Eid Lantern Craft:

- 3 different colored papers, cut in half
- a ruler
- colored pencils or markers
- Glue
- 4 Paperclips
- Stapler
- Pencil,
- Scissors
- 3 Paper strips 6in x 3/4in in any colors

Basic Instructions (watch the video on the SDPL Virtual Hub for more details):

Step 1: Select Paper, Cut Handle and FoldStep
Fold the sheets of paper in half lengthwise. Cut off 3 strips of paper ½" wide from one end of the paper that measures the width of the paper—5" or 6".

2: Mark Lines and Cut
Mark a line across the length of the folded paper ½" in from the open edge. Make marks every ½" along this line, then draw lines at each mark straight to the folded edge—marking ½" wide strips.
Cut on these lines from the folded edge to the original marked line. Cut through both layers of paper. Open the paper flat. If the marks are very noticeable, gently erase them.

Step 3: Tape
Bring the edges together in a cylindrical shape with the cut strips running vertically. Be sure that the fold is on the outside of the lantern. Tape the edges together at the top, middle, and bottom. *You may use staples instead of tape. Glue one strip unto the top of the lantern, and one at the bottom.*

Step 4: Add Handle and Hang
Attach the handle, cut in Step 1, to one end of the lantern with tape or staples.
The lanterns will stand on their own. They can be hung individually from their handles or loosely tied at intervals along a cord or rope hung overhead.