## Paper Lantern

## You will need:

Lantern Template

Red paper (optional)

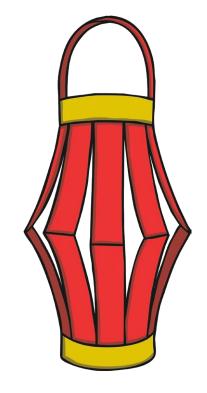
Red and gold paint/coloured pens

Scissors

Glue

Sticky tape

Stapler



## **Instructions**

- 1. Print the Lantern Template onto plain or red paper, as desired.
- 2. Cut off one end of the paper and set aside to make the handle.
- 3. Decorate the sheet using coloured pens or paint (red and gold are the traditional Chinese New Year colours).
- 4. Fold the paper in half lengthwise along the dashed line.
- 5. Cut along the marked lines on the sheet Do not cut to the edge of the paper.
- 6. Unfold the paper.
- 7. Curve the paper round to form a cylinder shape.
- 8. Tape the two ends of the paper together to create your lantern.
- 9. Staple the handle to the top of the lantern.





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