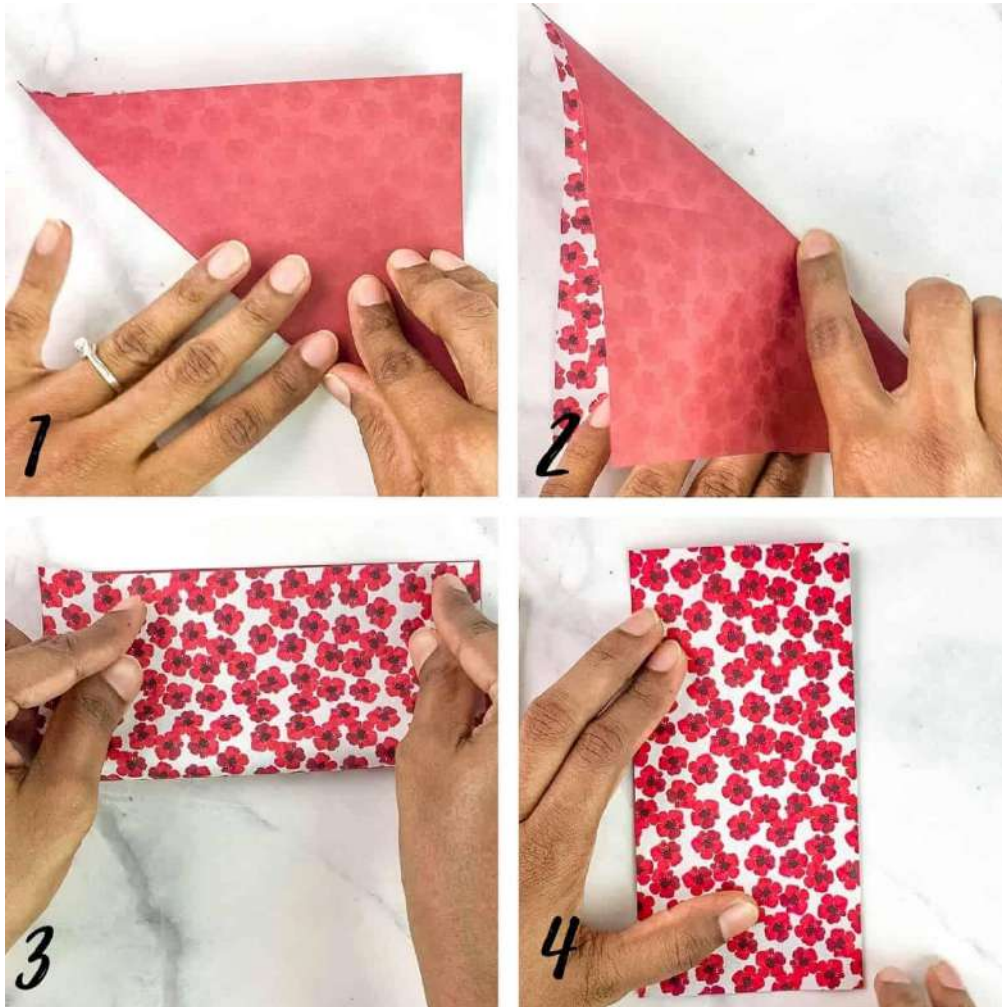


How to Make Origami Fish

I have broken down the folding instructions into 5 steps as follows:

