



Naseby Project Badge

Squirrels Activity 2

Activity 2

As we learned in Activity 1, the Battle of Naseby was fought between two sides: the Cavaliers and the Roundheads. This activity is split into two parts.

Part One – Roundheads Vs Cavaliers

For Part One, the Squirrels will have the chance to create their own helmets, inspired by those worn in the Battle of Naseby.

On the following sheets, you'll find instructions and templates for making the two types of helmets.

You will need:

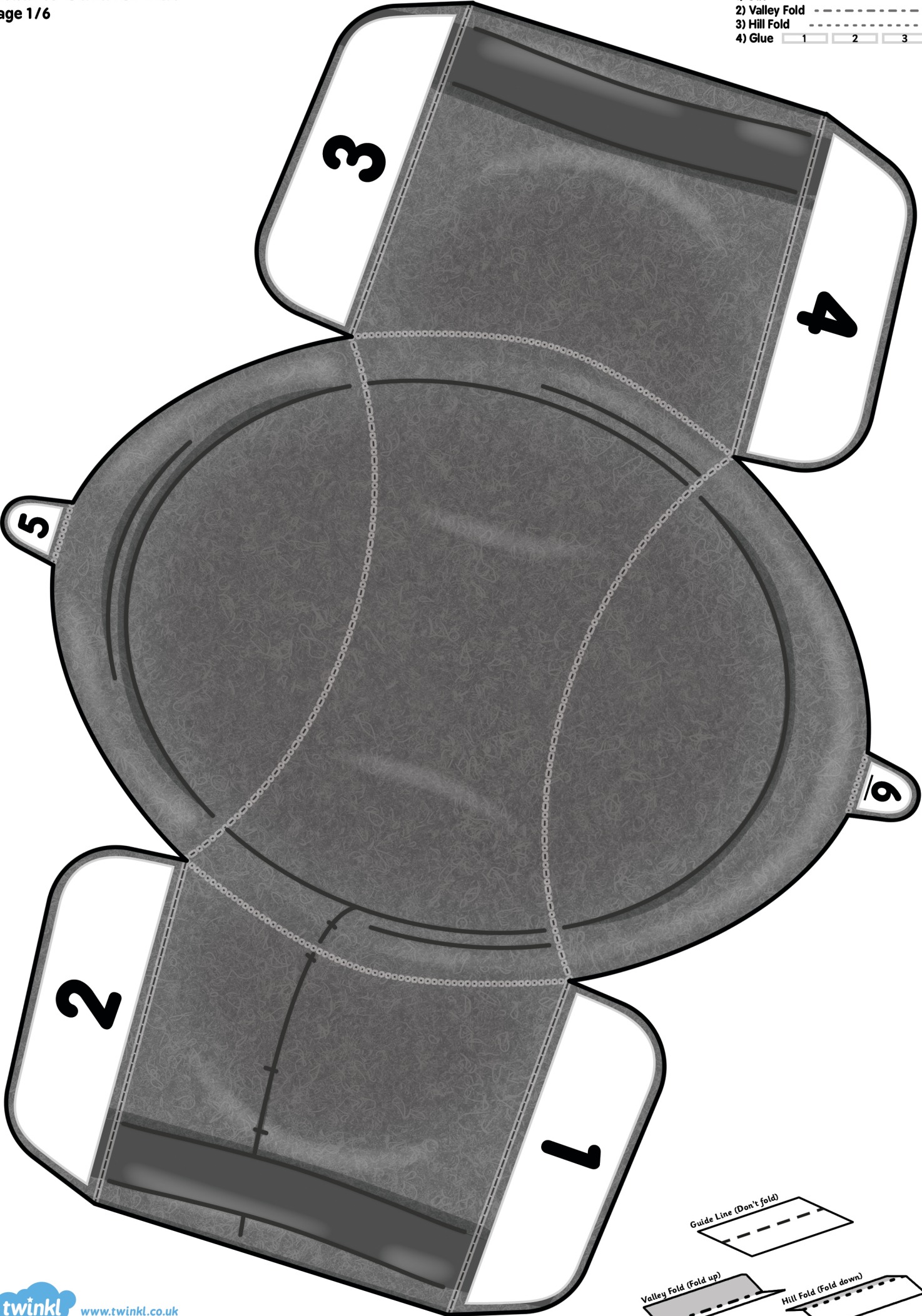
- Helmet Template
- Scissors
- Glue

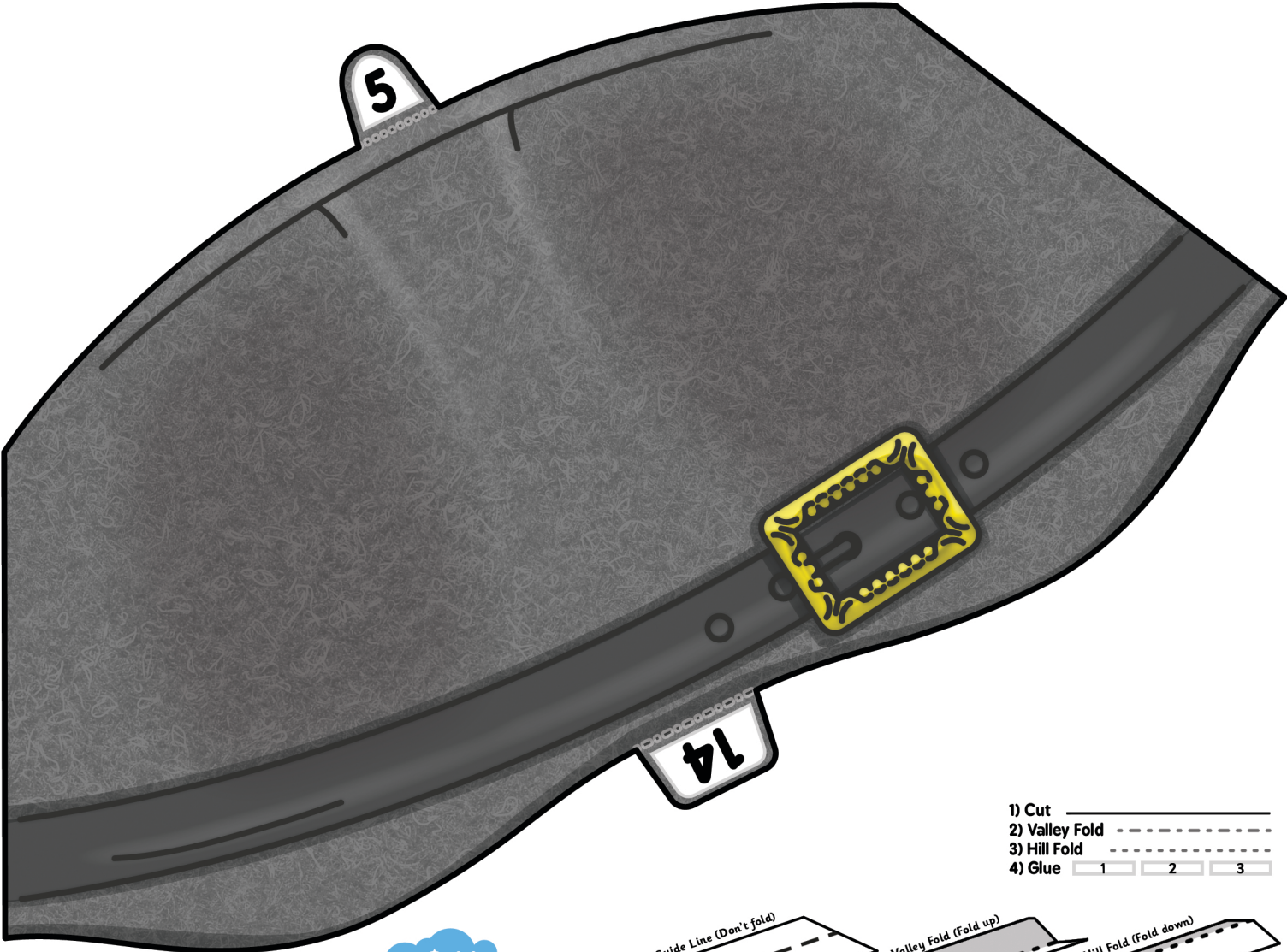
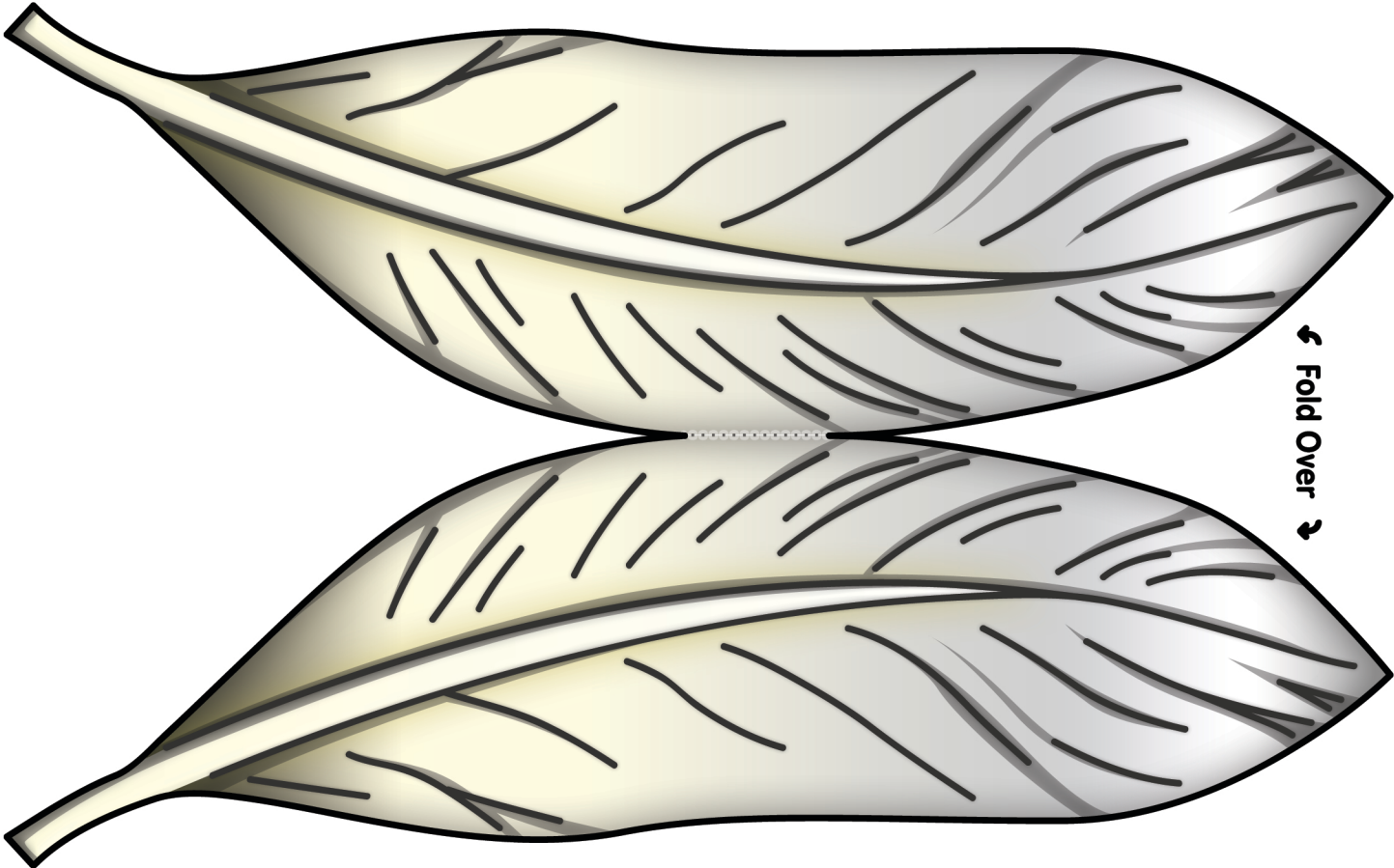
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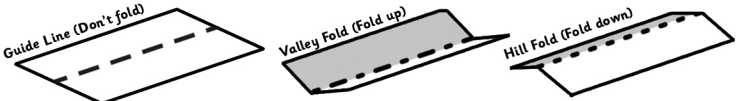
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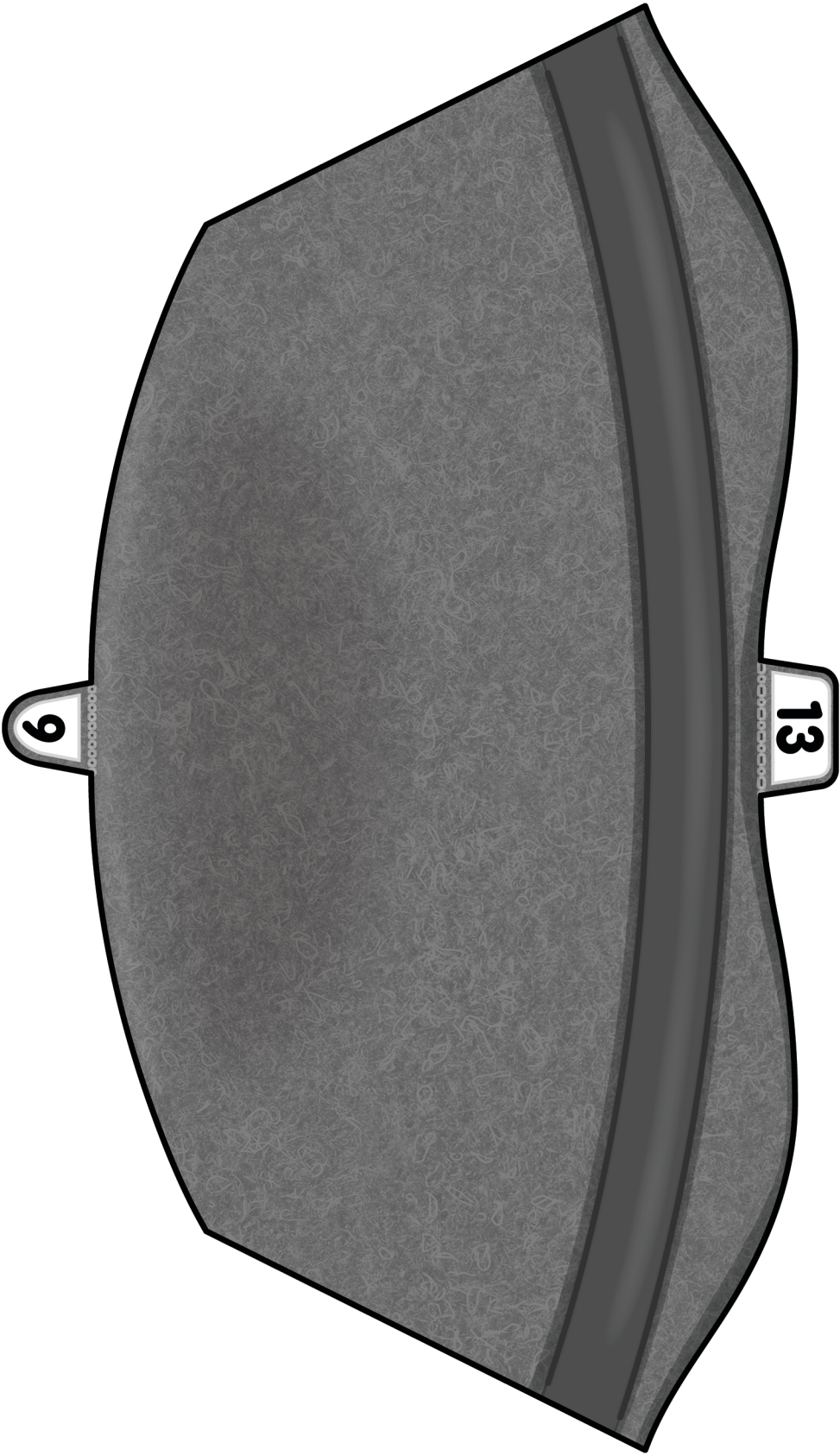
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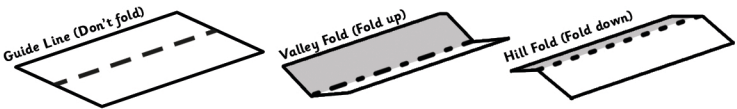


