DJECO DJ08773

DJECO DJ08773 Origami Fortune Tellers Instruction Manual

Guide to creating and playing with your DJECO Origami Fortune Tellers.

Introduction

The DJECO DJ08773 Origami Fortune Tellers kit provides materials and instructions for creating traditional paper fortune tellers, also known as cootie catchers. This kit includes patterned papers and fun tasks to enhance the creative and play experience. Follow this manual for clear guidance on assembly and use.

Package Contents

Before beginning, please ensure all components are present in your kit:

- Assorted patterned origami papers
- Stickers with various tasks or characters
- Instruction leaflet (this manual provides detailed steps)



Image: The DJECO DJ08773 kit contents, including patterned papers and character stickers.



Image: A stack of the various patterned origami papers provided in the kit.

Setup

No complex setup is required for this craft kit. Simply unpack all the materials from the box. Choose a clean, flat surface to begin your origami folding. Ensure you have adequate space to work with the paper sheets.

Operating (Folding Instructions)

Follow these steps to create your origami fortune teller:

1. **Prepare the Paper:** Start with a square sheet of paper, patterned side down.
2. **Fold Diagonally:** Fold the paper in half diagonally to form a triangle, then unfold. Repeat this fold in the other diagonal direction and unfold. You should have an 'X' crease pattern.
3. **Fold Corners to Center:** Take each of the four corners and fold them inwards so that their points meet precisely at the center intersection of the creases. This will form a smaller square.
4. **Flip and Repeat:** Flip the paper over to the other side. Again, take each of the four new corners and fold them inwards to meet at the center. This will form an even smaller square.
5. **Fold in Half:** Fold the entire square in half horizontally, then unfold. Repeat by folding it in half vertically, then unfold. These creases will help form the fortune teller's pockets.
6. **Form the Pockets:** Insert your thumbs and index fingers into the four flaps on the underside of the fortune teller. Gently push the corners inwards to make the fortune teller take its final shape.



Image: A partially folded fortune teller, showing the flat inner sections where tasks or numbers can be written.



Image: A fully folded DJECO Origami Fortune Teller, ready for playing.

Playing the Game

Once your fortune teller is folded, it's time to customize it and play:

1. **Decorate and Label:** On the four outer flaps, you can write colors or numbers. On the eight inner triangles, write numbers.
2. **Add Tasks/Fortunes:** Lift the flaps of the inner triangles. Underneath each, you can write a task, a fortune, or use the provided stickers. The kit includes 20 fun tasks that can be glued into these sections.



Image: Examples of the small circular stickers that can be used for tasks or decoration.

How to Play:

- A player holds the fortune teller with their thumbs and index fingers in the four pockets.
- Another player chooses a color or number from the outer flaps.
- The holder manipulates the fortune teller by opening and closing it, alternating between horizontal and vertical movements, counting out the chosen number of movements.
- When the counting stops, the player chooses one of the visible inner numbers.
- The holder opens the flap corresponding to that number to reveal the task or fortune underneath.

Maintenance & Care

To ensure the longevity of your fortune tellers and papers:

- Store unused papers flat in a dry place to prevent creasing or damage.
- Keep the papers away from moisture and direct sunlight to prevent fading or warping.
- Completed fortune tellers can be stored in a box or drawer to protect them from dust and damage.

Troubleshooting

If you encounter any difficulties, consider the following:

- **Difficulty with Folds:** Ensure you are making crisp, precise folds. Using a ruler or a blunt object to press along the creases can help.
- **Fortune Teller Not Shaping Correctly:** Double-check that all corners were folded accurately to the center. The final folds to create the pockets require gentle manipulation.
- **Stickers Not Adhering:** Ensure the paper surface is clean and dry before applying stickers. Press firmly for good adhesion.

Specifications

Brand	DJECO
Model Number	DJ08773

Material	Paper
Product Dimensions (L x W x H)	8.66 x 0.39 x 8.66 inches
Item Weight	3.52 ounces
Recommended Uses	Crafting

Warranty Information

Specific warranty details for the DJECO DJ08773 Origami Fortune Tellers are not provided in the product information. Please refer to the manufacturer's official website or contact your retailer for any applicable warranty policies.

Support

For further assistance or inquiries regarding your DJECO DJ08773 Origami Fortune Tellers kit, please visit the official DJECO website or contact their customer service department. Contact information can typically be found on the product packaging or the manufacturer's website.

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