Step 1: Making the folds

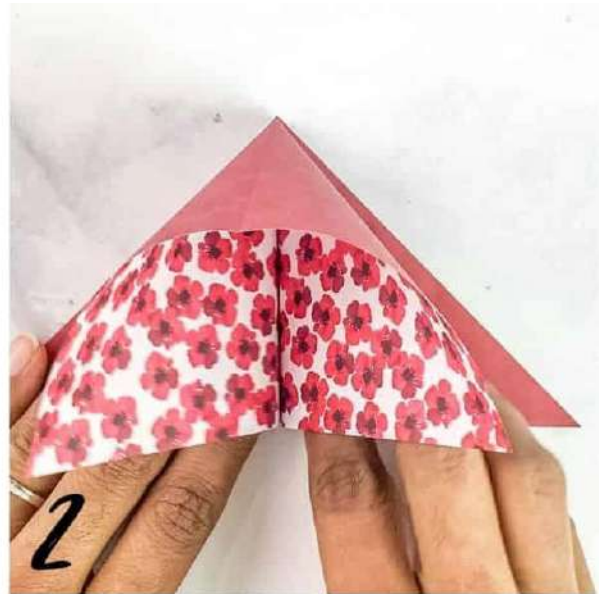


Place the paper on a flat workspace. The front section has floral design. The back section in plain maroon in color.

1. First step is to fold the paper by bringing the opposite corners of the square sheet together. With the floral side facing up, fold the paper diagonally by bringing the bottom edge on the left to the top right corner. Make sure the corners are aligned. Unfold.
2. Fold it diagonally again, this time by bringing the top right edge to the bottom left corner. Unfold.
3. Turn the paper over. Fold it into 2 vertically. Unfold.
4. Fold it into 2, horizontally. Unfold.

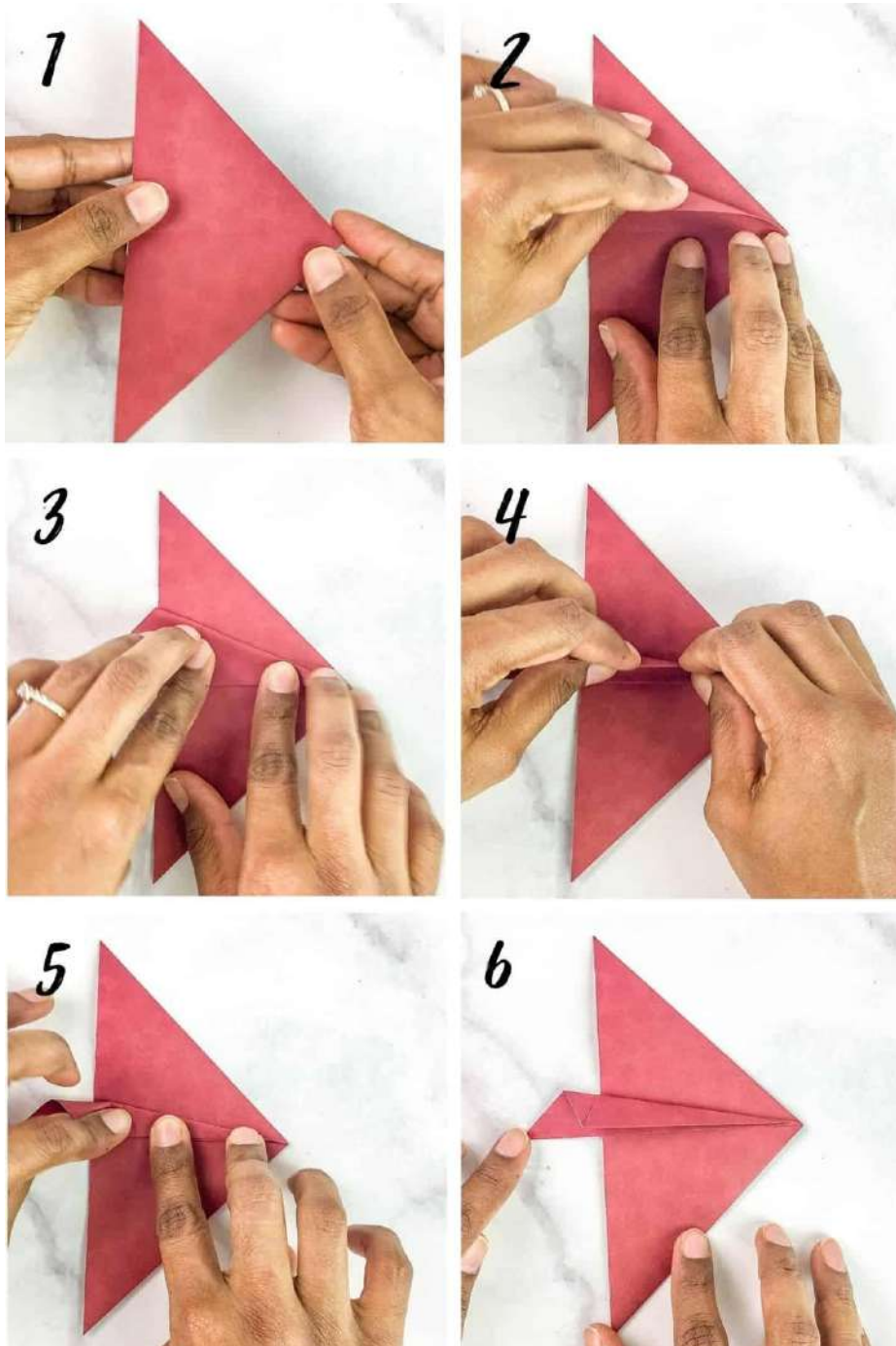
Step 2: Forming a triangular tab for the body

