

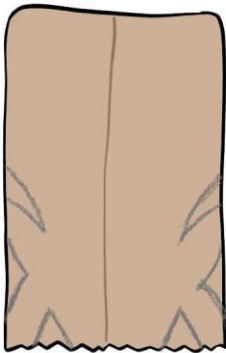
3D Paperbag Snowflakes

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Materials:

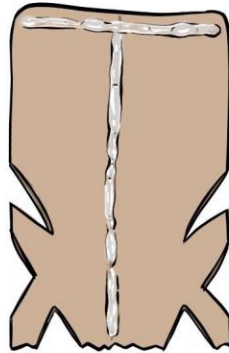
8 Mini Bags (3"), **OR** 7 Medium Bags (7")
OR 6 Large (Standard Lunch Bag, 10" approx.)
Hot Glue Gun & Glue, Scissors, Pencil, Hole Punch, Yarn

Step 1



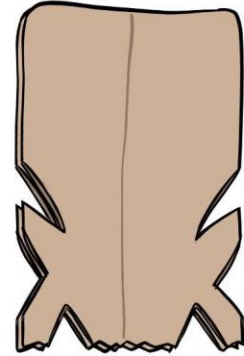
Trace template onto all bags.
Cut shapes out of each bag BEFORE gluing together.

Step 2



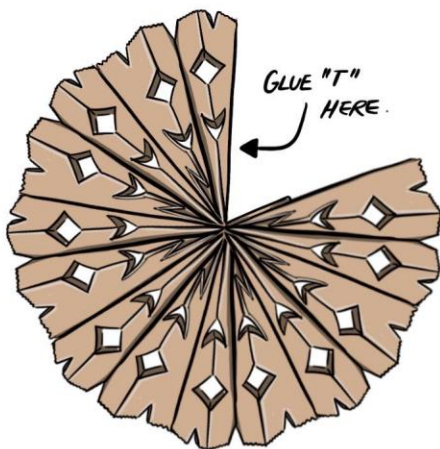
(With folded bottom side down)
Using hot glue gun, glue a capital "T" shape with a horizontal line at the base and vertical line going down seam to bag opening/top.

Step 3



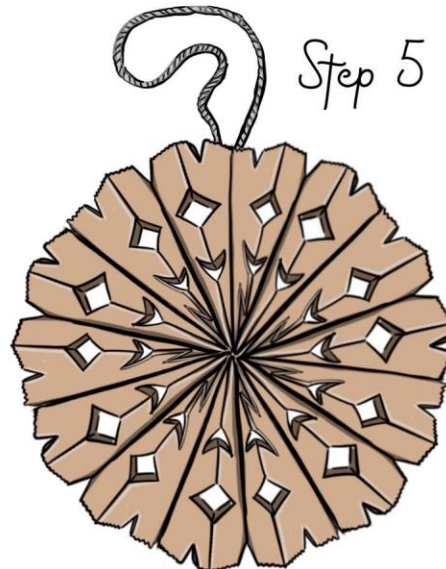
(With folded bottom side down)
Place next bag on top, pressing down the bag firmly onto hot glue. Repeat step 2 and step 3 until you have used all bags.

