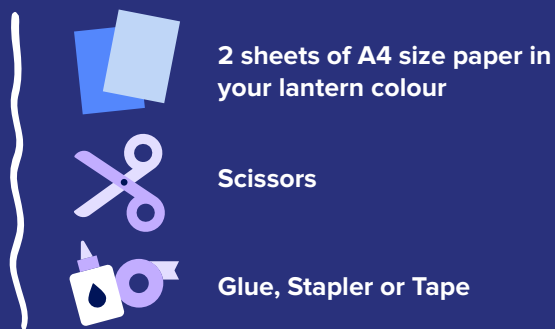# Light the Night

How to make a paper lantern

Follow these easy steps to create your very own lantern.

What you'll need
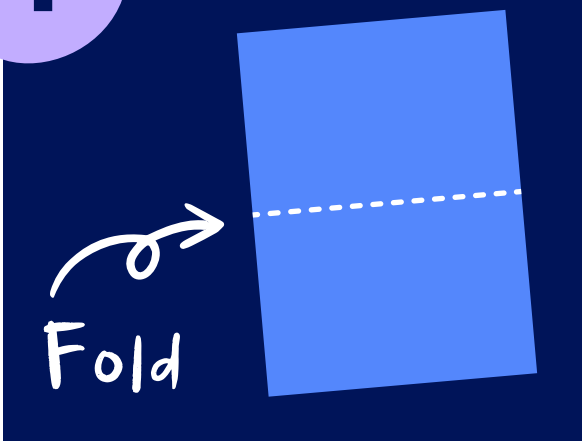
- 2 sheets of A4 size paper in your lantern colour
- Scissors
- Glue, Stapler or Tape

Lantern meaning

White to reflect
Gold to remember
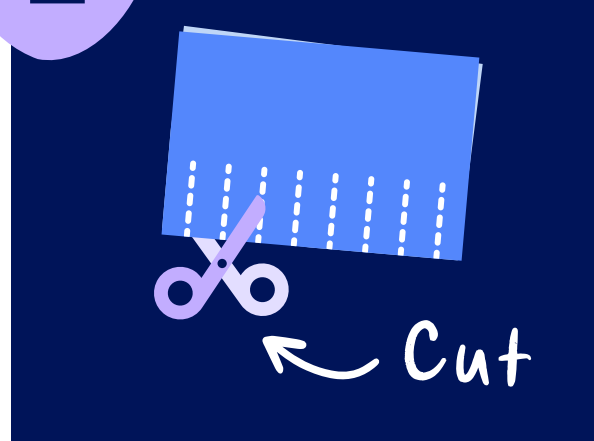**Blue** to support

1

Fold

Take a piece of paper and fold it in half horizontally.

2

Cut

Cut along the folded edge of the paper. However, be sure not to cut all the way through!
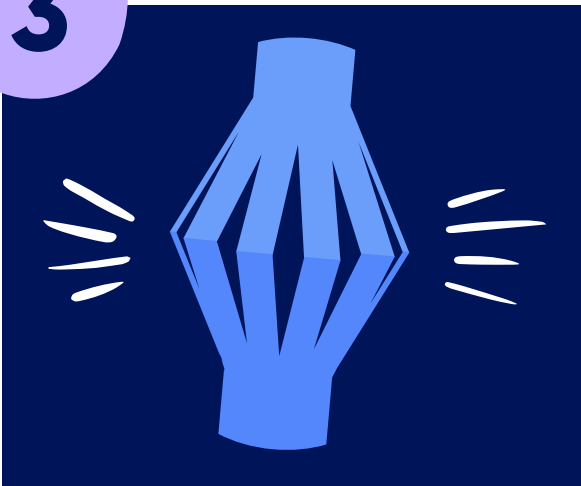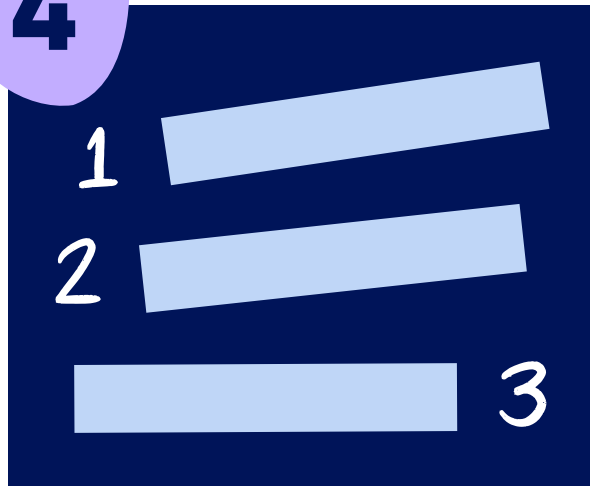
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3

Open the page, take the ends and connect them to make a cylinder shape. If using tape, be sure to connect the ends from the inside so it is not visible.

4

Cut three thin strips from your second piece of paper. One will be your handle, the remaining two will be your decoration banners.

5

Attach

Attach the handle to the top of the lantern. Attach the banners at the top (near the handle) and at the base of your lantern.

6

(Optional) Decorate your lantern or write a personal message.