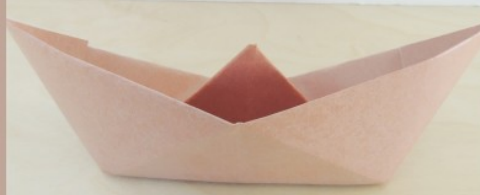


Theme Week:

Origami Pirate Ship

PIRATES

Use construction paper and contact paper to make a boat that can float in the water!

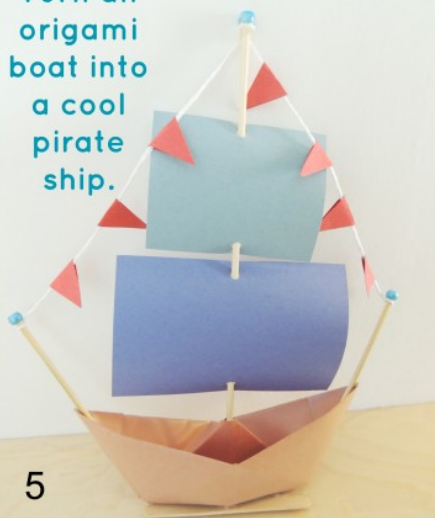


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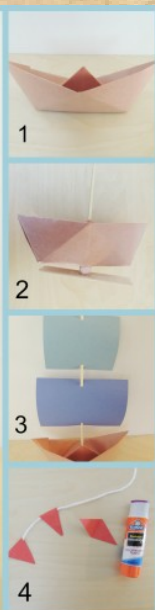
1. Put contact paper on one side of the construction paper. This will allow the boat to float in water since the contact paper will block the water.
2. Fold the paper once hamburger style and then a second time hamburger style. Make sure the contact paper is on the inside of the folds. Open the second fold so you can see the fold line.
3. Fold the top right corner down to the middle of the paper. Use the fold line as a guide. Now fold the top left corner down to the middle of the paper and again use the fold line as a guide.
4. Fold one flap of the bottom up and wrap the corners around the back.
5. Fold the other bottom flap up and wrap the corners around the back.
6. Open the bottom of the triangle and press the two bottom corners of the triangle together. Fold down to get a diamond shape.
7. Take one flap on the bottom. Fold the bottom corner up to the top corner.
8. Turn paper over and fold the other bottom flap corner up to the top corner. You will now have a triangle shape.
9. Slightly open the bottom of the triangle and press the two bottom corners of the triangle together as in step 6.
10. Grab the top flaps of the diamond shape and pull them out to create the boat.

Turn an origami boat into a cool pirate ship.



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Now that you have an origami boat that can float on the water, turn it into a pirate ship with just a few simple steps.

1. Make an origami boat (steps above)
2. Glue a large bead to a tongue depressor. Stick a wooden skewer through the bead and use a hot glue gun to secure. Make a very small cut into the middle part of the boat, then stick the wooden skewer up through the hole. The tongue depressor and bead should help the boat stand up.
3. Cut two rectangles from construction paper. Use a hole punch to punch holes in the middle top and middle bottom of each triangle. Put rectangles onto the wooden skewer through the hole punched holes.
4. Cut some paper flags from construction paper and glue them to a small length of yarn.
5. Break another wooden skewer in half and secure each one to the edges of the boat. Use hot glue gun to secure. Add beads to the top of each wooden skewer and use hot glue gun to secure. Tie yarn with flags to the skewers.



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