

make your own

Butterfly Jar!

DISCLAIMER

this printout has many small tabs that may make this craft more difficult in smaller sizes!



THE JAR HAS 5 SECTIONS



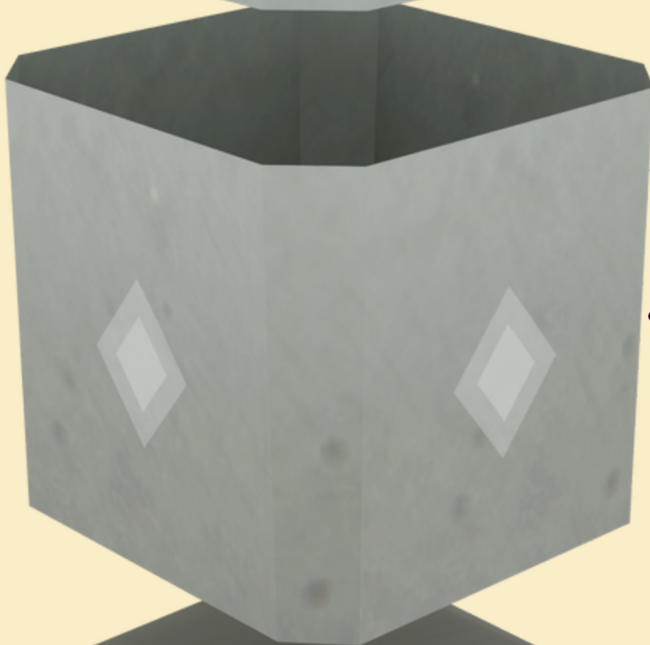
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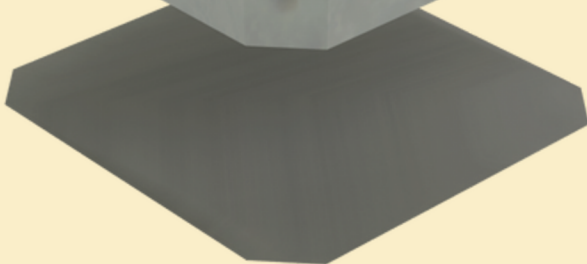
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← Sides (Upper)



