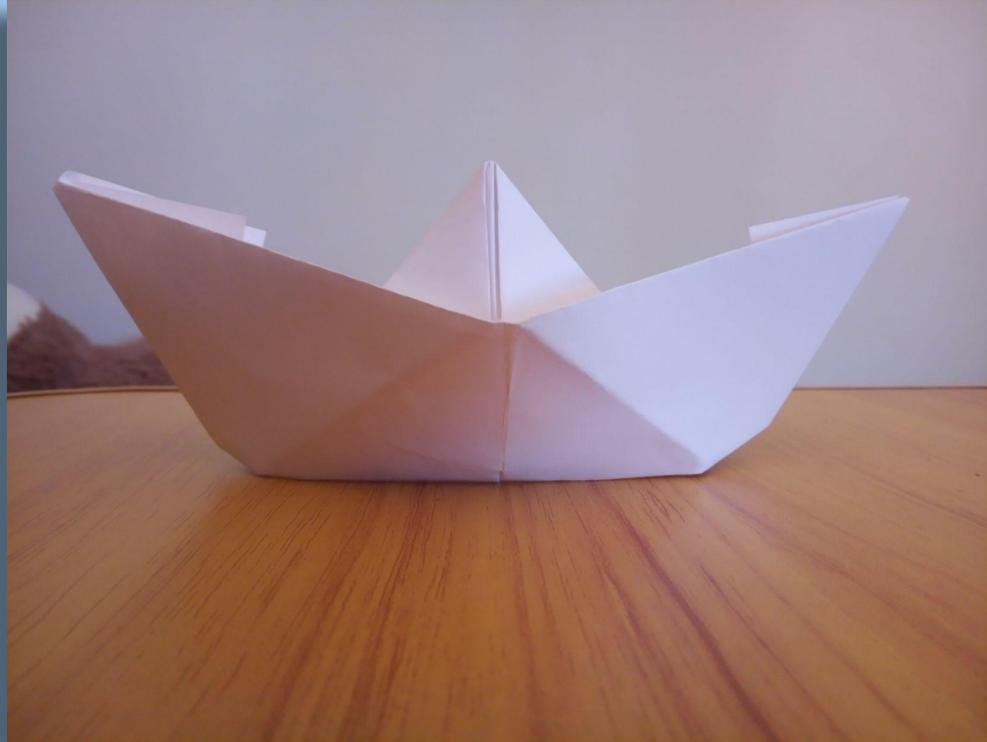
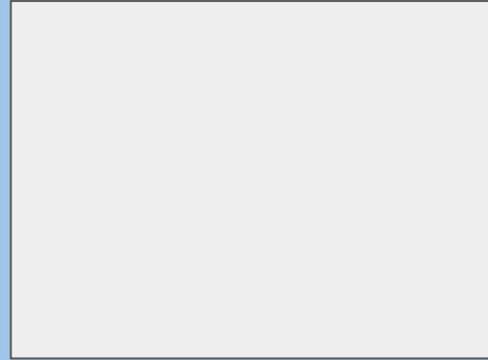
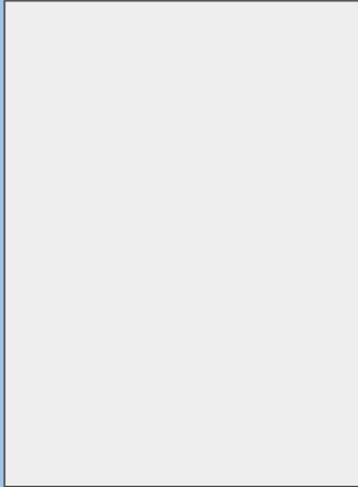


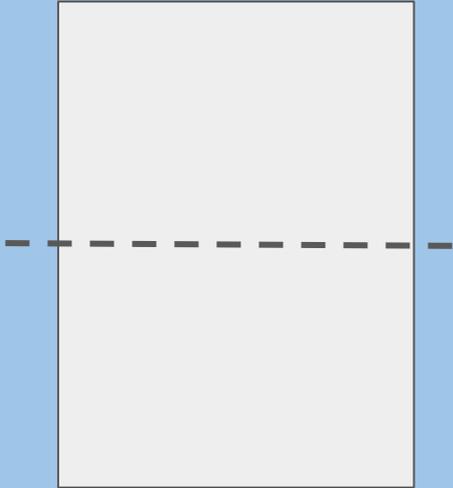
How to Make a Paper Boat



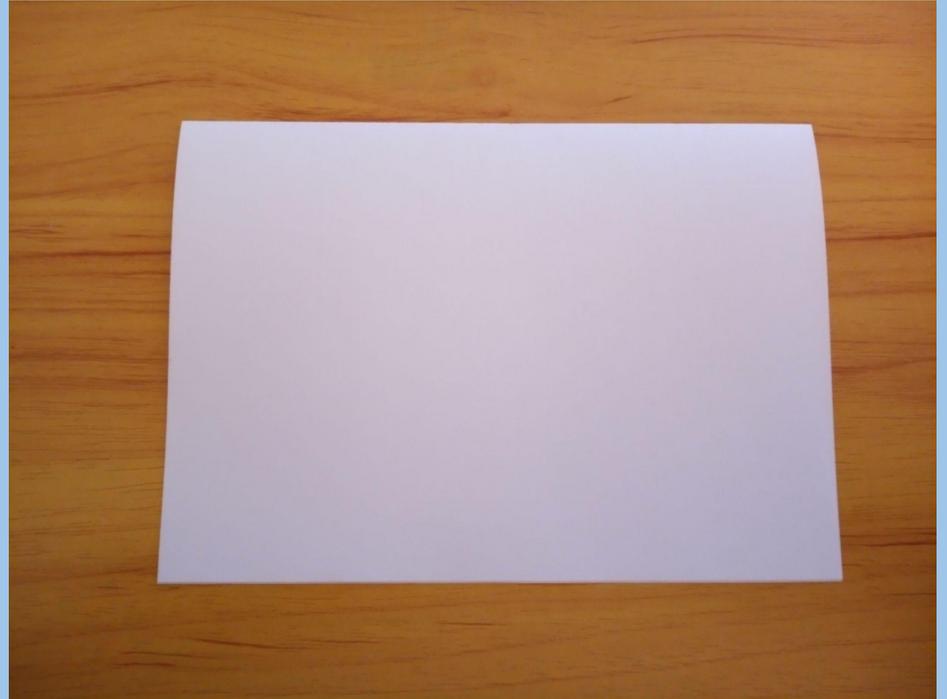
Before you start, make sure your A4 paper is the right way around.



