

## Gift Box from A Greeting Card – Upcycle Project

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### Materials:

Recycled Gift Card

Scissors

Ruler

Pencil

Glue

Paper Clips



### Directions:

1. Cut the card in half.
2. Trim 1/4<sup>th</sup> to 1/8<sup>th</sup> inch from the back of the card.
3. With your pencil and ruler draw a light line, on the inside of the card, from top corner to opposite corner on the bottom. Do both sides so you have an "X" on the card. Do this for the front half of the card and the back half.
4. Fold each side up to the center of the "X". Crease the edges. Do this for the front and back of card. After you have folded all the sides, erase your pencil marks.
5. Use scissors to cut on both fold lines at top and bottom of the front of the card. Repeat this step for the back of card (on the short edge.) Only cut up as far as the intersecting fold line.
6. Fold the sides up and bend the tab in and fold the ends over the tab. Do this for both halves of the card.
7. Put glue under the end pieces and secure with paper clips until it dries.

**Viola! You have a gift box!**