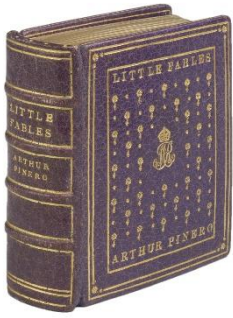
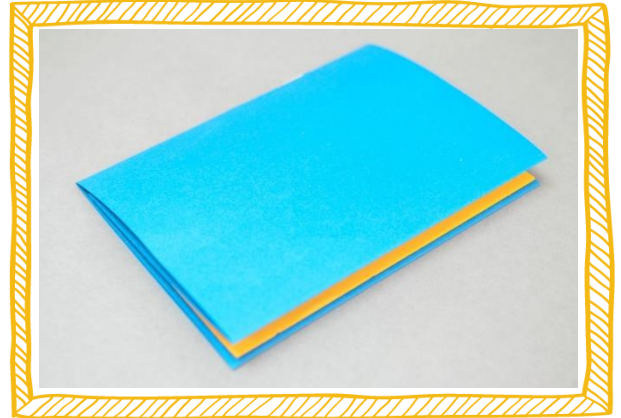


Make a mini book



What you need:

- 1 x A4 sheet of paper (if you want to make a bigger book, use an A3 sheet)
- 1 x needle (be careful!)
- A small amount of thread

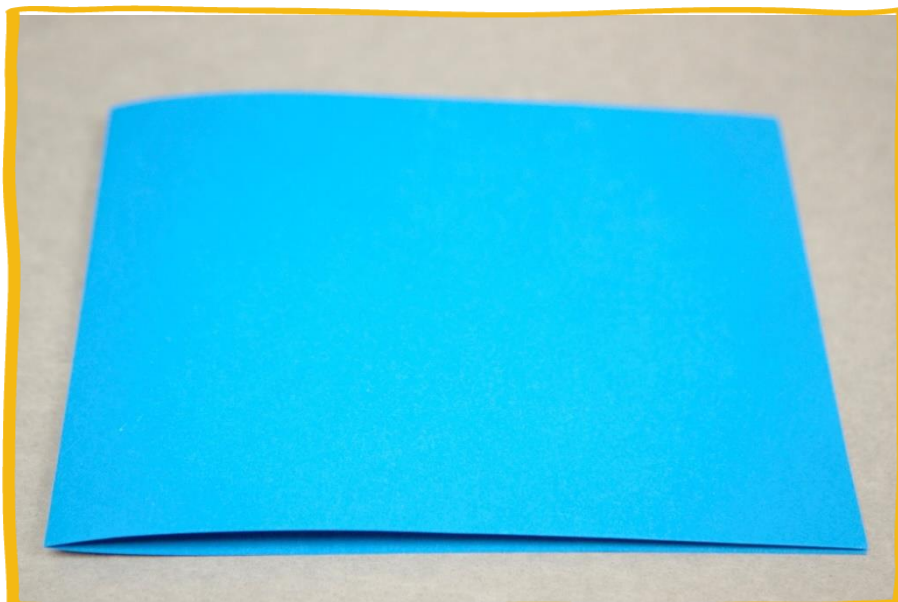
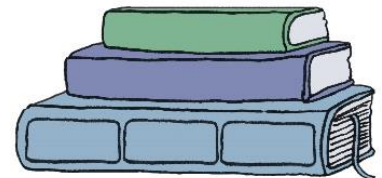