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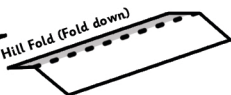
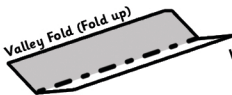
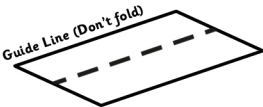
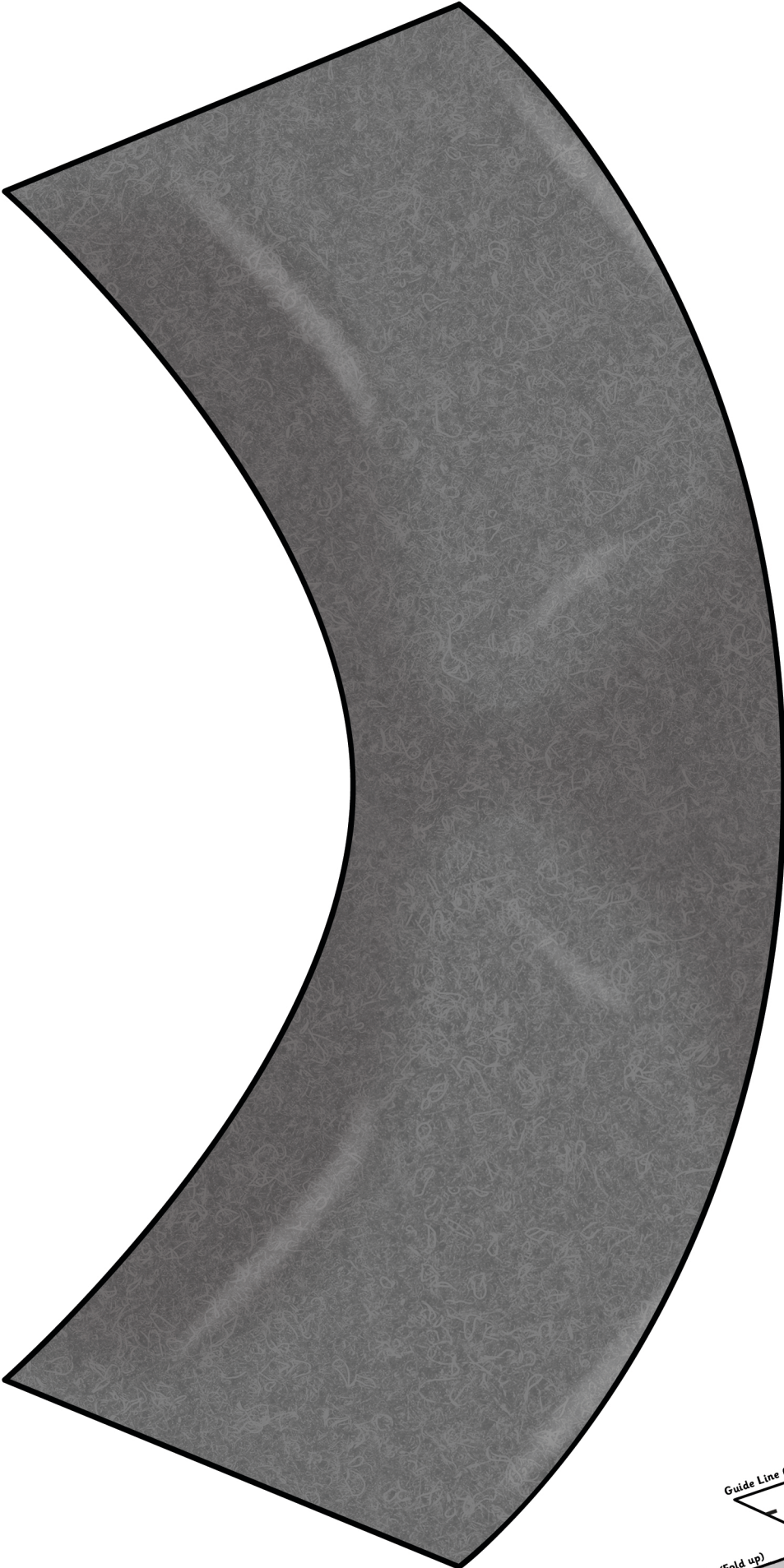