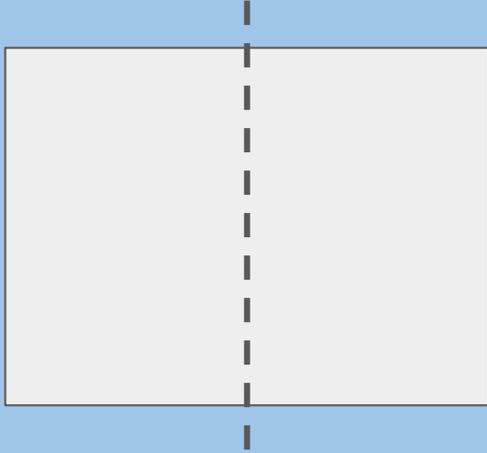
Fold your paper in half horizontally:



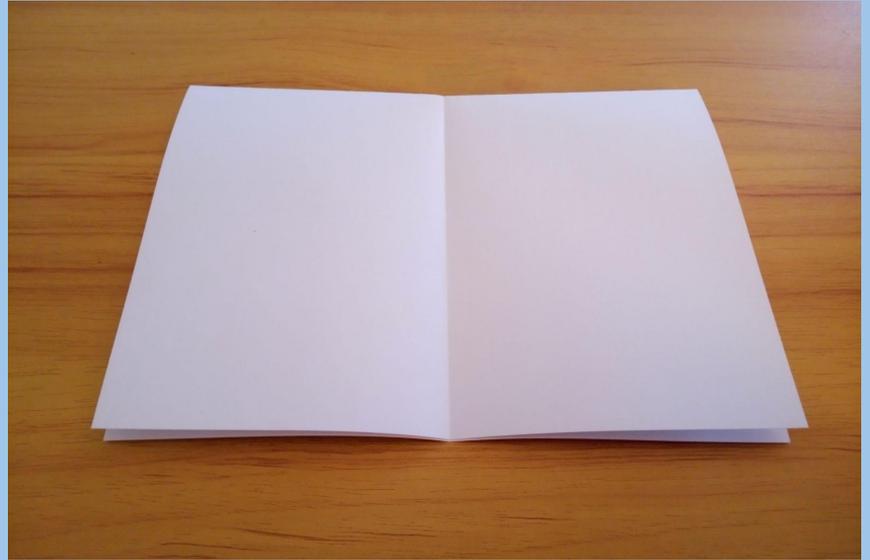
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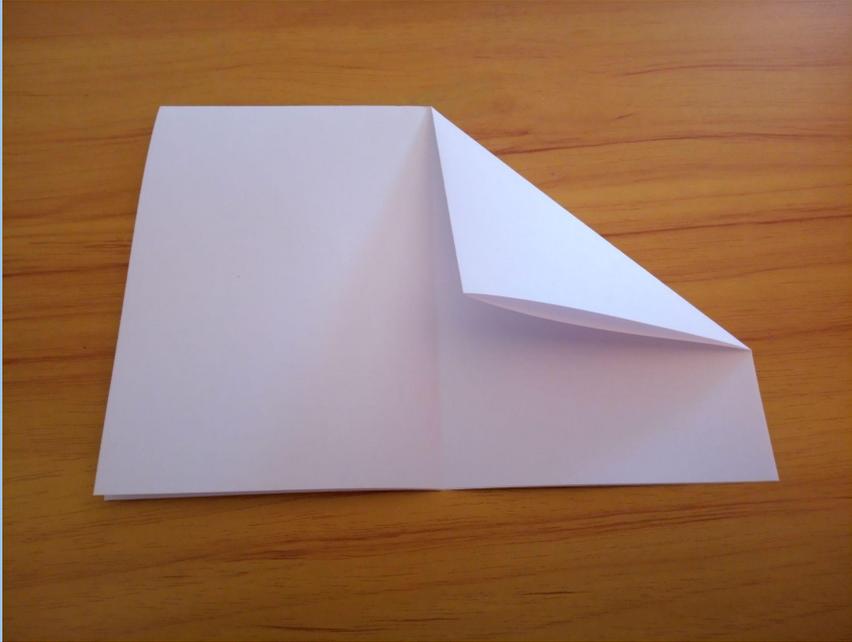
Fold your paper in half again, this time vertically.



