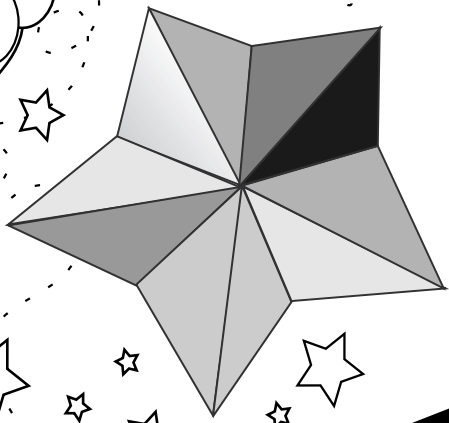


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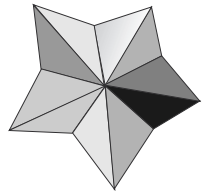
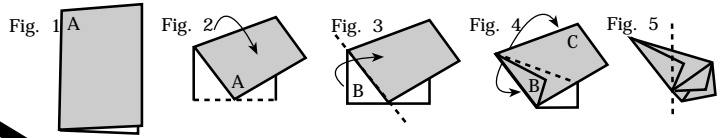
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The colored kraft paper that wraps the items in your party box, can be used to enhance your party fun! Here are some patterns and ideas that can inspire you to let your imagination soar!

## Star

1. Fold an 8 1/2-by- 11-inch sheet of paper in half. (Fig. 1)
2. Fold A to midpoint of dotted line. (Fig. 2)
3. Fold B up over dotted line. (Fig. 3)
4. Fold edge C BEHIND so it is even with edge B. (Fig. 4)
5. Cut along line shown in (Fig. 5); open.

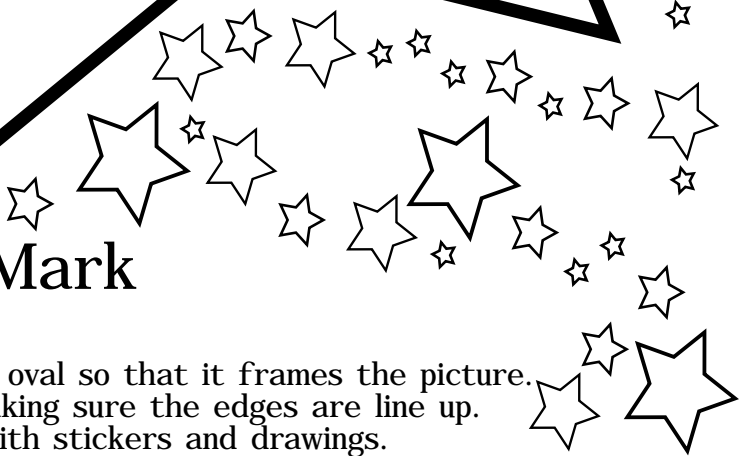
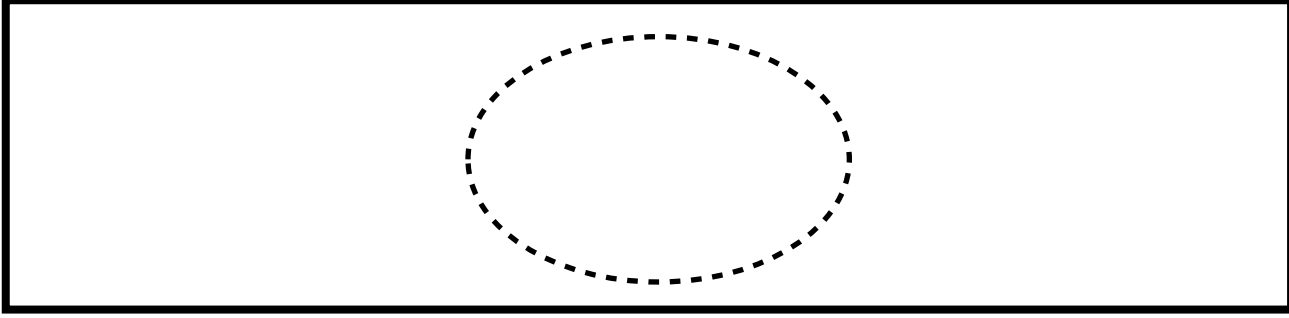


## Wrapping Paper

Cut a simple shape, such as a heart, star, circle, square, etc. out of a regular kitchen sponge. Pour some poster paint onto a saucer or other flat item. (Styrofoam meat trays work well!) Spread the kraft paper out on a flat surface. Dip sponge in paint, making sure to cover entire surface and sponge off excess. Stamp the sponge over the surface of paper to create a pattern. You can change colors or sprinkle glitter over the wet painted paper for pizzazz. Another variation is to cut an apple in half, dip it in the paint and stamp with apple.