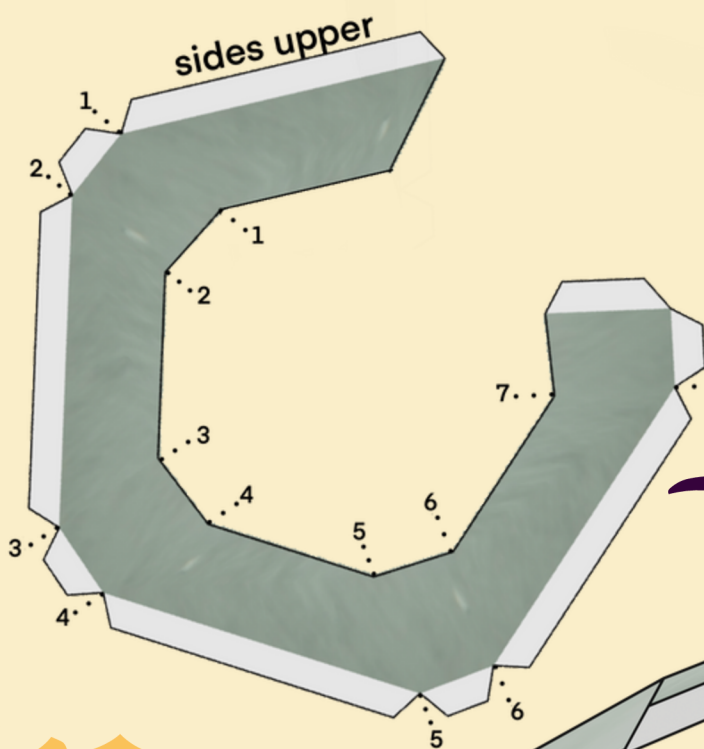
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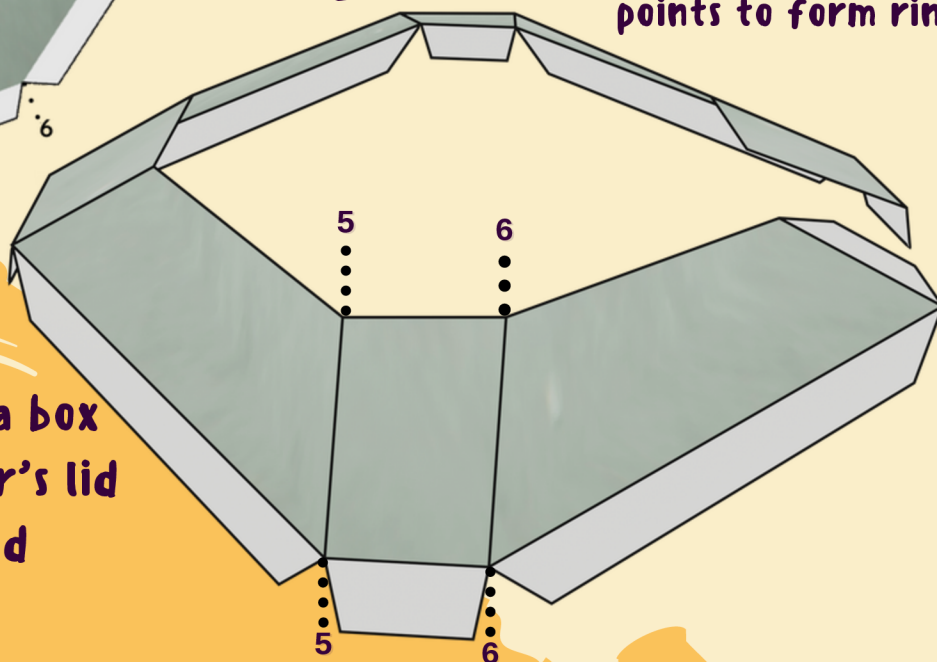
← Bottom

TIP 1 Number Guides

To keep things as pretty as possible and not mark fold lines across the jar itself, I've added number guides to the upper and lower sides so it's easier to tell which points form an edge



