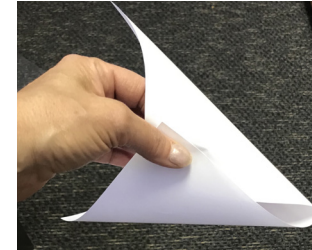


# HOW TO FOLD A PAPER DUTCH HAT

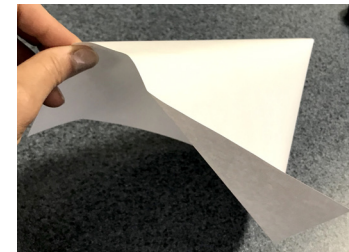
**First you need a paper placemat.** For the Holland Festival, we like to get the placemats that look like they have lace on the edges. These can be found on Amazon, Oriental Trading or some party supply stores. The approximate dimensions are 11.5" x 15.5".



**Make a cone with your placemat.** You can make a cone by taking two corners on the long side of the rectangle (see numbers 1 & 2 to the left) and bring them towards each other, overlapping.



**Staple or tape where the two edges meet.** This is the back of the hat. For the Holland Festival, we have always just stapled them because we have to make so many, but it's up to you.



**Fold both front corners back at an angle to form the wings of the hat.** Tada! You're done!

## HOW TO WEAR YOUR PAPER DUTCH HAT

No! →



**Do not wear your hat with the point straight up!** To wear it properly, the point must go towards the back of your head so that the wings of the hat frame your smiling face. You can hold it in place with bobby pins in the back. Sometimes you need one in the front.



← Yes!