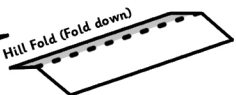
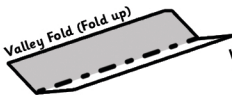
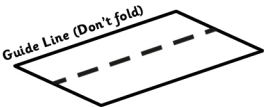
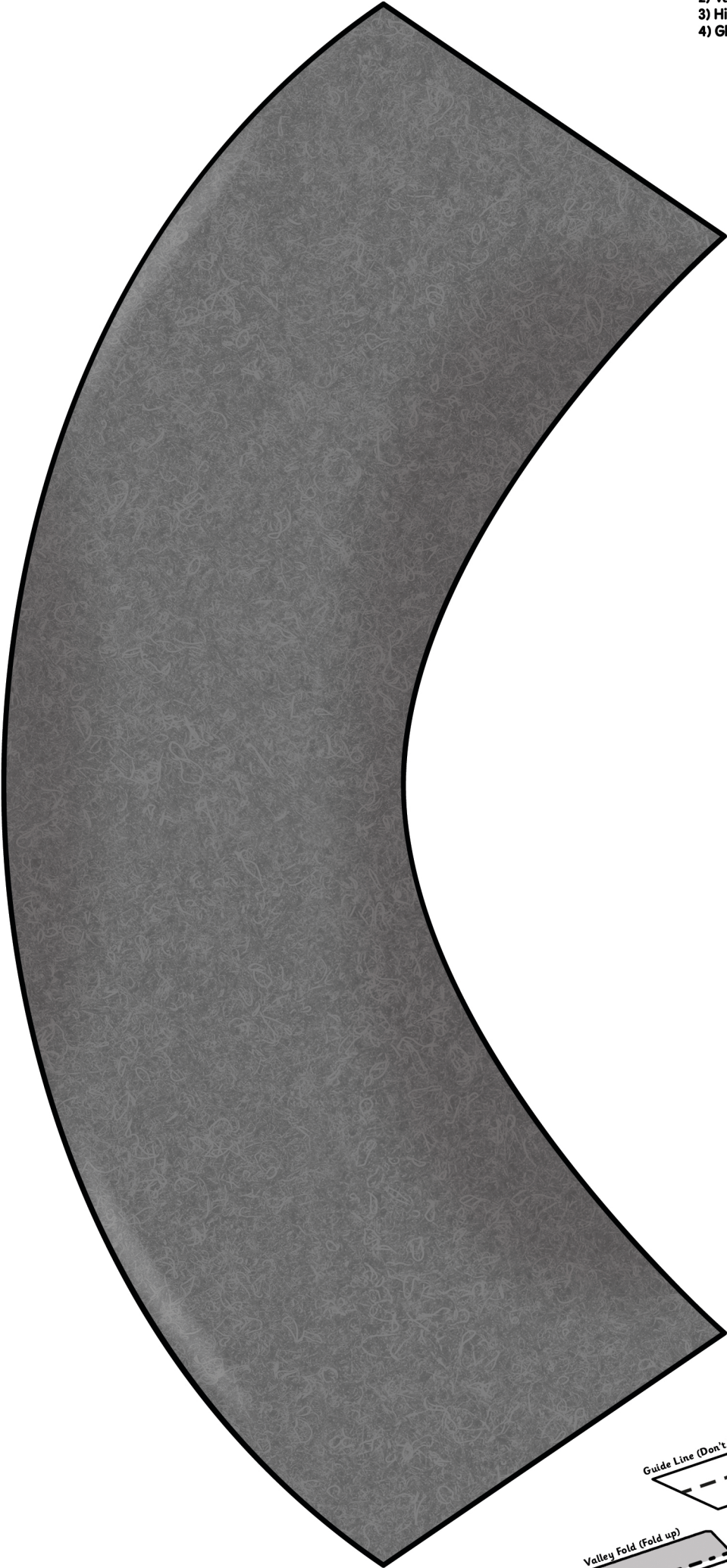
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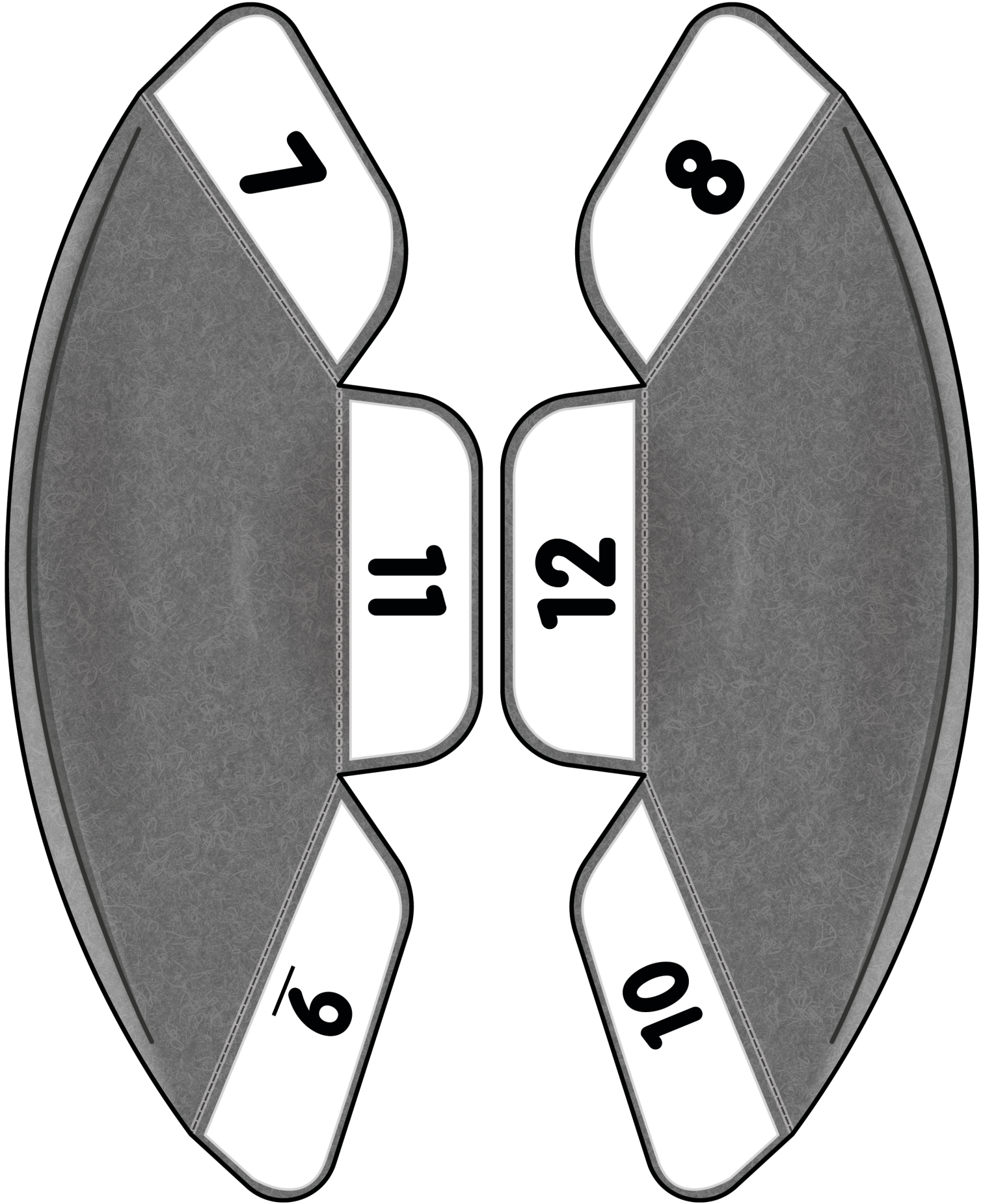


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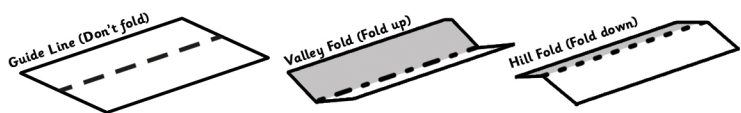
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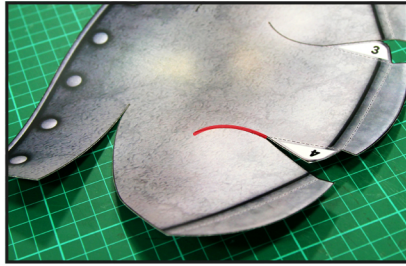
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The Stuarts - Roundhead Helmet Instructions

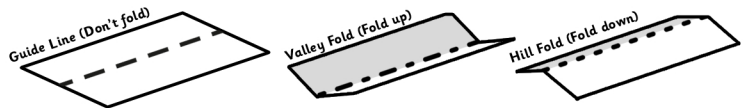
Step 1

Carefully cut out the model along the solid black outline, this includes the line shown in red below.



