

Napkin Flower Garland



1. Get everything ready.
This is what you'll need:

- glitter paper
- bright colored crepe / tissue paper
- a large sharp needle
- thick thread
- sharp scissors
- glue stick / double sided tape
- 1-2 packs of small napkins

We used our large assorted pastel napkins, although if you use small ones you'll have less wastage.



2. One napkin will make one flower.
Fold the napkin in half, corner to corner, and then fold in half again.

Make sure the point that you are folding from doesn't have the cut edges.



3. Three inches along the napkin cut across, this is the shape of the top of your petal.

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4. Varying the shape that you cut will produce different flower shapes.

Have fun being creative!



5. Fold your flower shape out. Peel apart the 3 layers and restack out of alignment. If you're using napkins that have a colored design layer like our pastel or rainbow napkins, place the colored layers either on the top or bottom of the flower and use the white layers for the rest. The top will be the center of the flower.



6. Pinch and fold your layers centrally from the underside making a flower shape.

Sew through carefully.



7. Loop around and sew through again.

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- 8.** Gently pull the thread to hold the flower in place.



- 9.** Tease the layers open to create a fuller flower.



- 10.** Cut a fringe into a 1.7 inch piece of crepe/ tissue paper, as thin as possible. Fold a 4 inch piece of glitter paper in half then cut a leaf shape out, leave one end uncut.



- 11.** Roll up the fringe. Unfold the leaf

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- 12.** Use a glue stick or double sided tape to attach the rolled up fringe stamen into the middle of the flower.



- 13.** Glue or tape the leaf around the thread.

Repeat this process with the other napkin flowers.

If you want a short full garland sew them close together or stagger them for a long style of garland.



Hope you enjoy making them!