



## Fairy Boxes

### WHAT YOU NEED:

1 or 2 square pieces of paper  
scissors

(2 pieces if you want to make a box with a lid)

Origami paper will make a lovely little box. Photocopy paper will need to be resized into a square.

The bigger the square the bigger your box will be 8-)

### WHAT YOU DO:

Trim one square of paper so it's smaller than the other. The smaller piece will be the base of the box.

Fold one sheet at a time.

Fold the paper in half to make a triangle shape. Open the triangle to make a square again and then fold the square in half the other way to make another triangle.

Open the paper out to make a square again then fold one corner in to the middle fold. Make a firm crease.

Then fold that straight line in to meet the middle fold.

Repeat with the corner on the opposite side of the paper.

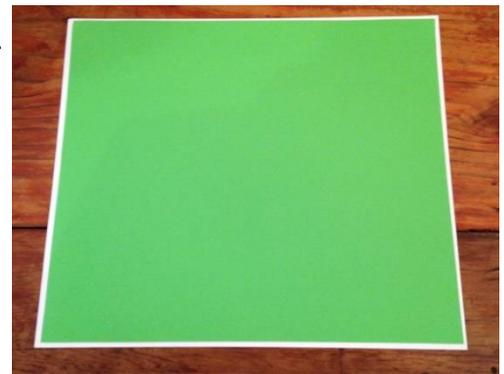
Then open the paper out and repeat that process with the two other corners.

Folding the corners into the middle fold etc

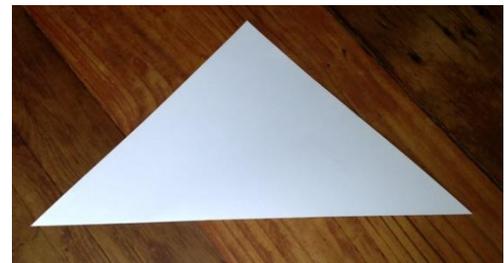
Open the paper into a square again and using a pair of scissors carefully cut one corner as shown in the picture here

Do the same with the corner on the direct opposite side of the paper.

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Feel free to watch the YouTube video as often as you like, [www.youtube.com/treehutv](http://www.youtube.com/treehutv) search for Jenny's Fairy Box, because this is a little tricky to explain, but hopefully the photograph, here, helps 8-)

Fold the two big triangles in, as you did in photo 3

Leaving the corners that have been cut, out flat.

Fold the now narrow band of paper on two sides of the square up to form two sides of the box.

Fold the flaps in at the end of the box, over the cut corners of the paper (see the wobbly arrow 8-)

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Fold the cut corners of paper up and over the flaps and down inside the box. If you have made nice firm creases the box should sit without unfolding. However, you may need a piece of tape or a smear of glue to hold the paper in place.

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Please let me know how you get on. And please visit the website and YouTube channel for more crafts and things to do.

Have fun  
Big hugs  
Suzy xoxox