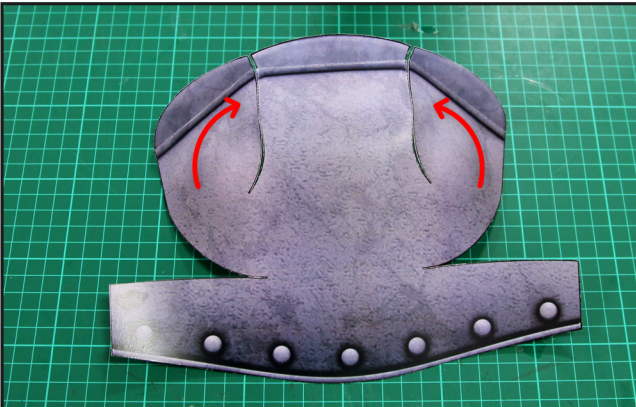
Step 2

Fold along the lines shown in the key below.



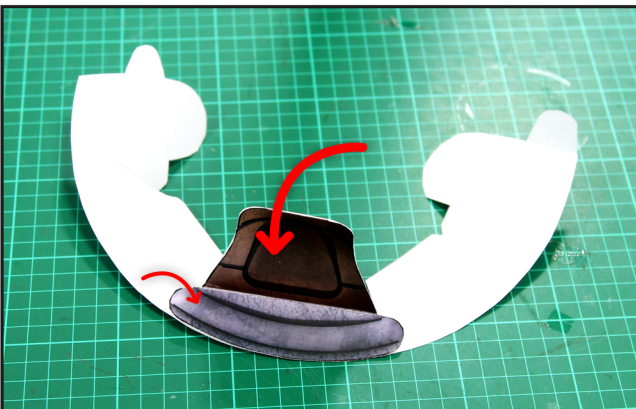
Step 3

On the top sections of the helmet (pages 1 and 2) fold the sides of the piece upwards and glue to tabs 1 and 2 as shown, repeat this step with tabs 3 and 4.



Step 4

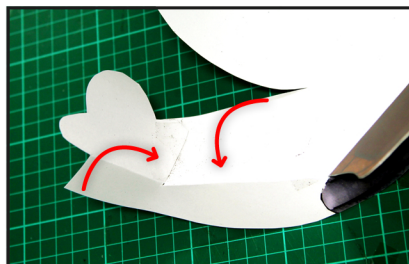
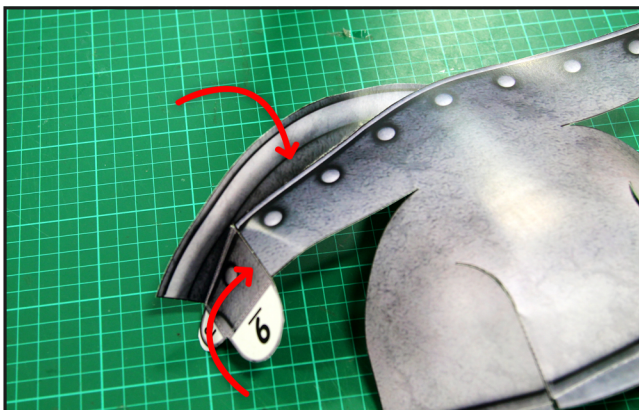
On the rim sections of the helmet (pages 3 and 4) fold the ear section (marked "fold over") onto itself and glue into place as shown.



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Step 5

Glue tab 5 to one of the top sections of the helmet (it doesn't matter which) and glue tab 6 to the inside of the rim as shown. Below is an inside view.



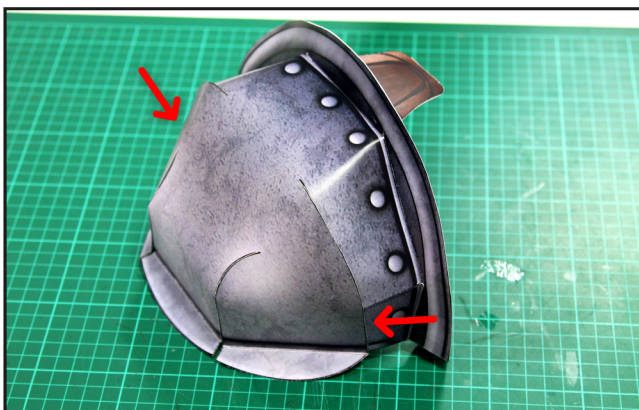
Step 6

Repeat step 5 with tabs 7 and 8, it should look like the image shown.



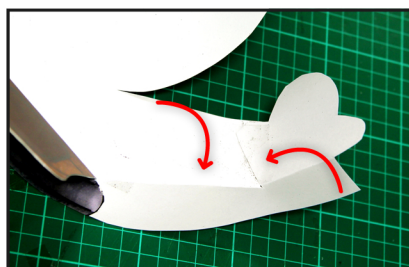
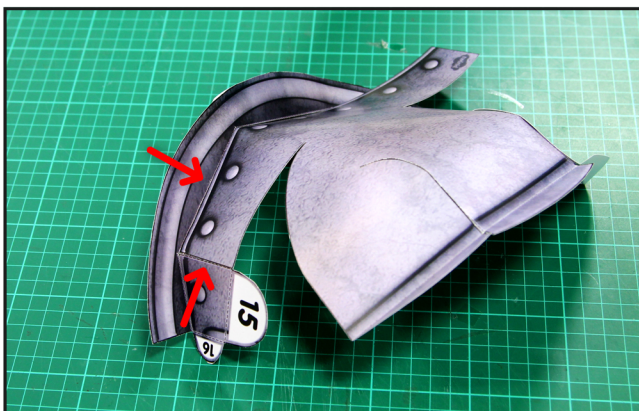
Step 7

Fold the helmet mid section downwards and glue tabs marked "9" and "10" to the upper section of the helmet as shown. You should now have half a helmet.

