

# Notes on assembly

Paper Craft parts are easier to work with when printed out on strong, thick paper (like postcard stock).

\*In creating these Paper Craft models we use 135kg Kent paper stock (0.18mm).

## TO BEGIN

### ■ Tools and materials needed

-Ruler -scissors - blade cutter or "Exacto-knife" - awl or other pointed tool (for making a folding crease) - felt pen - pin set - glue - hand towel ( for cleaning your fingers) - dictionary or other heavy book ( to press the papers flat).

### ■ Items of Caution

\*Take care when using sharp or pointed objects or when using bladed cutting tools. Place a heavy sheet of paper under the paper you want to cut.

\*Use glue and other adhesives only in well-ventilated areas.

\*When printing, use a slightly reduced font size. There may be differences in dimensions, depending on the type of printer used.

## HOW TO ASSEMBLE

\*Follow the working method and markings carefully.

\*Cut carefully along the outer line with cutting blade, Exacto-knife or scissors.

### One - point Advice

\*Cut carefully with cutting blade, Exacto-knife or scissors.

\*For folding parts, first use an awl or other pointed tool to make a light crease along the dotted or solid line. This will make the folds straight. Avoid making strong creases, as this will cause the paper to tear.

\*As an adhesive, white wood glue is recommended. Avoid over application as this will cause the paper to wrinkle.

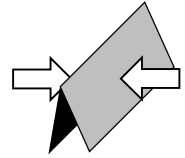
\*Before beginning assembly, test adhesive amounts on extra paper.

\*Occasionally, white spots will be apparent on folds and cuts. Use a marker or pencil to fill in these spots. It is recommended that this be done after each stage of assembly because coloring becomes more difficult once parts are assembled.

## Basic working method and markings

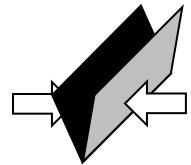
### ————— Solid lines

Fold along these lines. The printed surface should be on the outside of the folded shape.



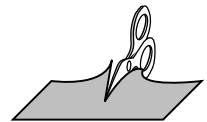
### - - - - - Broken lines

Fold along these lines. The printed surface should be on the inside of the folded shape.

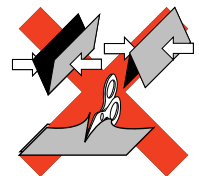


### ..... Dotted line

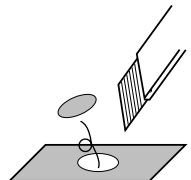
Cut along these lines.



Do not fold or cut the parts marked .



Cut out parts marked with an asterisk(\*).



Red dots are the reference positions for gluing surfaces.