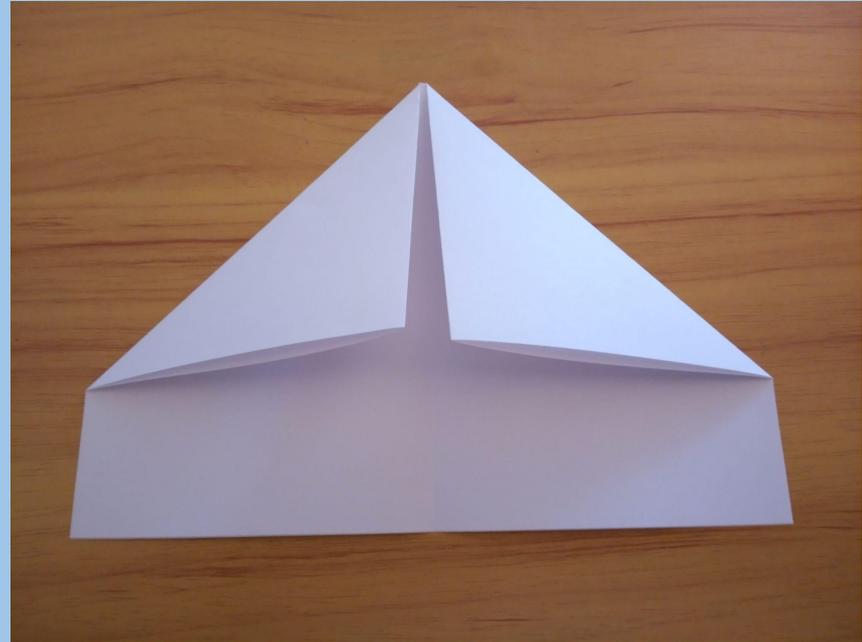
Now unfold it, so that you can see the line you've just made.



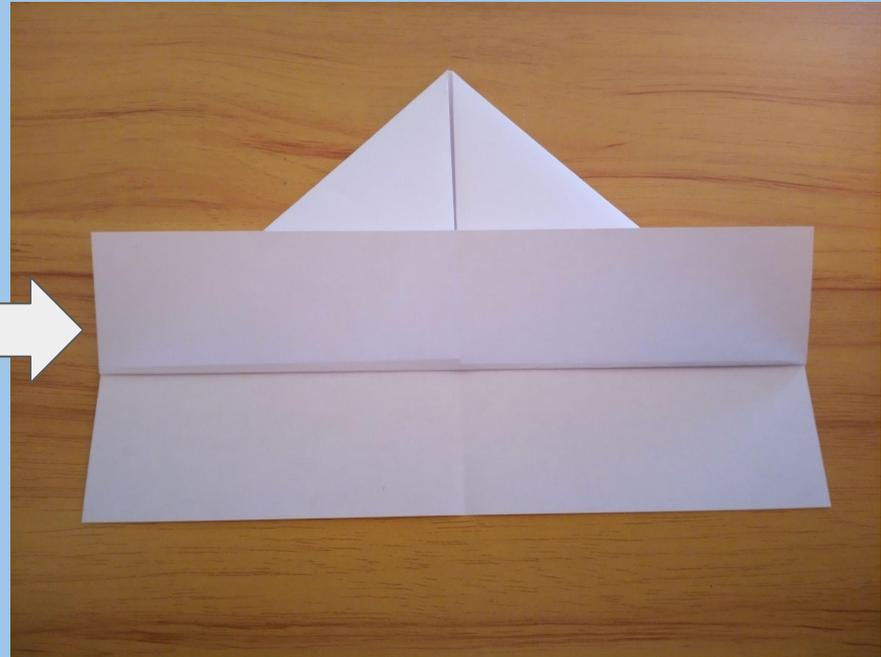
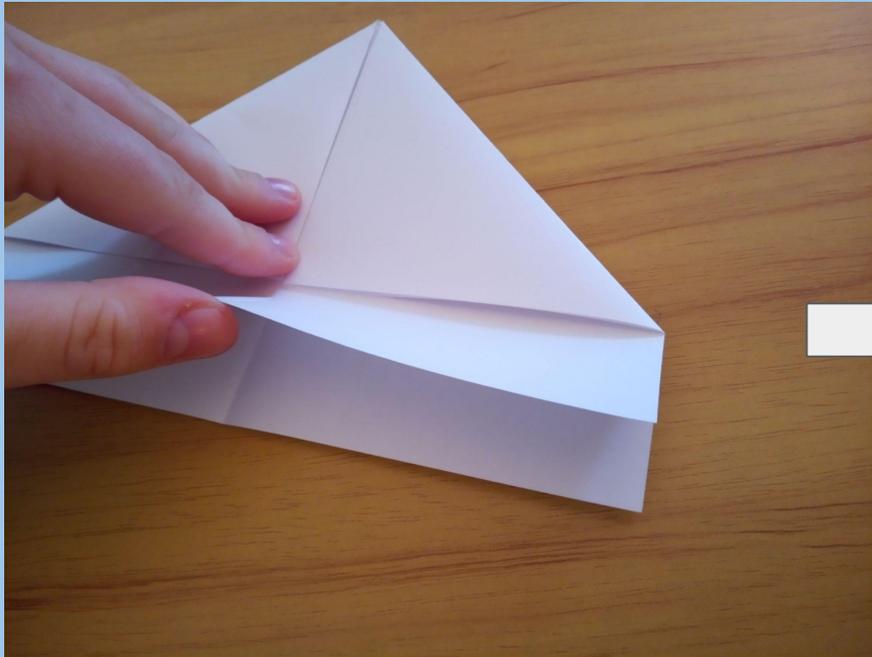
Fold the top right corner so that it touches the line in the middle.



