MAKE YOUR OWN GIFT BAGS

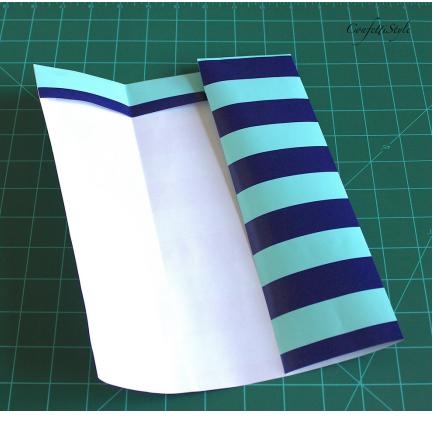


Supplies:

- Wrapping Paper
- Ribbon
- Scissors or Rotary Blade
- Double-sided Tape
- Hole Punch



- Cut Paper to desired size
- Fold top edge over approx. 3/4". This will be the top edge of the bag



 Fold both sides in so they meet in the middle and overlap approx. 1/4"



 Secure folded edges with doublesided tape



 Fold the bottom edge of the bag up approx. 2 1/2".



 Open bottom fold and flatten sides to form a wide diamond pattern.

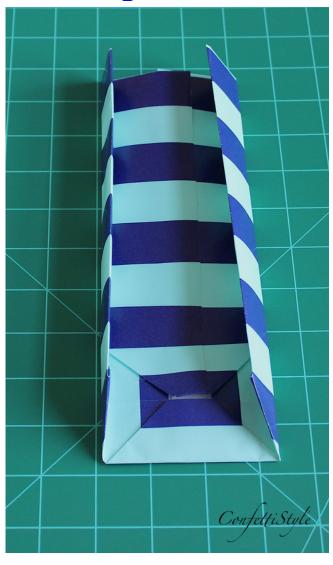


- Fold the top and bottom edges of the bottom fold towards the center , overlapping slightly
- Secure the overlapping edge with tape



- Crease the folds so the edges are sharp
- Insert your hand into the bag and push each side out to open the bag

 To create flat sides for your bag, fold each edge towards the center using the corner of the bottom as the fold guide





- Punch holes on the front and back of the bag, at the top
- Thread your ribbon through the holes to make your handles