Rectangular Box from a rectangle

Copy paper or scrapbooking paper works best.

**Finished box size:**
Length & Width are 1/2 of the paper size
Depth is 1/2 of the width
ex. 8½ x 11 inch paper = W 4¼” x L 5½” x D 2½”

1. Begin white side up. Valley fold and unfold.
2. Valley fold the sides to the center.
3. Unfold.
4. Valley fold and unfold.
5. Valley fold to the center.
6. Valley fold the folded edge to the crease line. Repeat on the all corners.
7. Valley fold the edges.
8. Open up and shape into a box.
9. Box completed. If you want to make a lid, the size of the box bottom’s paper should be slightly smaller.

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