## Book Mark

1. Trace and cut out 2 bookmarks.
2. Cut an oval from one bookmark.
3. Tape the child's picture behind the oval so that it frames the picture.
4. Glue both book marks together, making sure the edges are line up.
5. Have the children decorate them with stickers and drawings.



# Butterfly

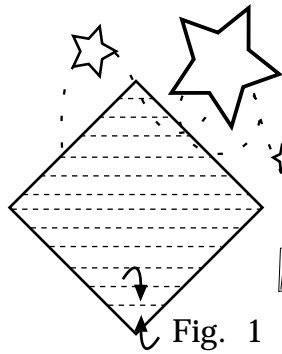


Fig. 1

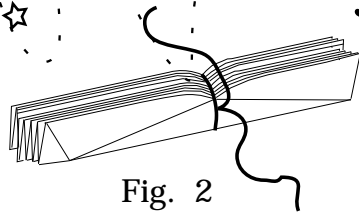


Fig. 2

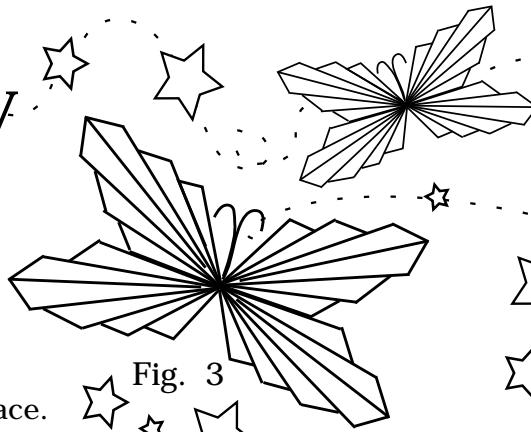
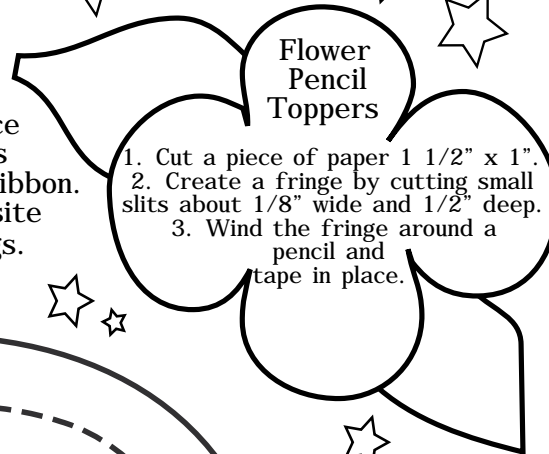


Fig. 3

1. Cut two 6" x 6" pieces of kraft paper.
2. Place the paper diagonally on a flat surface.
3. Starting from one corner, fan fold the paper evenly  $\frac{3}{8}$ " to the opposite end. Repeat with the second piece of kraft paper. (Fig. 1)
4. Take both folded kraft papers and attach the flat sides evenly together.
5. Tie both pieces together in the middle with a piece of curling ribbon. Curl ends in opposite directions to create antennas from the loose ends of the ribbon.
6. From the middle, bend the creased paper in opposite directions. Open them and fan out to create wings.

