

# MAKE YOUR OWN...

## Spanish fan



### What is a Spanish fan?

The first Spanish fans (**abanicos**) were crafted in the 17th century. They were originally hand-painted for noblemen and royalty. Today they are used in the Spanish dance style flamenco.



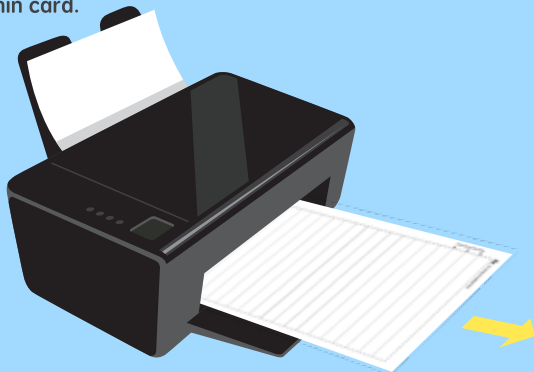
### You will need :

- an A4 sheet of thin card (**una cartulina**)
- a pair of safety scissors (**tijeras**)
- coloured pencils (**lápices de colores**)
- other materials for decoration - these could include:
  - paints (**pinturas**)
  - feathers (**plumas**)
  - sequins (**lentejuelas**)
  - beads (**cuentas**)

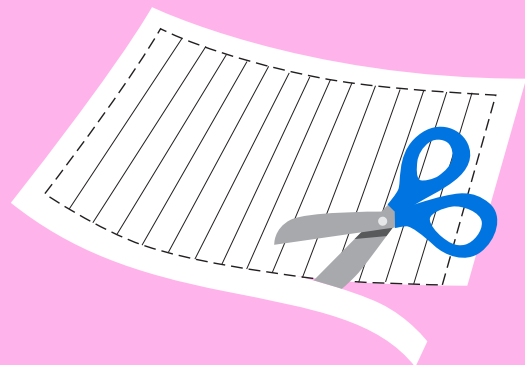


### Method :

- 1** Print out (**imprimir**) the template (**plantilla**) onto an A4 sheet of thin card.



- 2** Carefully cut out (**cortar**) the fan along the dotted lines.



- 3** Decorate (**decorar**) the fan however you like.



- 4** Fold (**doblar**) the card back and forward into a fanfold.



Pinch at the base to form a handle.

