Pinwheels are like wind turbines. They need wind to move. Here’s how to make your own.

You need:
- Recycled Paper (large greeting cards or wallpaper from old books work great)
- Scissors
- A push pin
- A pencil with an eraser on one end

Here’s how to make it:
1. Cut out the square (about 6” by 6”) and cut along the shaded lines, but do NOT cut all the way to the center (where circle is).
2. Curl up the corners so that the corner hole marks line up with the center hole.
3. Stick the pushpin through all the holes, and into the side of the pencil eraser.
4. Hold the pencil and blow so the wheel spins. (Sometimes easier to blow on the side of the pinwheel)
5. Pretend you’re the wind, blowing on a wind turbine. When the blades spin, the turbine makes electricity.