Preparing your A4 sheet of paper

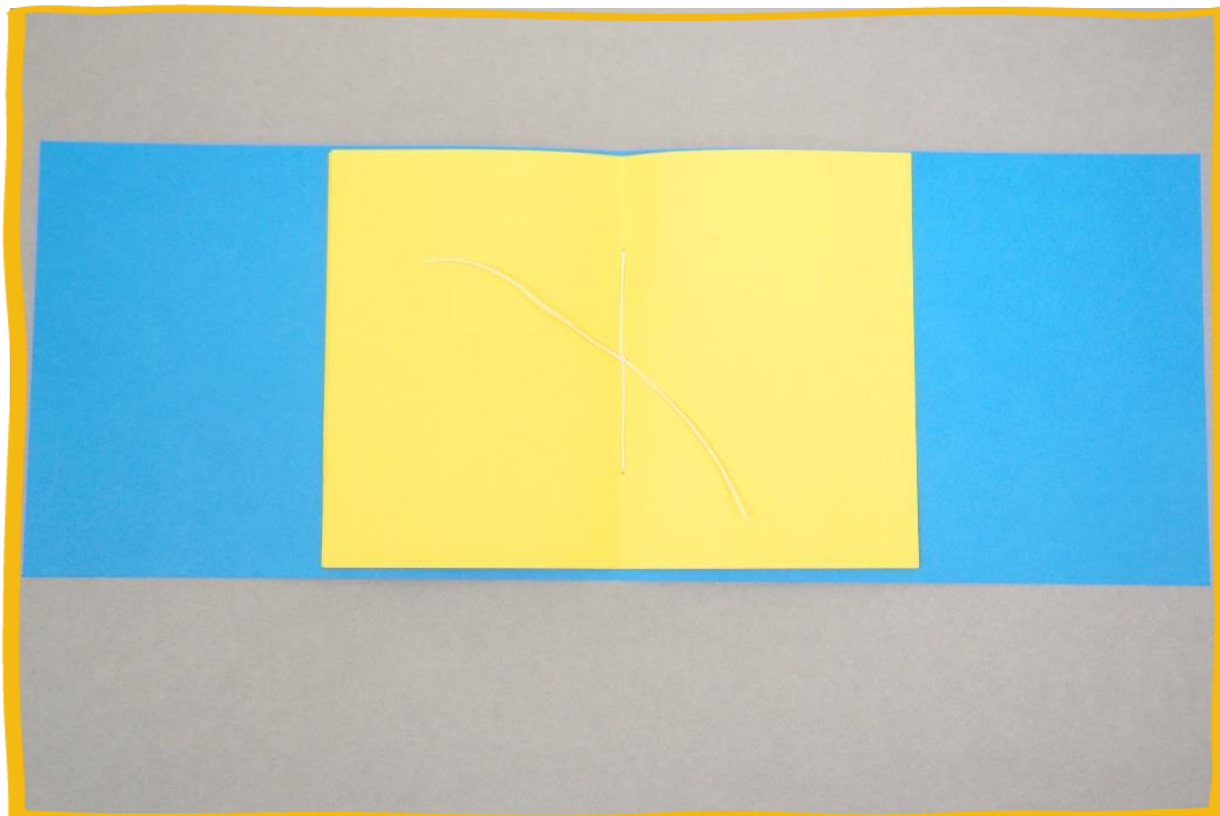
1. Fold your sheet of paper in half along the short edge.
2. Cut along the fold, so that you have two long sheets of paper.
3. Put one to the side. This will be the **cover** of your book.
4. Fold the other in half along the long edge. Cut along the fold. Place both sheets together (they will be the same size) and fold again. These will be the **pages** of your book.

Making your book

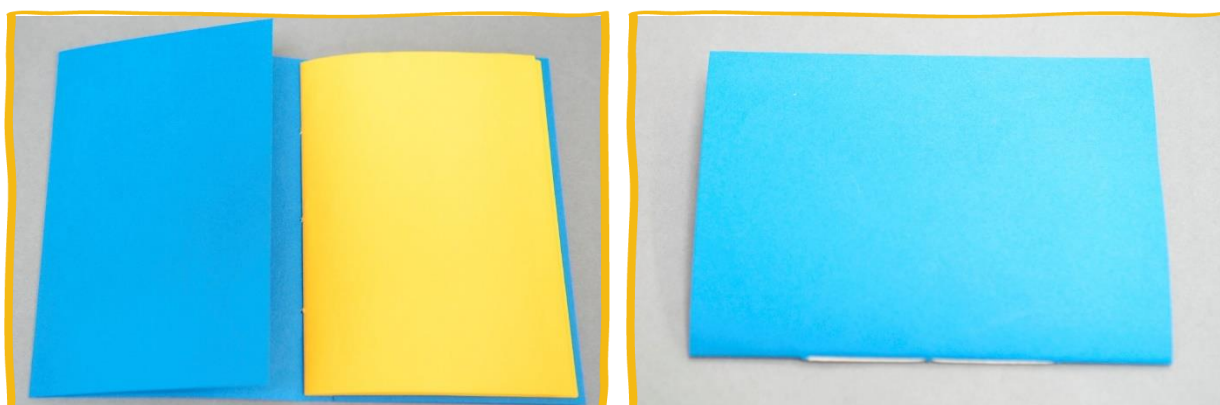
1. Take your cover and fold it in half along the long edge so that it looks like this:



2. Place your pages inside your cover. Using your needle, **carefully** make three small holes along the middle fold of your book. Make the first hole a quarter of the way up the page, another hole in the middle and the last hole three-quarters of the way up the page. Using your thread, sew back and forth through the holes to attach your pages to the cover. Tie the thread together in the centre of the page so that it looks like the image below. Trim the excess thread.



3. Fold your front and back covers over so that they join in the middle of the book. They now have fold-out flaps.



4. Your book is now complete! The final step is to design your front and back covers, then fill your pages with text and/or illustrations.