

Paper Fortune Teller (aka Cootie Catcher)

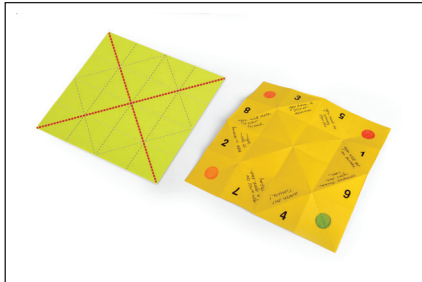


Figure A

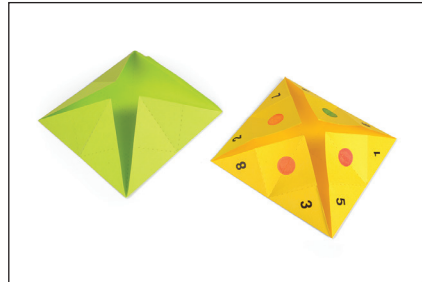


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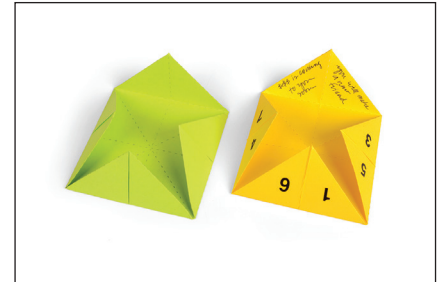


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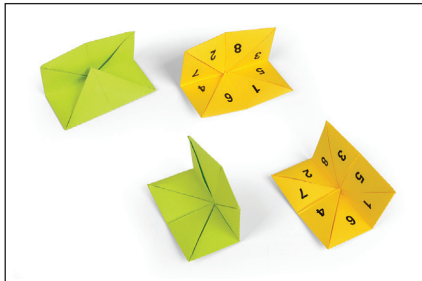


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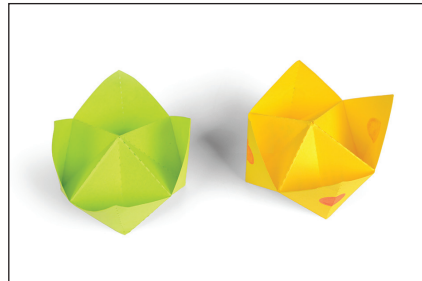


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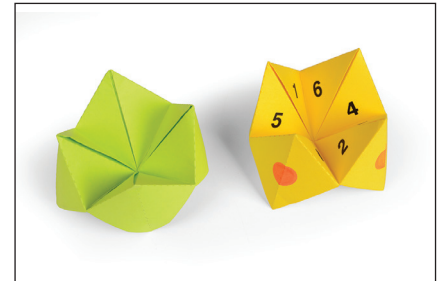


Figure F

The teacher will die-cut the materials for student use prior to the lesson.

1. Die-cut the Paper Fortune Teller from a lightweight paper, such as copy paper. Fold along the diagonal lines, using the perforated lines as a guide. Open the sheet back up to the square (Figure A).
2. Fold each corner into the center line, using perforations as a guide. Keep all four corners folded for the next step (Figure B).
3. Turn the folded paper over, and fold all four corners into the center (Figure C).
4. Turn the folded paper over again, and fold in half first horizontally. Open it up, and fold in half again vertically (Figure D).
5. Place your thumbs and forefingers inside each flap pocket, and move them back and forth to count out numbers and colors (Figure E).
6. Open the Paper Fortune Teller enough to label the four outside flaps (with colored dots) and all eight interior triangles (with numbers). Open each triangle section to write the fortunes underneath (Figure F).

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