

## Sculpting 1

Unit Name: Origami

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**Objective:** Learn about the ancient art of origami and create examples.

**Requirements:** Paper, and possibly glue and scissors (depending on what you choose to create)

**Bell Ringer:** Read [The Brief History of Origami](#)

1. Did you find out where the term “origami” comes from?
2. How old is origami?
3. Can you find anything else that was going on in the world at the time origami was first created?
4. Besides entertainment or simply art-making, what other purposes does origami have?

### Lesson/Activity:

Using the links below, choose some origami examples that you feel you can do. For paper, choose paper that is fairly thin. Index cards and paper sacks won't fold as well for this purpose as copy paper, or even better, wrapping paper (gift wrap). Expect to face some difficulties with instructions. This can be a difficult challenge. Make three or four different examples of origami.

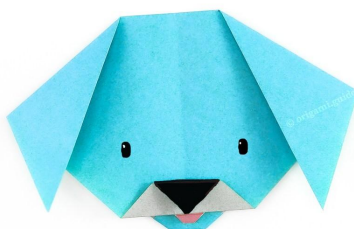
### Resources and Supporting Materials:

[Origami for Beginners](#)

[Origami Guide](#)

[Origami Instructions](#)

[More Origami Instructions](#)



### Check for Understanding:

- How well were you able to create the variety of origami?
- Why did you choose the examples that you chose?
- Describe one of the struggles that you had. Why do you think this was a struggle?
- What advice would you give to someone else trying this?