Fold between two matching points to form rings

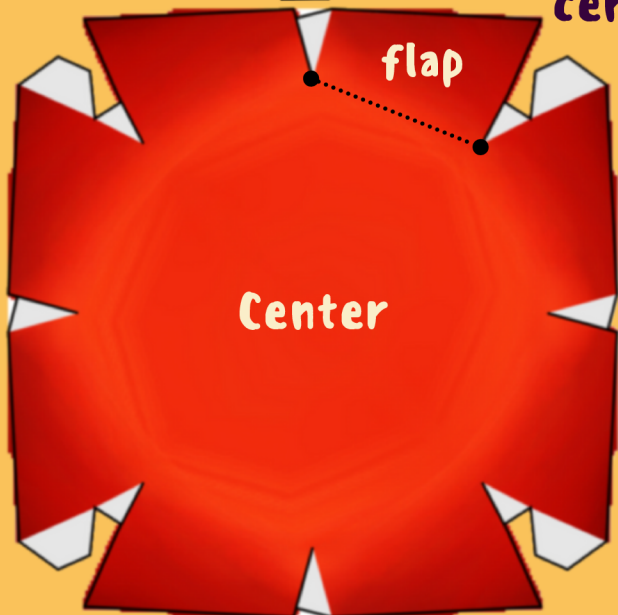


TIP 2 Box Folds

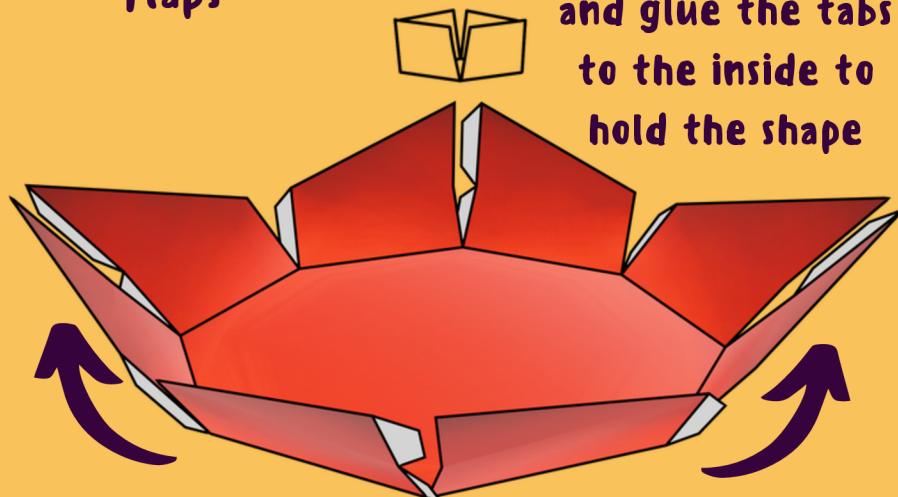
If you've ever folded a box out of a t-shape, the jar's lid and top are designed similarly



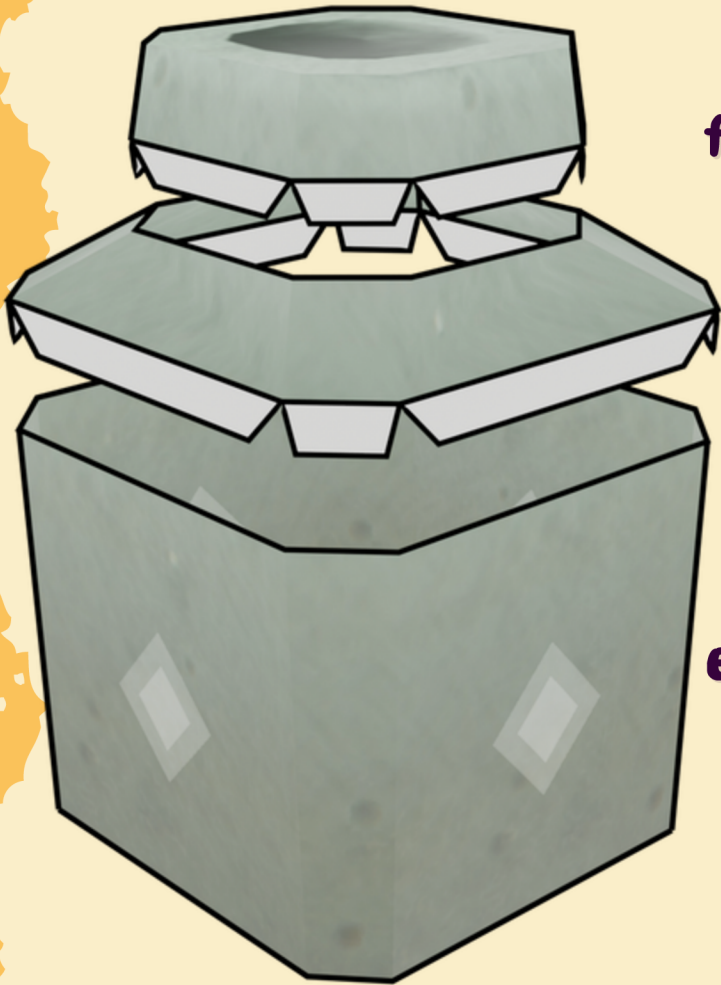
Both the lid and top have a center shape with outer flaps



Fold flaps upward and glue the tabs to the inside to hold the shape



FINAL ASSEMBLY



Once you've finished forming the two side rings and the top box, you're ready to connect it all together!

Glue each row of tabs to the inside of the next section below, then glue everything to the bottom.

The lid will stay separate so it can be removed to scan the code.

Gluing Tip

To help with gluing the bottom on, you can place something with a little bit of weight on top of the jar to apply pressure while the glue dries. This shouldn't crush the papercraft if you're using a firmer paper like cardstock, but do be careful if you're using standard printer paper!