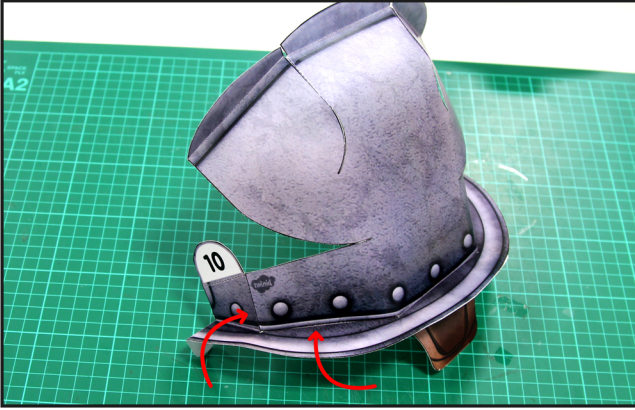


Step 8

Repeat step 5 with tabs 11 and 12, it should look like the image shown. Below is an inside view



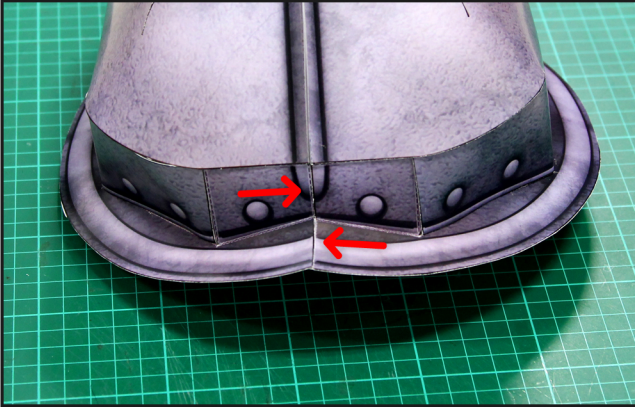
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Step 9

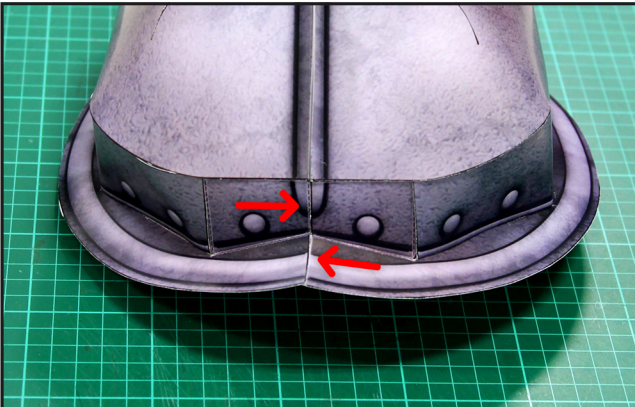
Repeat step 5 with tabs 13 and 14, it should look like the image shown.

Fold the helmet mid section downwards and glue tabs marked "10" and "15" to the upper section of the helmet as shown. You should now have the second half of the helmet.



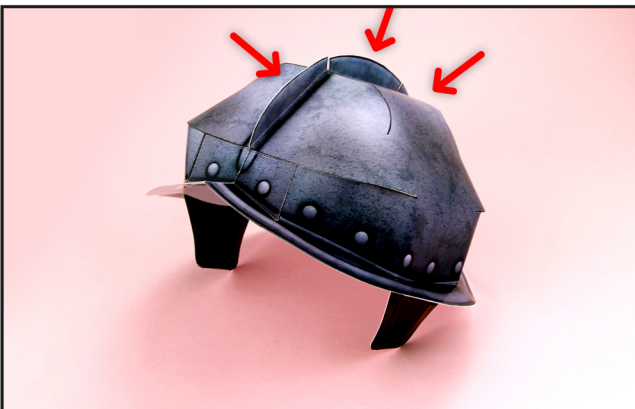
Step 10

Bring the two halves of the helmet together and glue tab 16 to the opposite side of the helmet and glue tab 17 to the underside of the opposite rim as shown.



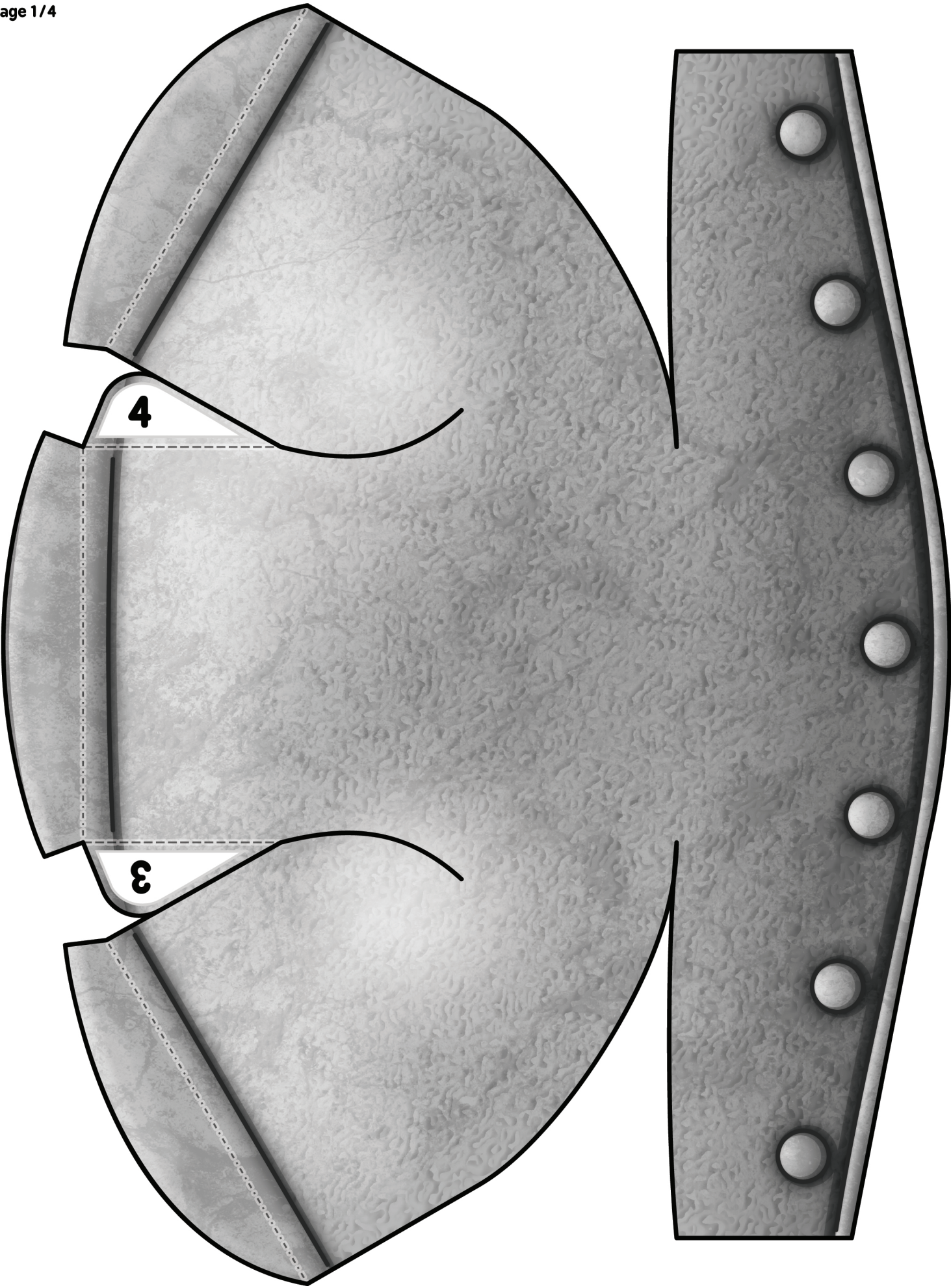
Step 11

Do the same as step 10, this time glueing tab 18 to the opposite side of the helmet and glue tab 19 to the underside of the opposite rim as shown.

