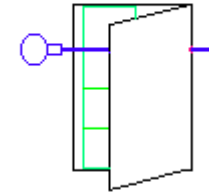




First fold your sheets into a signature. With this method you can bind anything from 4 up to 120 pages and a card cover. (Remember, one folded sheet gives four pages.)



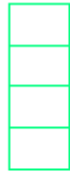
Fold it in half again.



Use a sharp awl to punch three holes, one for each guide line.



Next get yourself a sheet of paper the same height as the signature.



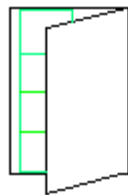
Now unfold it. You should see clear fold lines which will be used as guides.



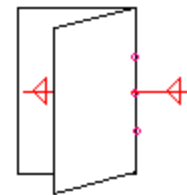
The signature should now have three holes punched in it.



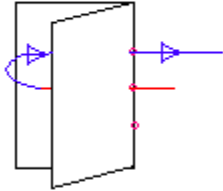
Fold your sheet in half.



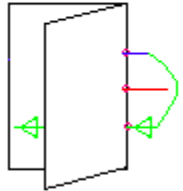
Place the sheet with the guide lines between the middle pages of your signature.



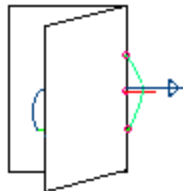
Use a heavy thread and a wide-eyed craft needle. Pass the needle from back to middle pages.



Then back through the top hole.



Return to middle pages through the bottom hole.



Finally, through the centre hole to the back again. Tighten the thread as necessary. Make sure the book still opens easily. Tie the two threads. Now you have a hand-sewn chapbook. Don't forget to leave it under a weight for flattening.

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