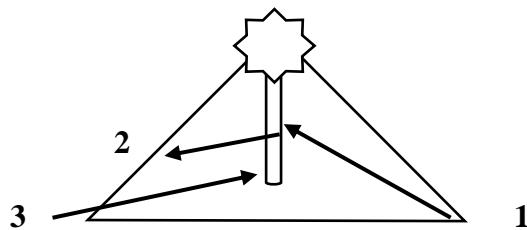
- Take your first sheet and following the fold lines, cut out one petal. The one petal will be the center of your flower and the remaining piece with seven petals attached will be the outside of your flower.
 - Take your second sheet and cut out two consecutive petals and place the two petals piece in the pile with the one petal and the six petal piece with the seven petal piece.
 - Take your third sheet and cut out three consecutive petals and place the three petals piece in the pile with the one/two petals and the five petal piece with the seven/six petals.
 - Take your fourth sheet and cut out four consecutive petals (cut the piece in half) and place the four petals piece in the pile with the one/two/three petals and the four petal piece with the seven/six/five petals. Discard the last four petals on this piece. You won't use them.
 - Take your largest piece (seven petals) and fold each petal inward in the same direction to form a cone. Do this to all petals, except for the one petal.
 - Now for each piece, except for the one petal, form a cone, by overlapping the two end petals together.
 - Take your glue stick or glue gun and glue the two overlapping outside petals completely overlapping each other when you glue. Do this for each piece up until the one with two petals.
 - With the two petal piece, open it up and thinking of the line in the middle as being the center, you take one edge and put it to that line and then you wrap it forming a cone shape. Then glue the edge closed.
 - With the one petal piece, roll it into a cone making sure it is small enough to fit into the two piece petal piece. Again glue the edge closed and check to make sure it fits completely in the two petal piece.
 - Now taking your fingers, roll each petal on each piece to the outside a little bit to give your flower some dimension. The only piece that won't be rolled is the center (one piece petal).
 - For the assembly of the flower, take the second largest piece and put glue along the outside of the hole on the bottom. Then insert this piece into the largest piece and position it however you think it looks best. Push, with your finger, into the center and hold till it is set. Continue doing this with the remaining pieces until you put all the pieces together with the last piece being the center (the one piece petal).
- To add the stem, take your smoothie straw and cut diagonally a line on the top. This cut allows your flower to be put on the stem facing forward.



- Put glue on the back and sides of the top of the smoothie straw diagonal hole and press the flower onto the straw at the small hole you did originally. Remember the flower faces forward and the straw is in the back. Hold in place until the glue is dried.
- Now cut out two leaves and fold them in half to give them a 3D effect.
- Glue them behind the straw towards the top so they can be seen when the flower is wrapped.
- Take a 20" x 20" piece of tissue paper and fold it diagonally two times to make a triangle.

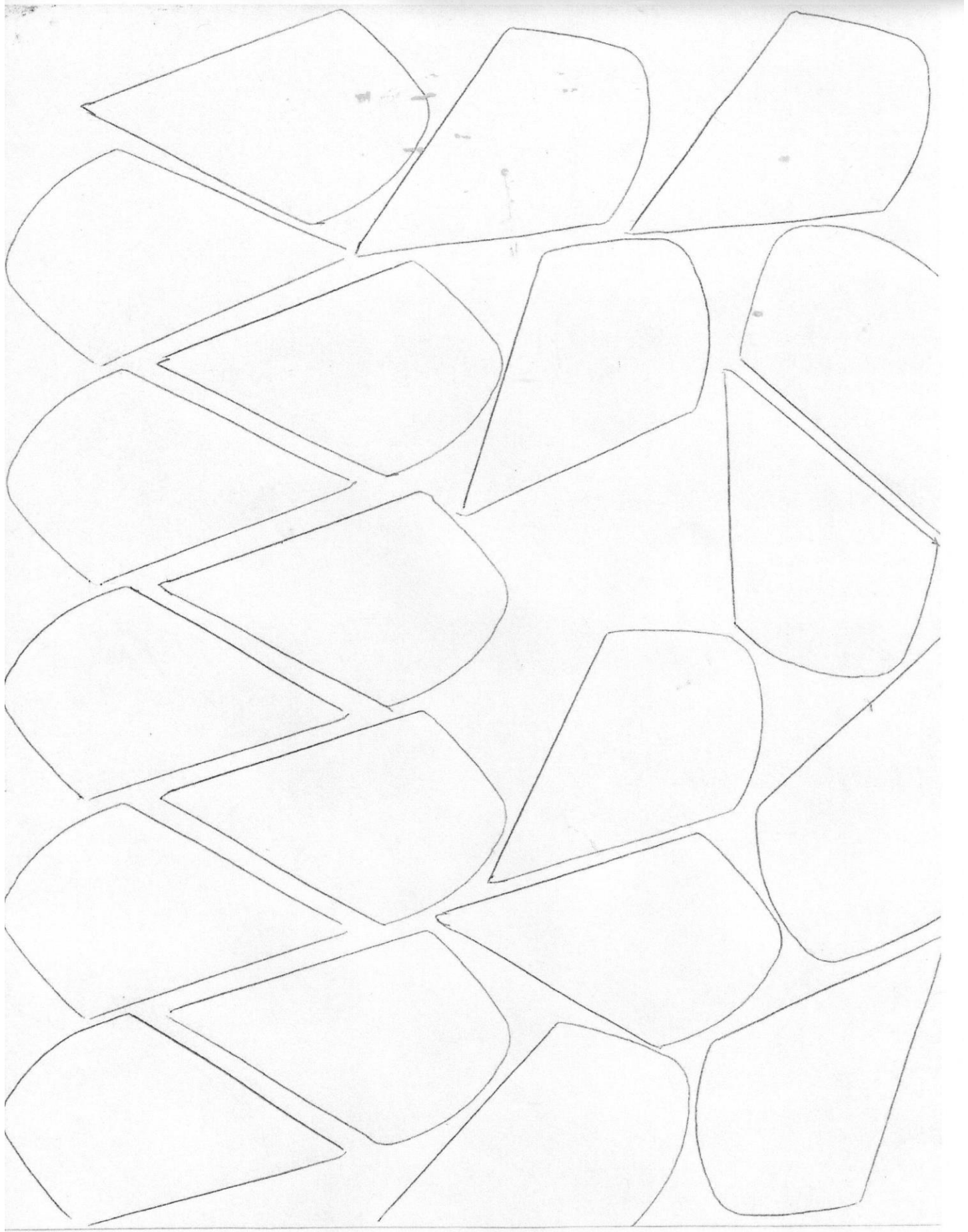


- Glue the stem of the flower to the tissue paper to hold it in place.



- Take the corner and fold it up to the side of the stem (1). Then fold again over the stem almost to the other fold (2). Then take the left side (3) and fold over to form a "v" shape. Tuck the #3 piece behind the paper and glue to the back.
- To finish, take an inspirational word and glue to the bottom part of the front of the tissue paper. Take a small bow with one loop on each side and glue at the "v" mark on tissue paper.
- And you're finished!

Petal Pattern



Leaf pattern