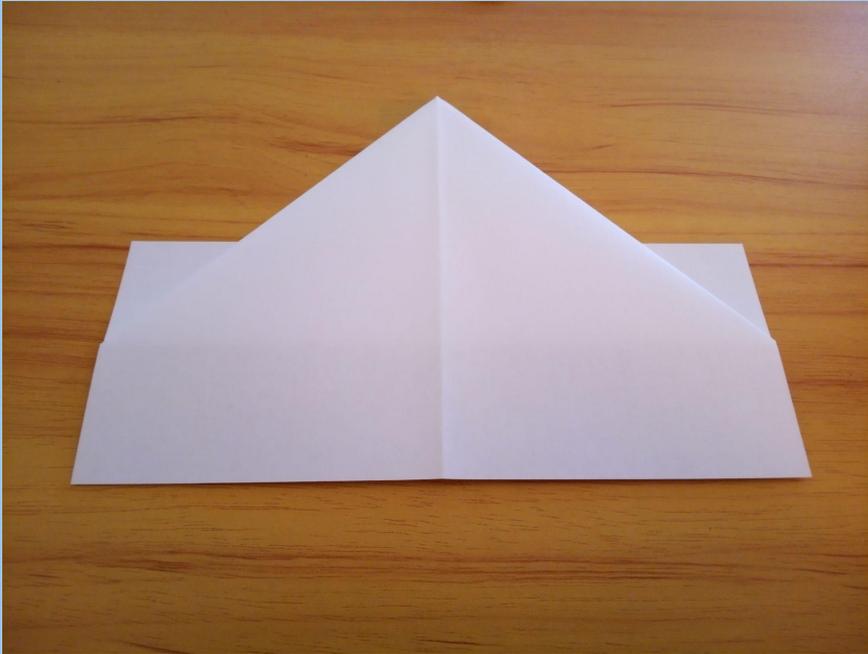
Now fold the top left corner so that it touches the line in the middle.



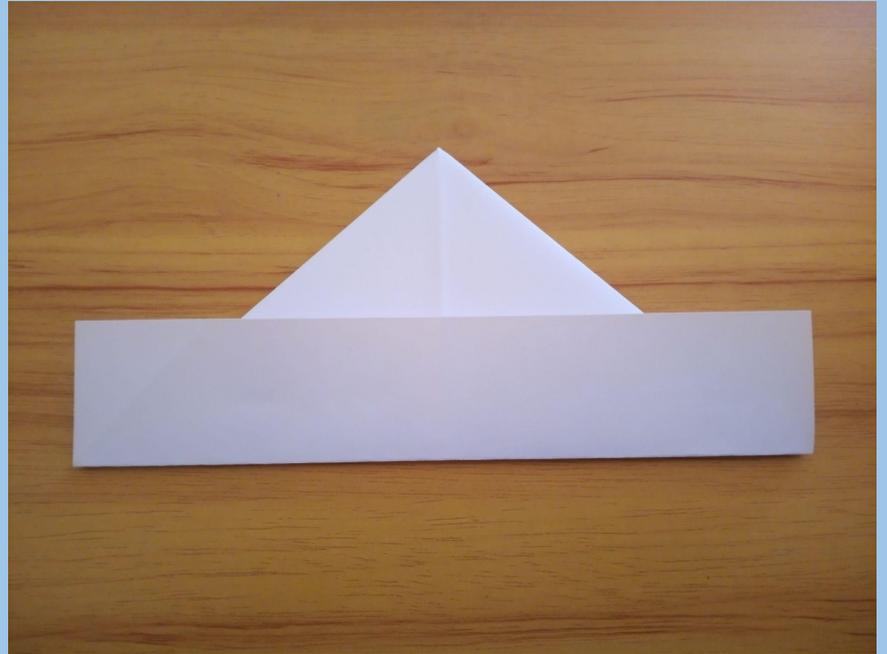
Lifting only the top layer of the bottom edge, fold it up until it touches the bottom of the triangles, like this:



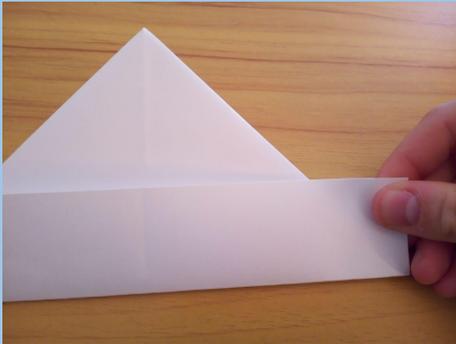
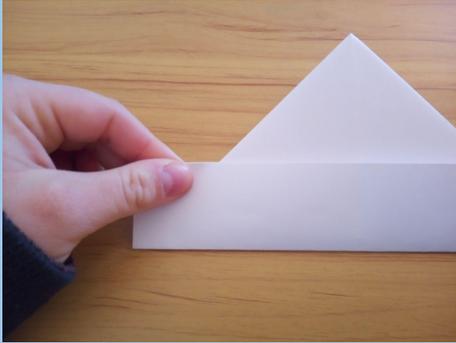
Flip it over.



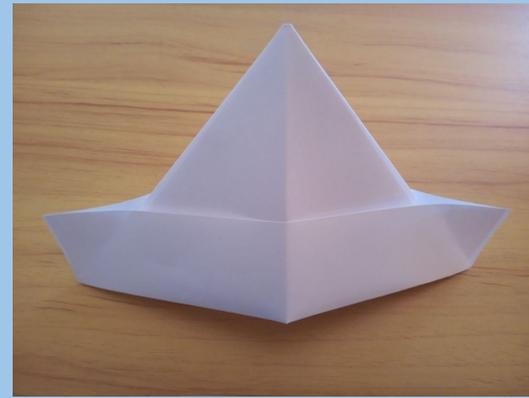
Then, fold the bottom edge up just like you did on the other side. It should now look like this:



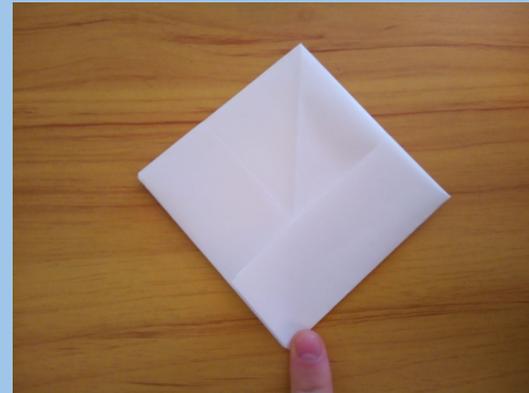
This step is a bit hard. Pinch the paper on the left side and the right side at the same time.