Form a triangle as shown in the 4 steps below:



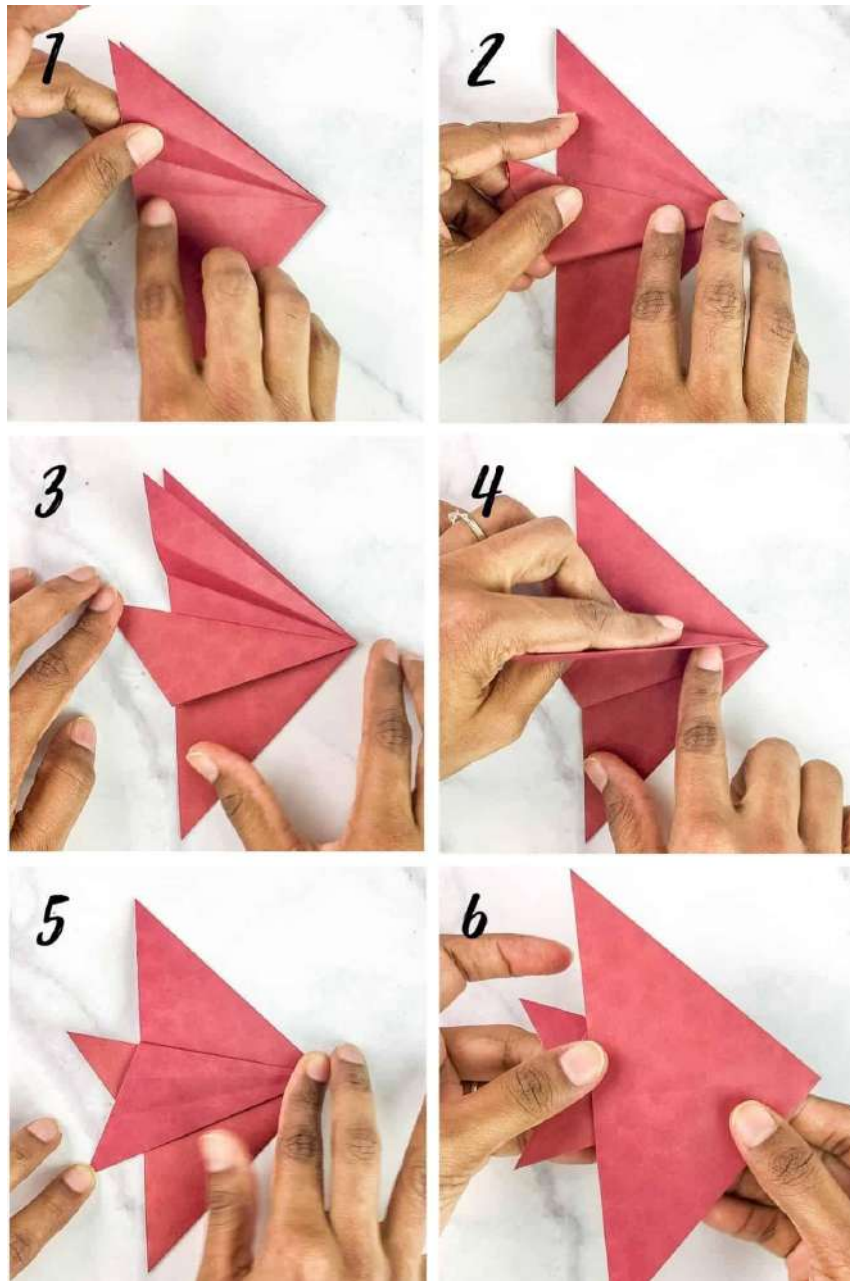
1. Place the entire paper with the maroon side facing down on a flat surface. On the bottom half of the paper, fold along the diagonal lines formed earlier that run from both the bottom corner to the center of the paper into a triangle.
2. As you do this, you will see that the top half of the paper also forming into a triangle.
3. Press the paper along the folded lines to form a complete triangle.
4. Lift the triangle and this is how it should look like.

