Iris Folding
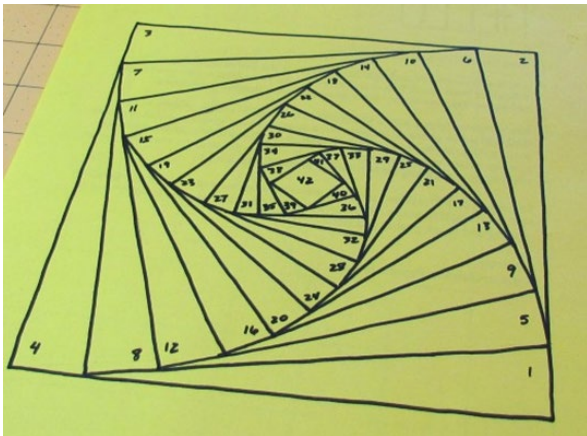
What you'll need:

- Several sheets of different coloured paper or card
- Glue Stick
- Scissors
- Iris folding pattern

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- Choose a colour of paper and cut a strip of paper that is wider than your numbered section when folded.
- Fold it lengthwise and place over the section, starting with section number 1. Be sure the fold is towards the centre and is facing up.

- Cut another colour strip and fold lengthwise, placing it over section number 2, gluing the two strips together with a glue stick. Repeat this process going around, being sure to do the sections in numerical order.

- The final piece is a simple square glued to cover the centre.
- Flip your project over and you will be thrilled at the effect!

If you want to turn this into a greeting card follow these further steps:

- Use a new piece of card. Fold it in half. On one half draw and cut out a shape in the middle of the card that is a bit smaller than the finished Iris Fold.
- Glue your Iris Fold to the inside of the card.