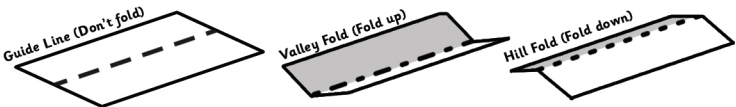


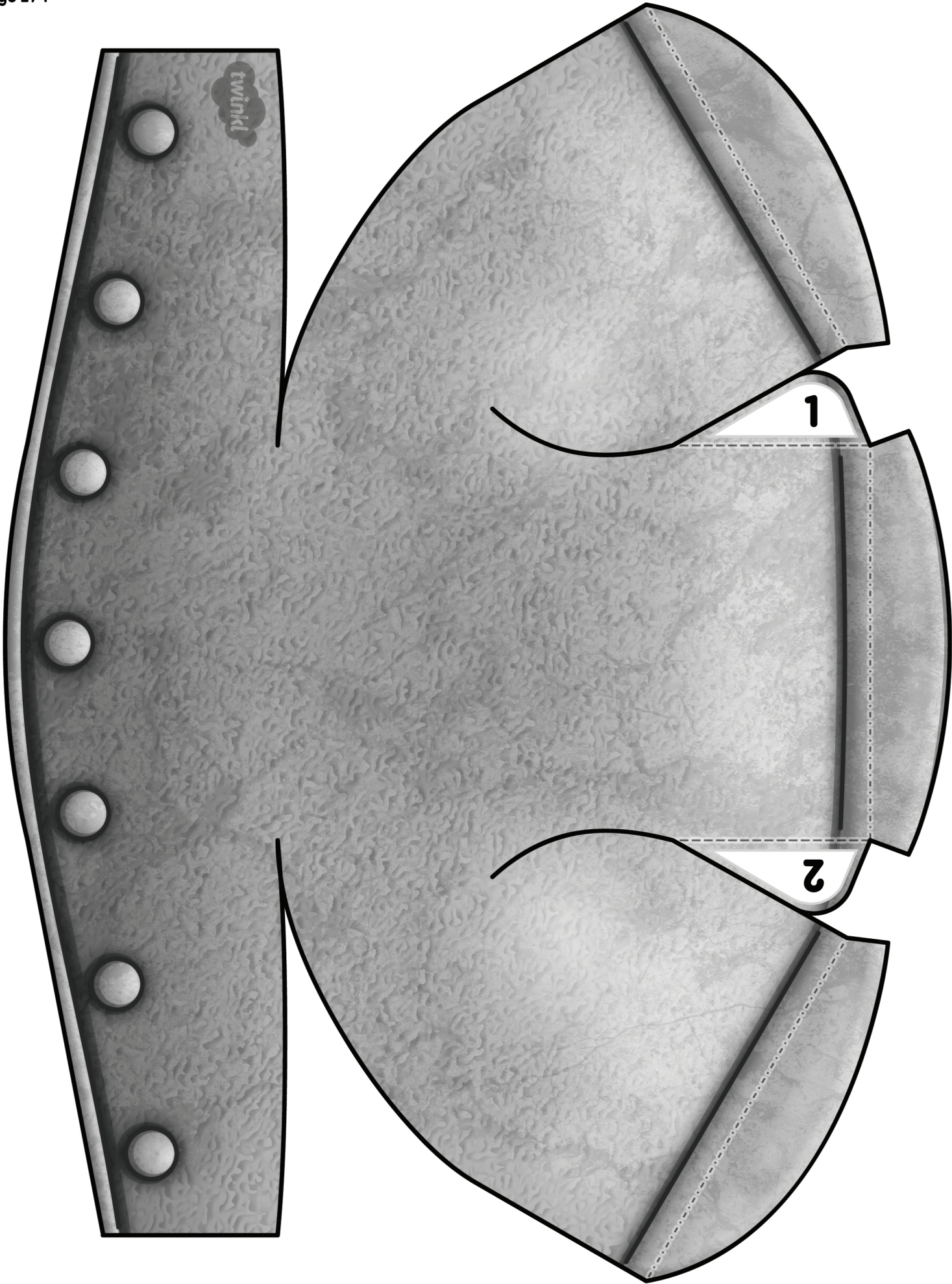
Step 12

Glue the backs of the main helmet ridge together to complete the helmet.