Step 3: Folding the tail



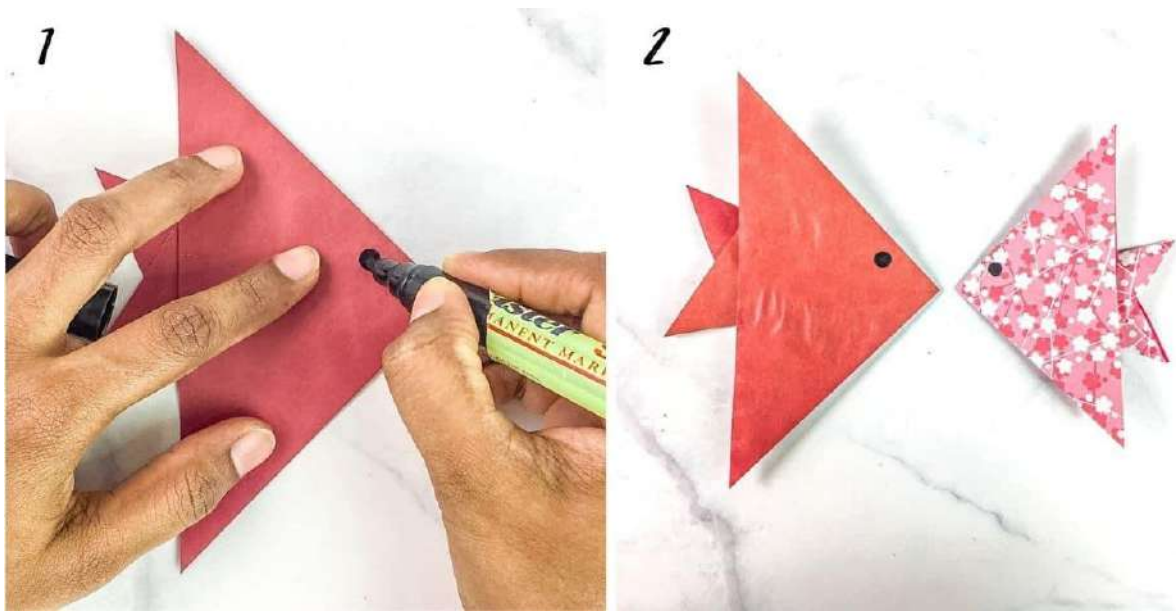
1. Position the triangle on your workspace as shown.
2. Lift the top section of the triangle as shown.
3. Fold it to the center of the triangle.
4. And then fold the folded section into half.
5. Press the folds firmly.
6. This is how the paper should look like after the folding.

Step 4: Completing the fish tail



1. Unfold the section. You will see 3 folded lines.
2. With that section of the triangle still unfolded, bring the bottom flap (opposite section of the triangle) to the first line as shown. This makes half of the tail fin.
3. Press it down firmly.
4. Next, refold the earlier unfolded section along the first folded line (also where the opposite section of the triangle folded in the step above ends).
5. This is how it should look like.
6. Turn the folded paper over.

Step 5: Marking the eyes



1. To complete the paper fish, mark its eye in black marker.
2. And this is how the completed fish should look like.

