

Wheel of Fortune

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Hedi Kyle's directions for this structure from *The Art of the Fold* involve long strips (24") of narrow paper ($3\frac{3}{4}$ "). However, since these folds are easily joined together, you don't need paper that long to make these work. Several of the small flowers in *The Plot Thickens* were made with origami paper cut into multiple strips—note the varying number of petals in the image. I'll explain this in more detail during the demo,

but for now, it means that if you don't have long paper, you can take either size I've listed and make two or four strips of the listed width to get the length needed for an eight petal flower. You need to halve or quarter the length, however because of how we will fold the strips.



Materials:

- Double sided tape, glue stick or other adhesive
- Paper should be thin enough to fold and to hold a fold crisply. Origami paper works, as does most text weight paper.

Either dimension below works. If you're not someone who folds often or enjoys work with small things, the first dimension might be best.

- $3\frac{3}{4}$ " x 24" (or 2 strips $3\frac{3}{4}$ " x 12" or 4 strips $3\frac{3}{4}$ " x 6")
- $1\frac{7}{8}$ " x 12" (or 2 strips $1\frac{7}{8}$ " x 6")

Tools:

Bone folder or back of your fingernail