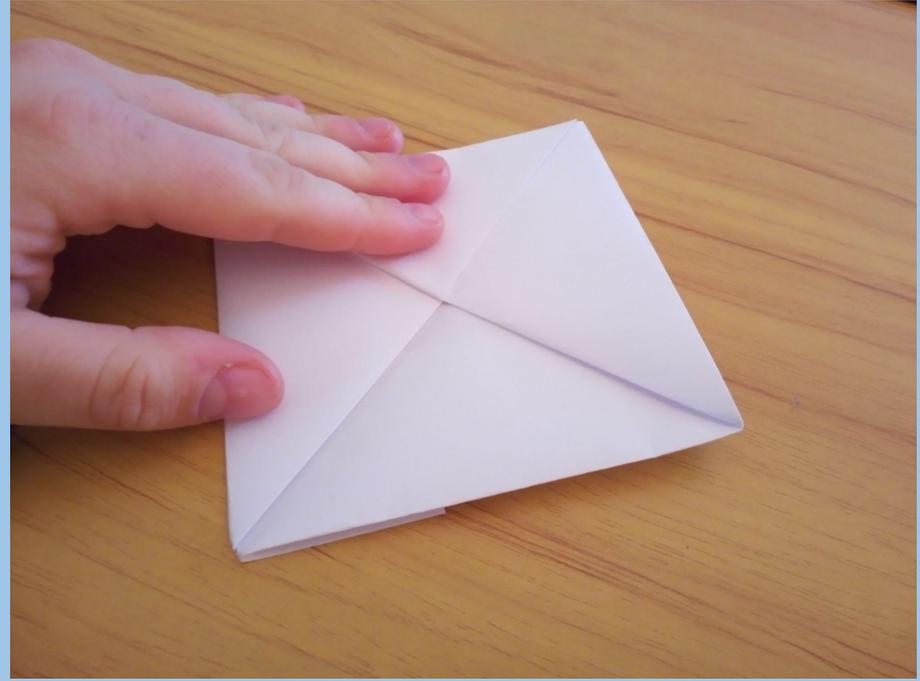
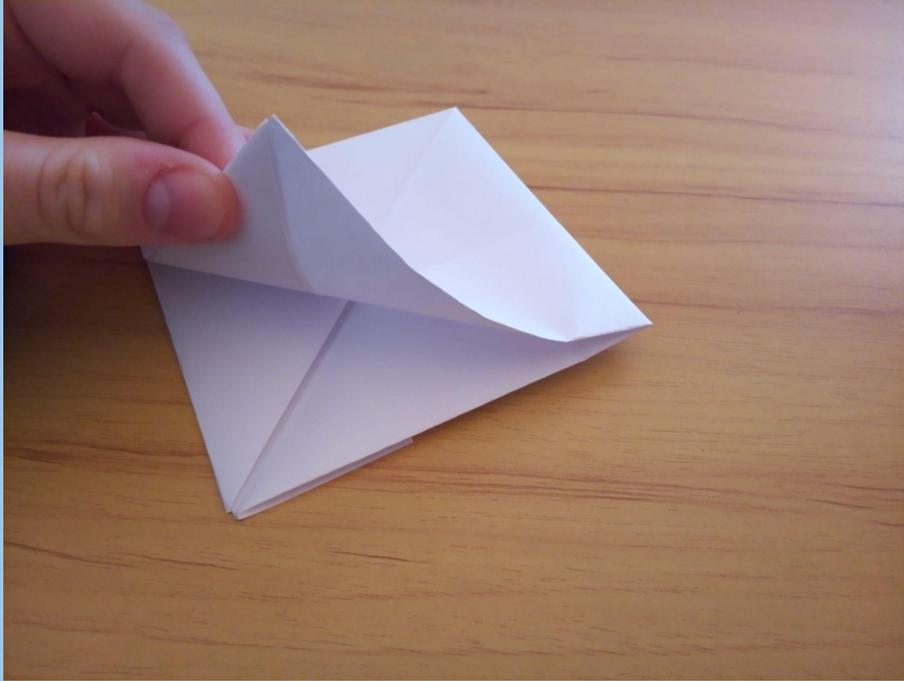
Then, push the two sides towards each other. The paper will start to fold in the middle, like this:



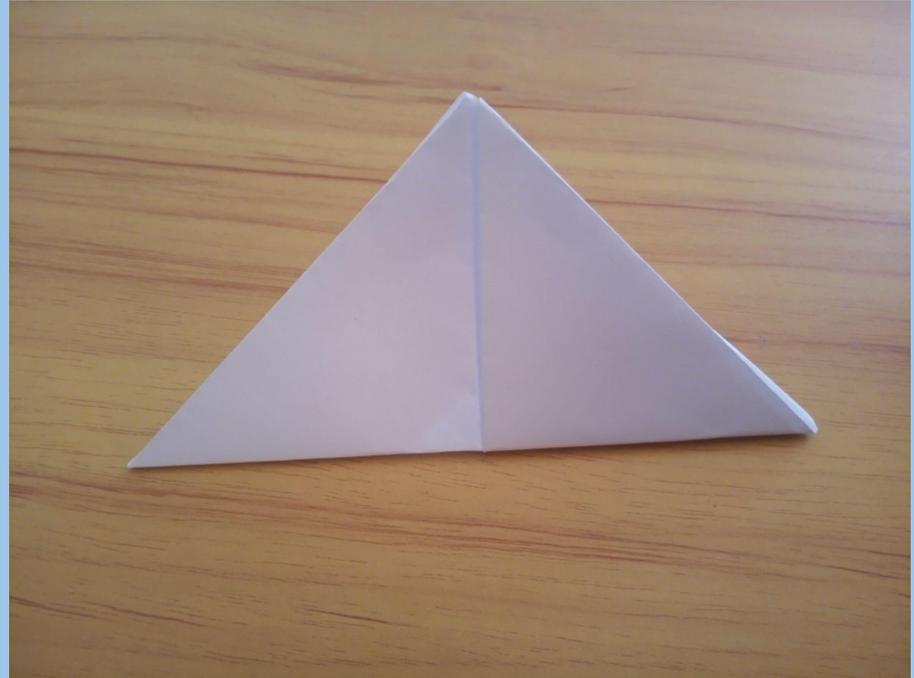
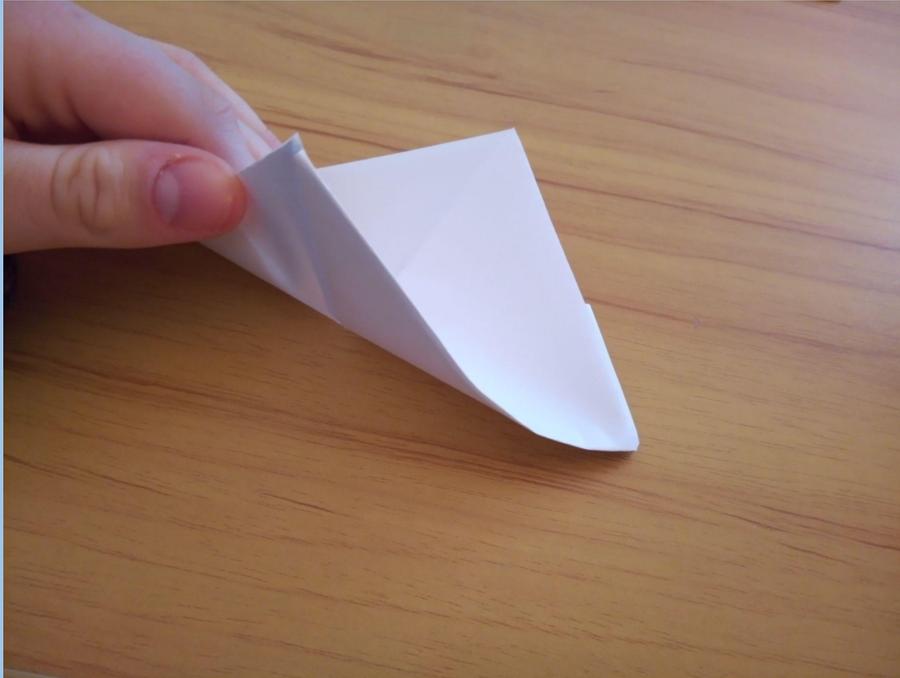
Carry on pushing until it is completely folded. Place it flat on the table and press down on it to make sure it's creased well.



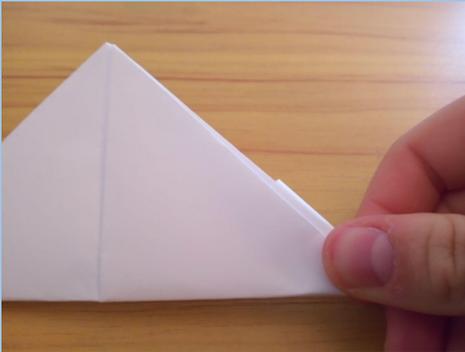
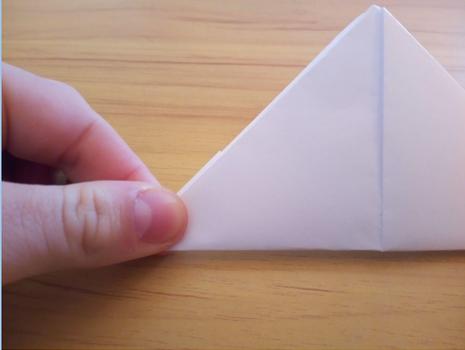
Lifting only the top layer, fold the bottom point up to meet the top point.



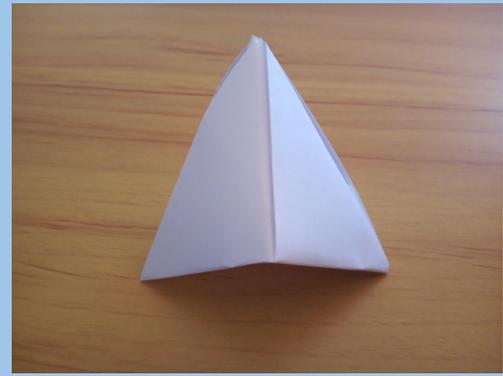
Flip it over. Next, lift the bottom point and fold it to meet the top point, just like you did on the other side.



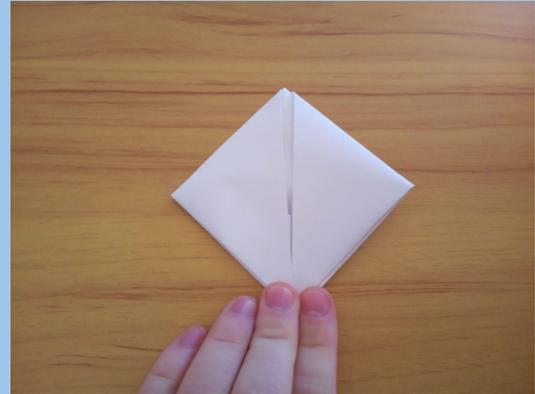
This step is also a bit hard. Pinch the left side and the right side at the same time.



