

# Winter WACKY Snowflakes



## You will need:

- White, silver or blue paper
- Pencil
- Scissors
- Thread or thin string
- Glue

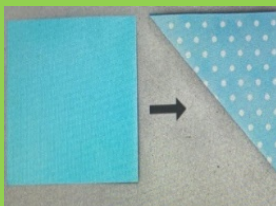
### Step 1

- Cut out 6 identical squares from your paper. The size is up to you, just so long as all the squares have the identical measurements



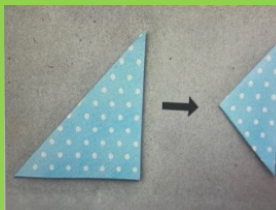
### Step 2

- Take one of the 6 squares and fold it diagonally in half to make a triangle



### Step 3

- Fold the triangle you made in step 2 in half



### Step 4

- Make 3 equally spaced vertical slits on one short side of the folded triangle. Stop cutting before you reach the opposite short side. An easy way to make the slits evenly spaced without the using a ruler is to cut the middle slit first, then the 2 either side.



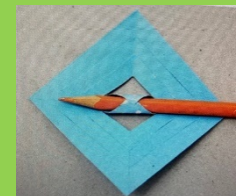
### Step 5

- Carefully unfold the paper. The square will have three pairs of concentric slits.



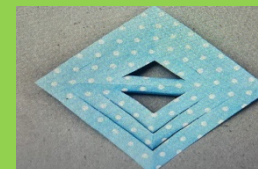
### Step 6

- Rotate the square so that it forms a diamond shape. Glue the innermost pair of flaps together by the tips. You can use a pencil to bring the pair of flaps together if your square is small. Press the tips for a few seconds to glue the paper in place.



### Step 7

- Flip the square over so that the paper's opposite side is facing you.



### Step 8

- Glue the second pair of flaps together by the tips. Press for a few seconds to glue in place.



### Step 9

- Turn the paper over again. Glue the third pair of flaps by the tips.

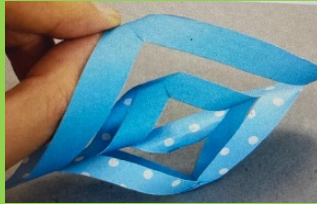


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## Step 10

- Turn the paper over for the last time. Glue the outermost pair of flaps by the tips. You have just finished making one of the snowflake's arms.



## Step 11

- Transform each of the five remaining squares into snowflake arms following steps 2 to 10



## Step 12

- Start assembling the snowflake by gluing two snowflake arms together. Glue them at the bottom and at the middle where the two arms touch, as indicated by the arrows in the photo. Press on these two points for a few seconds to glue in place.



## Step 13

- Continue adding the rest of the snowflake arms one at a time. Just like the first two, glue them at the bottom and at the middle.



## Step 14

- After you have positioned the last snowflake arm, glue its middle point with that of the first snowflake.



## Step 15

- Attach a length of thread or thin string at the top of one snowflake arm. Hang from the ceiling, on windowsills, or on a Christmas tree.

