



# SCIENCE SPARKS

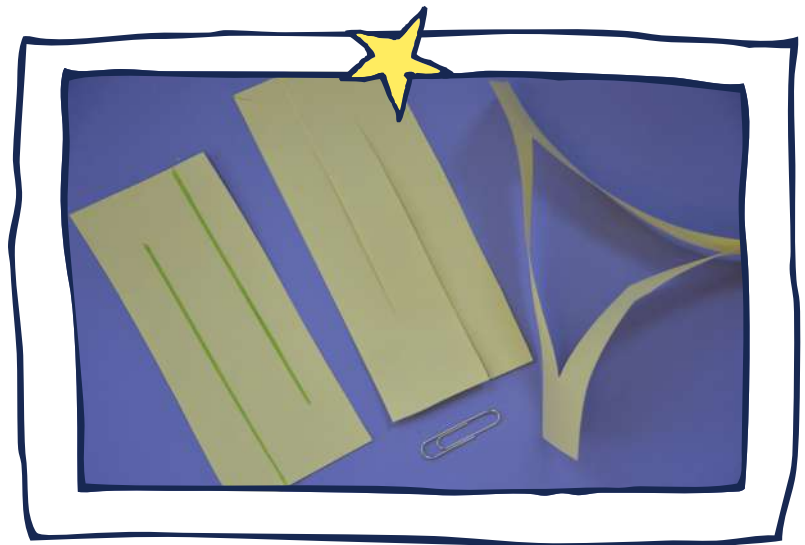
## Paper Spinners



Paper spinners are super easy to make and great fun for kids of all ages. All you need is paper, scissors and a paperclip. Drop the spinners from different heights and watch how they spin.

### Materials!

Paper  
Scissors  
Paperclip



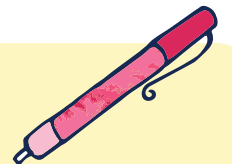
### Method!

Cut the paper into a rectangle about 6 cm across and 15 cm down.

Imagine the rectangle is split into 3, cut straight up the one third line, leaving about 1.5cm at the top.

Cut down the 2/3 line leaving 1.5 cm at the bottom.

Attach the two ends together with a paperclip.



### DISCUSS!

Make different sized spinners, which fall the fastest?

### Extension Tasks...

- Drop the spinners from different heights.
- Add extra weight.