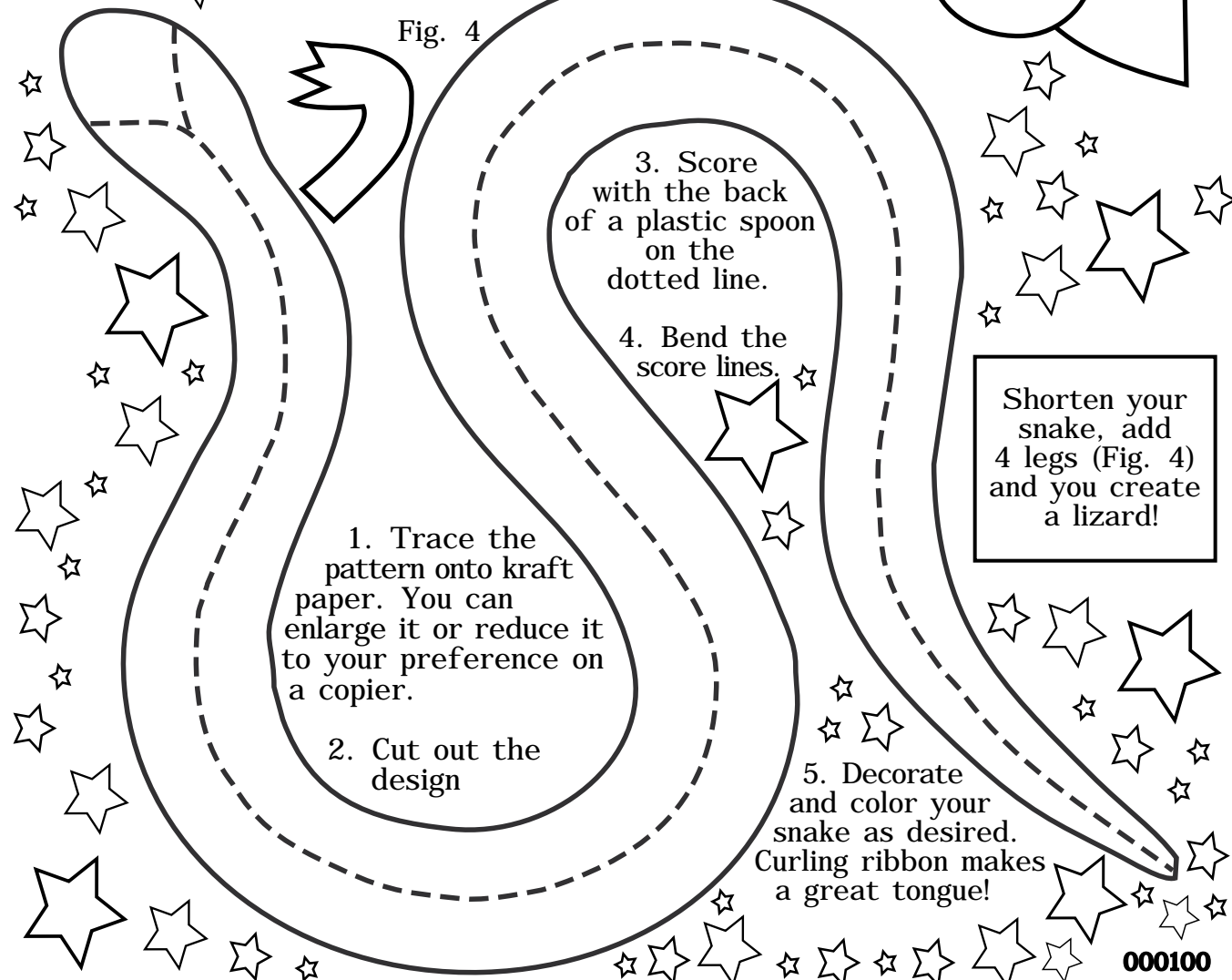


Flower Pencil Toppers

1. Cut a piece of paper  $1\frac{1}{2}$ " x 1".
2. Create a fringe by cutting small slits about  $\frac{1}{8}$ " wide and  $\frac{1}{2}$ " deep.
3. Wind the fringe around a pencil and tape in place.

# Snake

Fig. 4



1. Trace the pattern onto kraft paper. You can enlarge it or reduce it to your preference on a copier.
2. Cut out the design

3. Score with the back of a plastic spoon on the dotted line.

4. Bend the score lines.

5. Decorate and color your snake as desired. Curling ribbon makes a great tongue!

Shorten your snake, add 4 legs (Fig. 4) and you create a lizard!