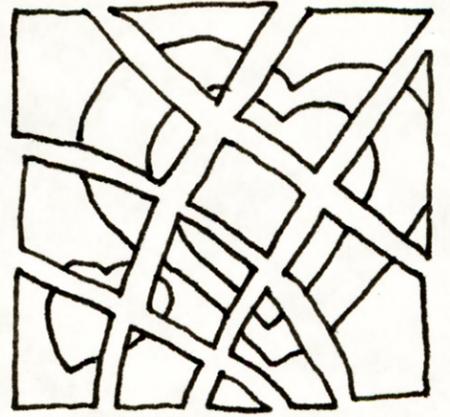


PUZZLES

Materials needed: scrap white posterboard.

MAKE YOUR OWN



1. Draw image.
(on white posterboard)



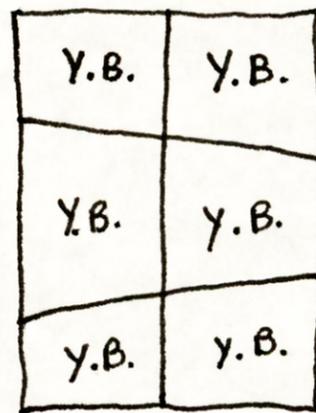
Draw BIG!!

Fill the whole paper!!!

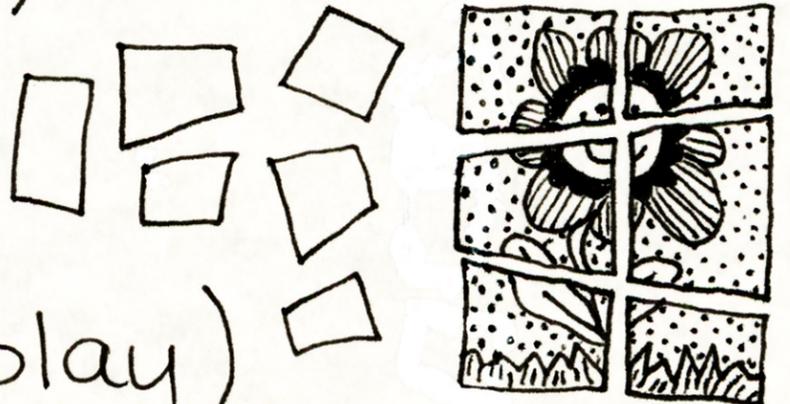
2. Color the whole image.
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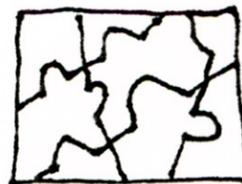
3. Draw lines on back.
(write initials)



4. Cut out.
(turn over and play)



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MORE CHALLENGING/ADVANCED TECHNIQUES.

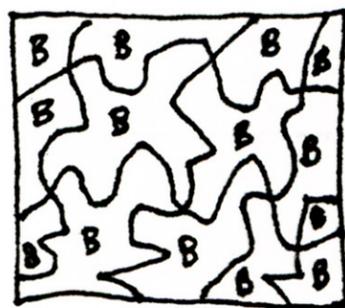
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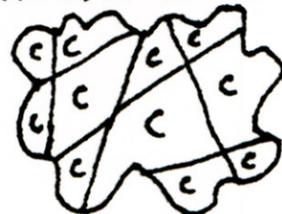


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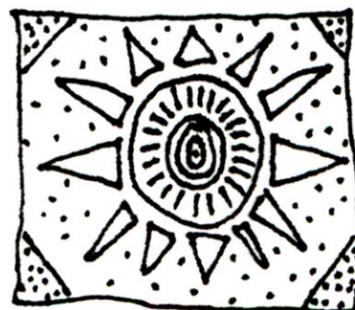
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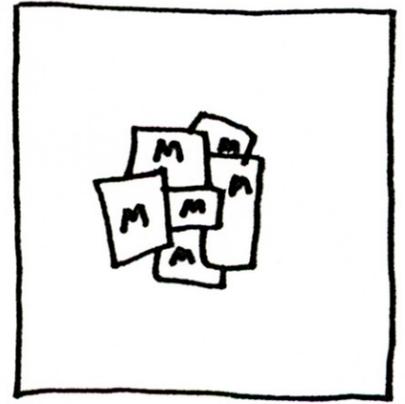
Materials

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- Markers/Pencil
- Scissors

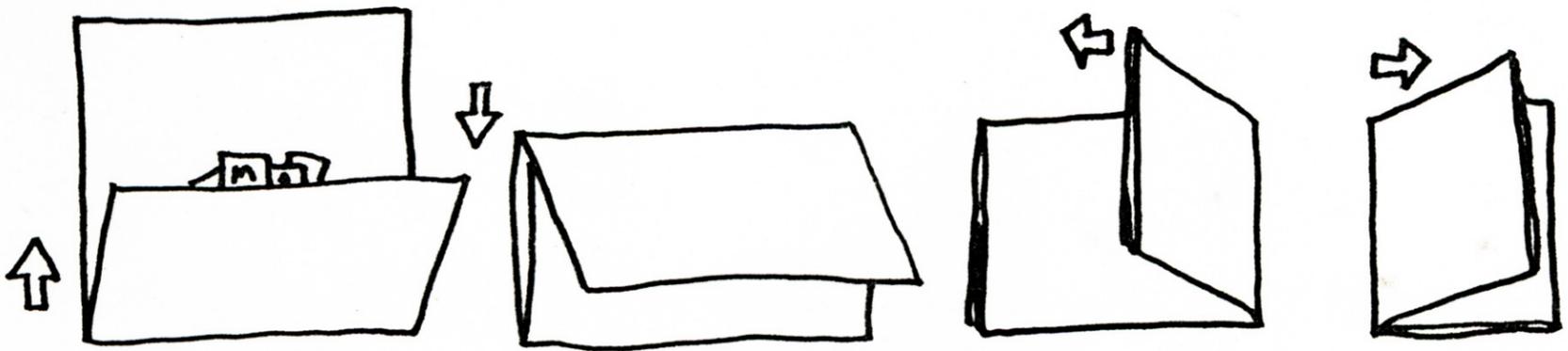
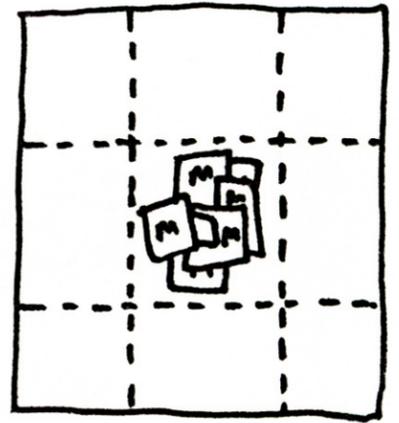