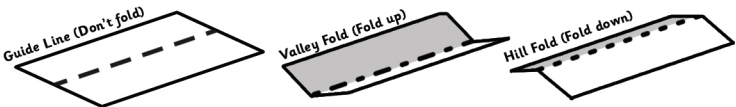


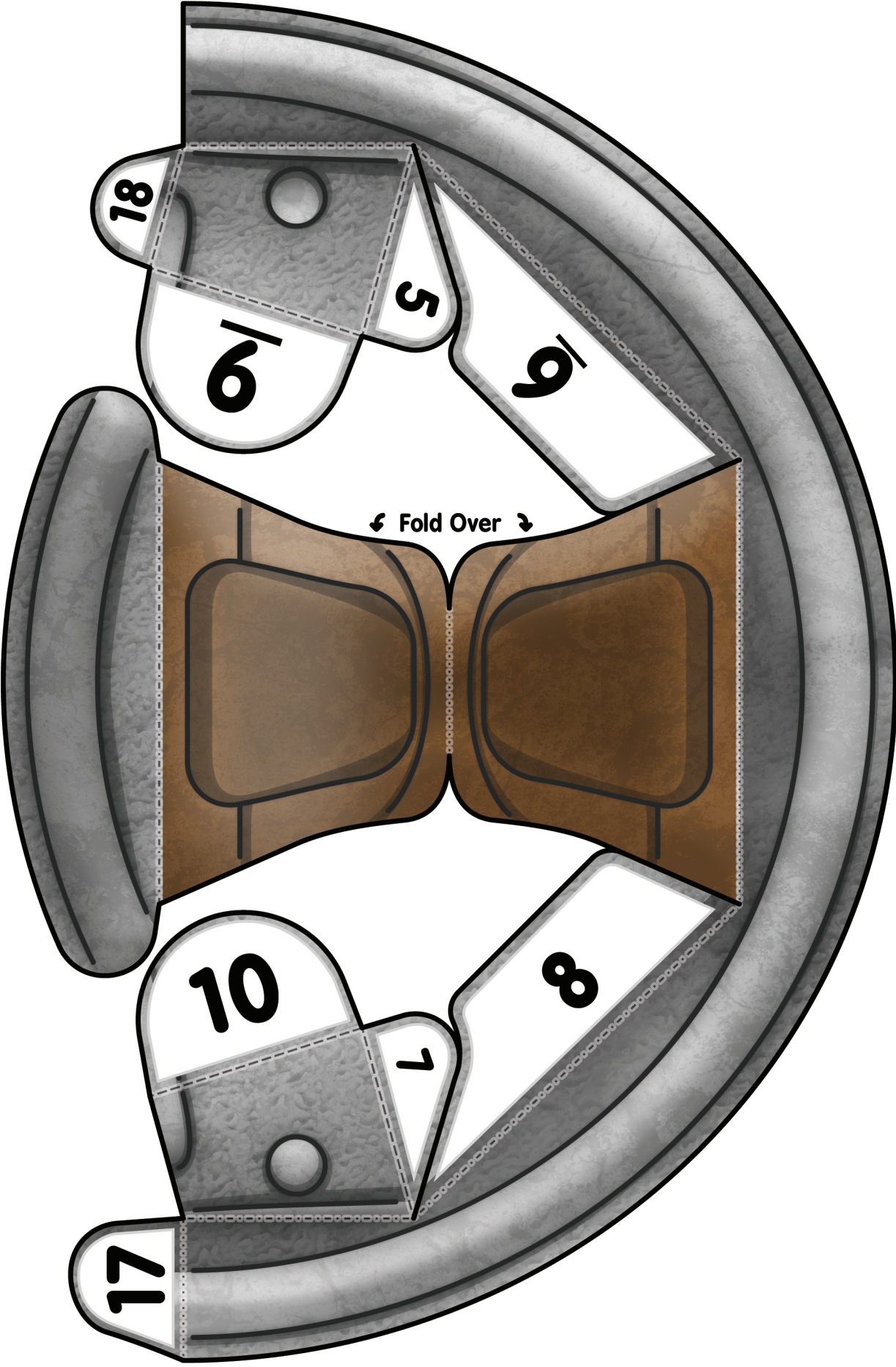
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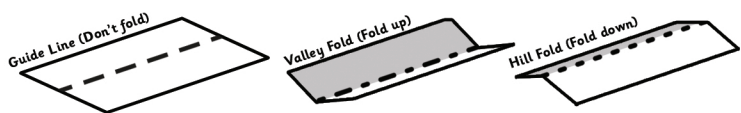
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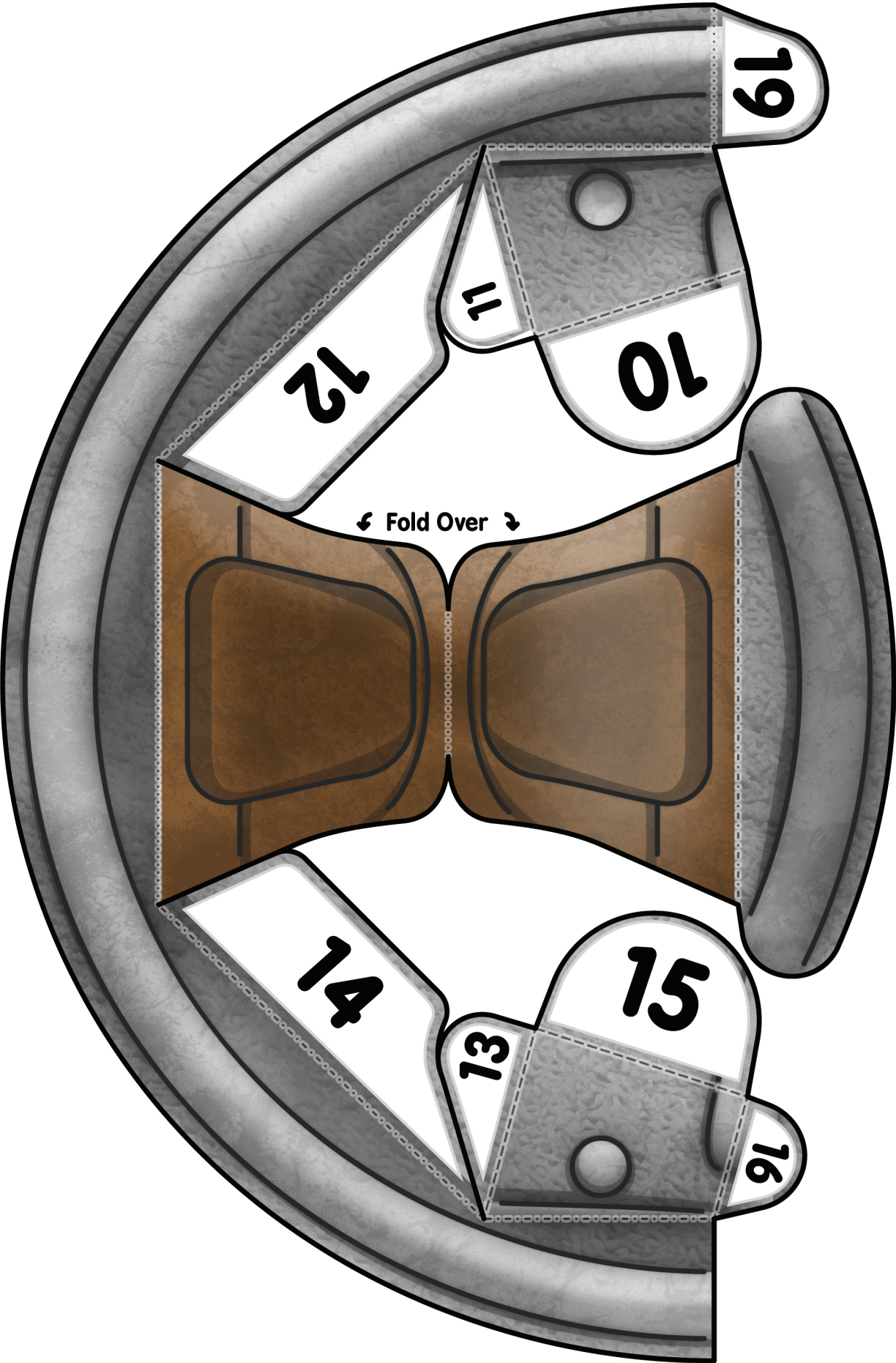




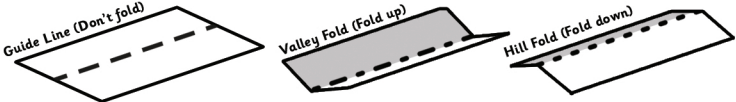
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Part Two – The Cavalry

Horses were really important in the Battle of Naseby. Can you ask the Beavers if they have any ideas why this would be the case?

The main reasons why the horses were key are below:

- **Fast Movers:** Horses helped soldiers move quickly across the battlefield. They could go around the enemy and chase them if they tried to run away.
- **Scary Charge:** When soldiers on horses charged, it was very scary for the soldiers on foot. This could make them run away.
- **Many Jobs:** Soldiers on horses could do lots of different things, like looking for the enemy, fighting, and carrying messages.
- **Quick Messages:** Soldiers on horses could carry messages quickly to tell other soldiers what to do.

In the Battle of Naseby, the soldiers on horses helped the Roundheads win the battle.

To complete this activity, the Squirrels need to either visit a stable to learn how to look after a horse or have a talk from someone who owns a horse.

Alternatively, there are two days being arranged at Overstone Campsite, Northampton and the Sir John Lowther Centre at Glendon, where members of the Sealed Knot will be holding talks for the Squirrels to attend. Look out for the information on how to book these, which will be released shortly.