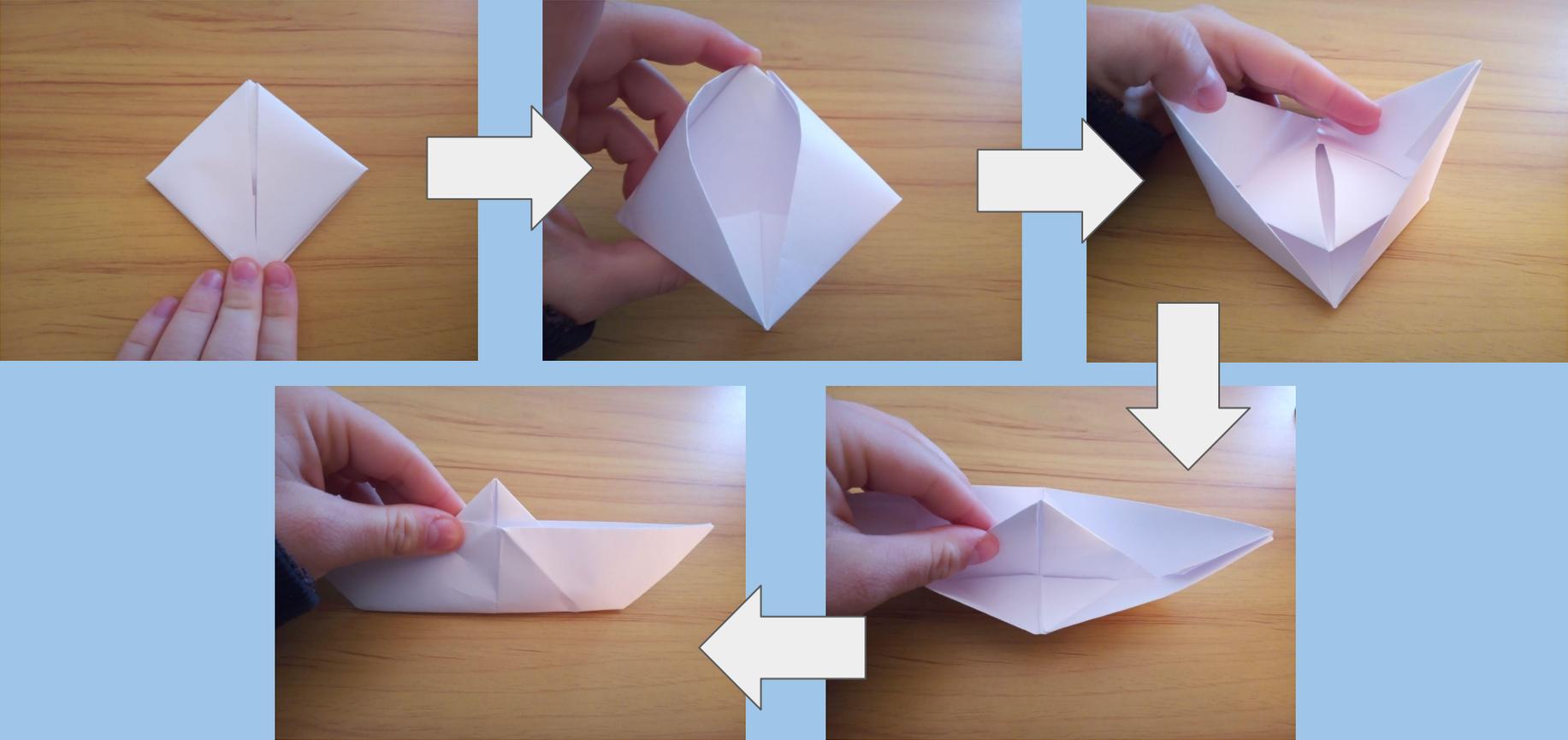
Then, push the two sides towards each other. The paper will start to fold in the middle, like this:



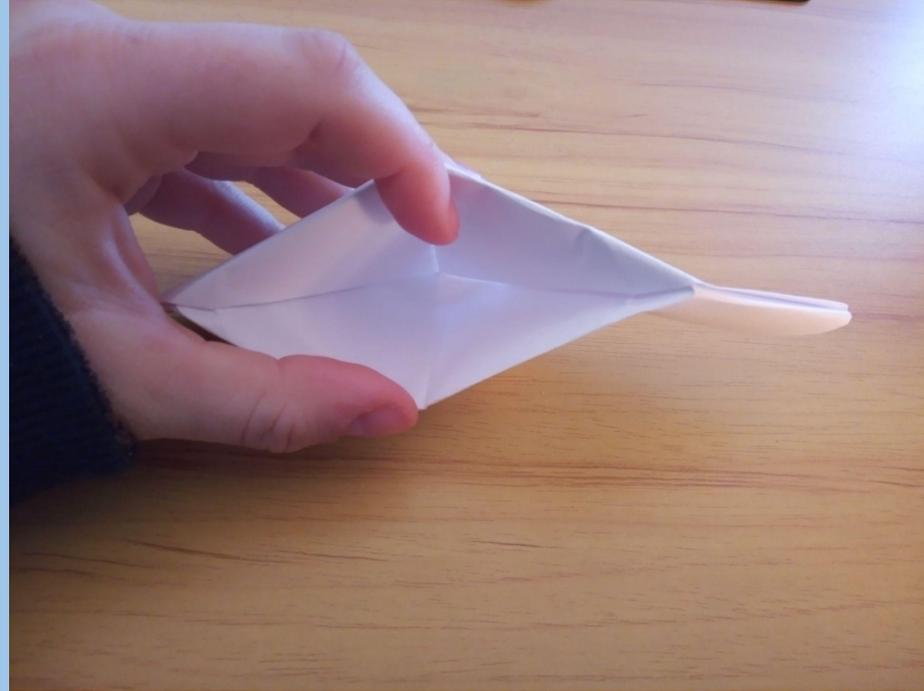
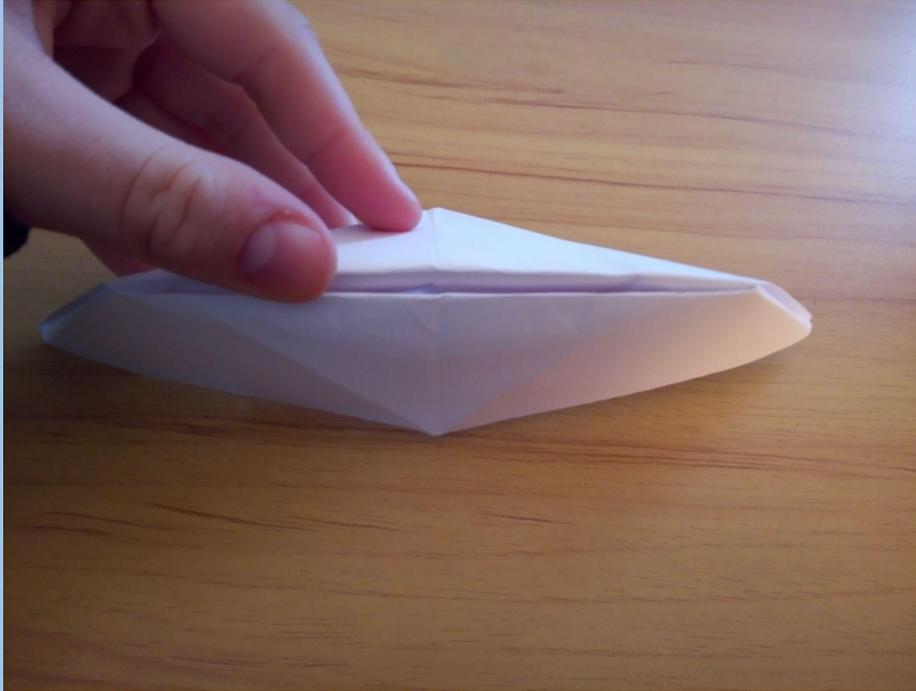
Carry on pushing until it is completely folded. Place it flat on the table and press down on it to make sure it's creased well.