HOW TO MAKE A SIMPLE ENVELOPE FOR A PUZZLE

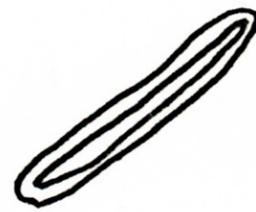
1. Place puzzle pieces in center of paper.



2. Begin folding.



3. Tie with rubber band.



Write your name on the outside.

* Strong paper like poster board or cardstock works best for puzzle making.

PUZZLES

Materials needed: scrap white poster board.

MAKE
YOUR
OWN



1. Draw image.
(on white
poster board)



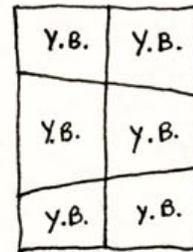
Draw
BIG!!

2. Color the
whole image.
(crayons and markers
work fine)

Fill the
whole paper!!!



3. Draw lines
on back.
(write initials)



4. Cut out.
(turn over and play)



* Use different initials, numbers, or symbols on the back of each new puzzle so if pieces get mixed up, they can be separated back into individual puzzles.

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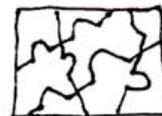
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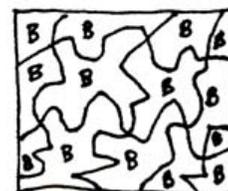
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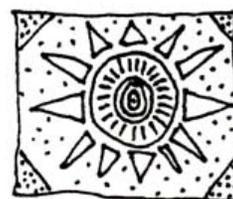
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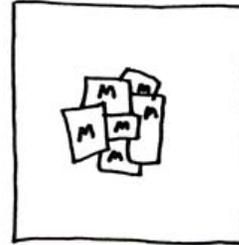
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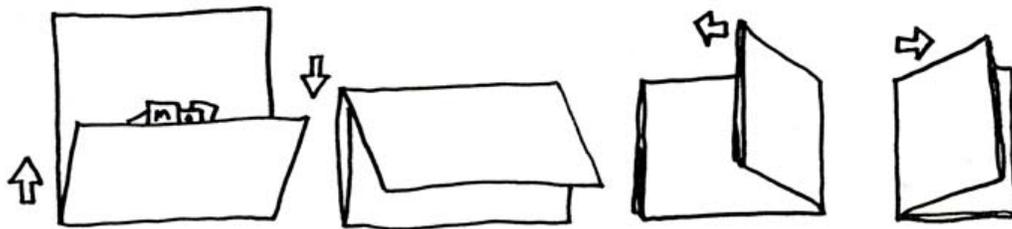
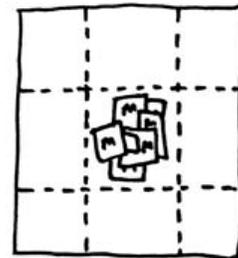
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PUZZLES

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MAKE YOUR OWN

BEGINNER



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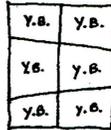
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(crayons and markers work fine)

Fill the whole paper!!!



3. Draw lines on back.
(write initials)



4. Cut out.
(turn over and play)



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PUZZLES AS MAKE YOUR OWN



ADVANCED

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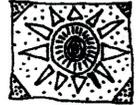
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STAND-UP CHARACTERS

BEGINNER

1. Draw BIG shapes.



2. Add Detail.



NOT

YES!! BIG (fill the whole paper)

3. Trace lines with marker.
(Thin markers work best.)



4. (Optional) Erase pencil lines.

5. Color (Patterns add interest)



6. Cut out. DON'T CUT BOTTOM!!!



7. Cut slots. Slip together.



Bottoms of both must be flat.

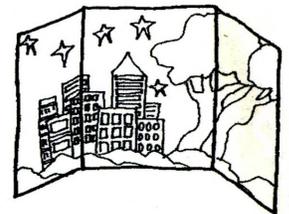
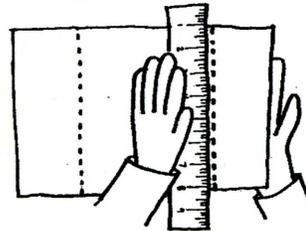
MATERIALS: Poster board (Good Use of Scrap Poster board)
Pencils/Erasers/Scissors/Colors.

★ You can use scrap fiber/cloth/yarn/buttons, etc. to embellish.

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STAND-UP EXTRAS

Create Scenery



- Use a ruler to help you fold posterboard.
- Fill the whole paper.

Create Props



Do Not cut bottoms. Bottoms must be flat for stability.

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