Step 4



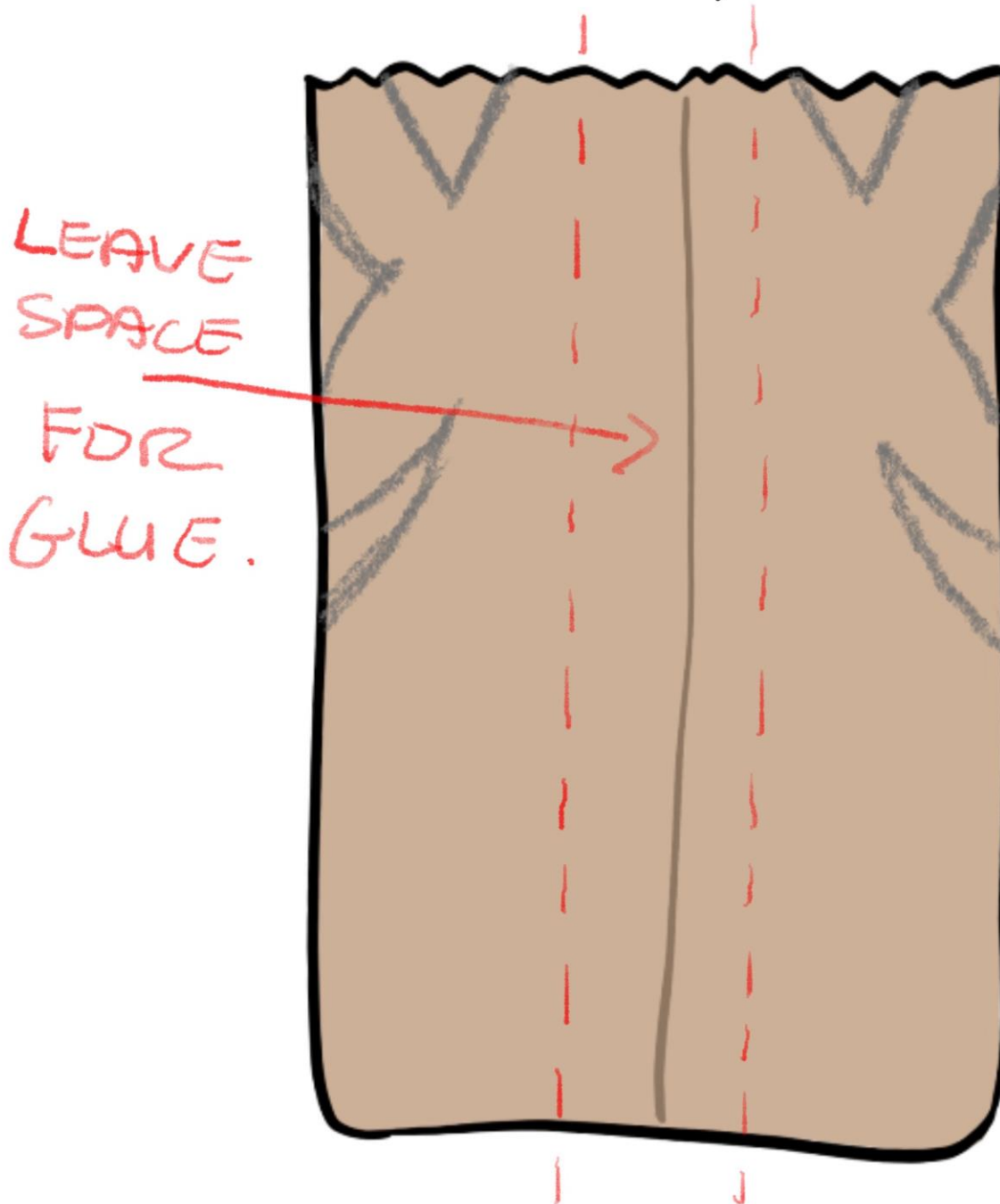
Carefully fan out snowflake.
Add hot glue in capital "T" shape as in step 2. Press snowflake closed.

Step 5



Either tape yarn or punch hole and add yarn to hang your snowflake.

Tips for Creating a Template



- draw your cut lines in pencil on one bag, leaving a space down the center (see red suggested space in picture). Try draw the same shapes on both sides.
- keep your design toward top of the bag, keeping in mind the bag bottom is folded up around 1/3 of the bag.
 - Less is more! Try only adding 2 or 3 shapes on each side.
- once you have cut out 1 bag use it as a template for your other bags. Once you have cut all the bags, you can use an eraser to remove any pencil marks for a cleaner look.
- this tutorial was created for mini bags, for regular size lunch bags or bigger, you may only need 6 bags instead of 8.