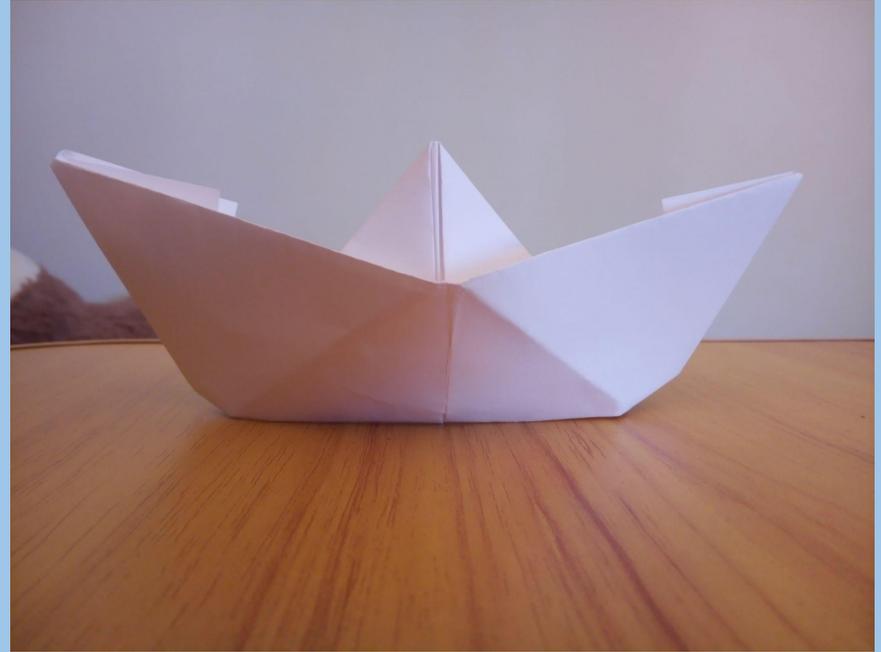
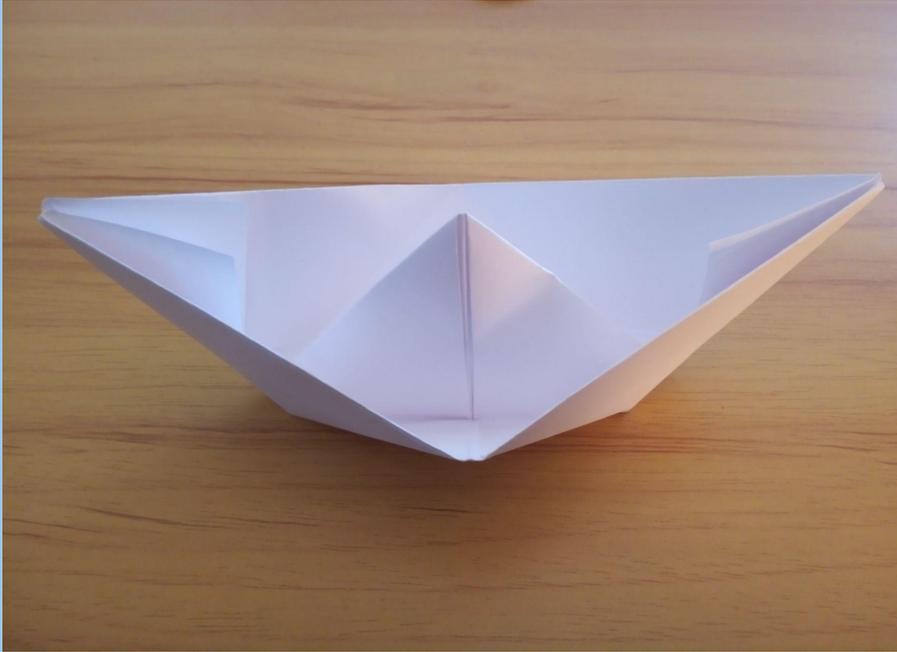
Now it's time to transform it into a boat! Carefully pull the left flap and the right flap outwards, and unfold it like this:



To stop the boat falling over, turn the boat upside down and open the pocket at the bottom. Keeping the pocket open, use your fingers to push against the sides until it stays open by itself.



When you flip your boat the right way up again, now it should stand up all by itself.



Well done - you've finished your origami paper boat!