## **Origami Bat**

This origami bat is simple and incredibly effective - but you do have to cheat just a little and use scissors to form the ears!

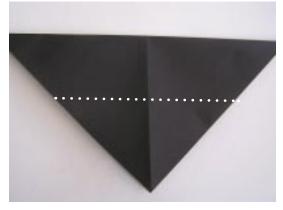




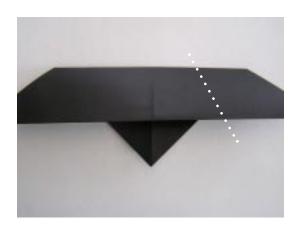
1. With colored side down, fold your square in half on the diagonal.



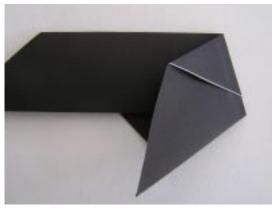
2. Unfold.



3. Fold in half the other way. Fold the top portion of the triangle down on the dotted line ...

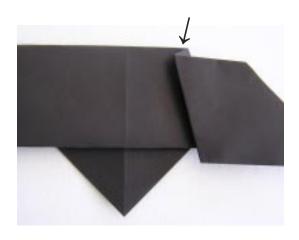


4. to get this. Now begin to form the wings. Fold one side in along the dotted line in the photo above ...



5. to look like this.

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6. Fold it back out again, making sure that the top of the wing is roughly parallel with the top of the model, and that you are beginning to form an ear (see arrow).



7. Now do the same with the other wing, folding it in ...



8. and out again. Using a sharp pair of scissors, trim away the section marked by the white line above, to form the bat's ears.



9.And he's ready to go!