Origami Shirt

This origami shirt is fun to fold but a little fiddly.

Make one for the front of a greetings card - perhaps for Dad? You could add an origami tie (use 2 1/2 inch square paper for the tie and 6 inch square paper for the shirt). Perhaps you could decorate the shirt in your favourite team's colours?





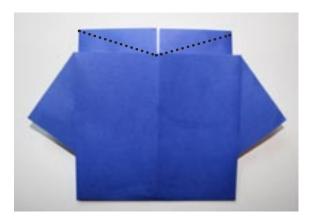
1. Start with your square face down. Fold in half horizontally and vertically, to crease, as shown.



2. Bring the sides into the centre. Fold the flaps out along the dotted lines, as shown....



3. ...so that your model looks like this. Now fold the bottom up towards the top along the dotted line, and crease well.



4. Your shirt is beginning to take shape! Form the collar by turning the top flaps down along the dotted lines.



5. Like so.

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6. Flip over. Continue to shape the collar by folding in the edges as shown ...



7. .. and make a tiny little fold at the top so that the proportions of the collar are right.





8. Flip over for your finished shirt! If you like, you can fold the shoulders back a tiny amount to give your shirt a slightly different shape, but it is not necessary.