

# Books & Learning

## ORIGAMI FOR KIDS

*Recommended for Ages 6 - 12*

Learn about origami, the ancient art of paper folding, through fiction and nonfiction. Then start folding your own paper and turning it into amazing art.

### Books

[\*The Strange Case of Origami Yoda\*](#) by Tom Angleberger

[\*Origami Folding Frenzy: Boats, Fish, Cranes, and More!\*](#) by Christopher Harbo

[\*Make Origami Insects and Spiders\*](#) by Ruth Owen

### LA County Library Resources

[\*DIY Library Program: Origami Balloon\*](#)

[\*DIY Library Program: Origami Sailboat\*](#)

Join our LA County Library MakMo Librarians for step-by-step video guides on making origami creations using standard 8.5" x 11" paper.

### Online Learning

*Khan Academy: Hexaflexagons*

<https://khanacademy.org/math/math-for-fun-and-glory/vi-hart/hexaflexagons/v/hexaflexagons>

Explore hexaflexagons, a multi-sided shape, and then learn how to create your own from paper.

### Streaming Videos from Kanopy

*Artzooka: Episode 12*

[lacounty.kanopy.com/video/artzooka-episode-12](https://lacounty.kanopy.com/video/artzooka-episode-12)

Learn how to create an origami lion, among other arts & crafts projects.

### Useful Websites

*Sesame Street: Jumping Fold-a-Frog Craft*

[ca.pbslearningmedia.org/resource/sesame-craft-frog/jumping-fold-a-frog-craft-sesame-street](https://ca.pbslearningmedia.org/resource/sesame-craft-frog/jumping-fold-a-frog-craft-sesame-street)

Watch how to fold an origami frog and then make your own by downloading their Jumping Fold-a-Frog craft sheet.