

Tabbed Pop Up Books

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Materials:

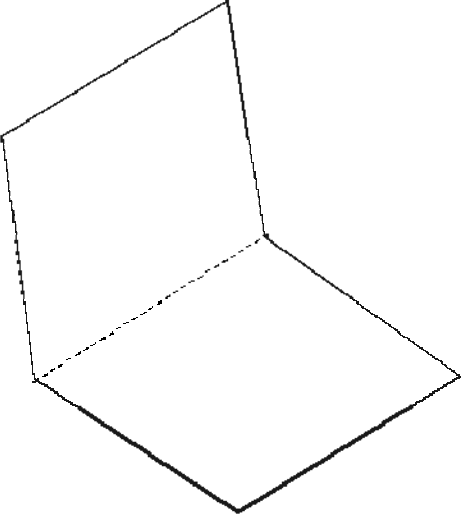
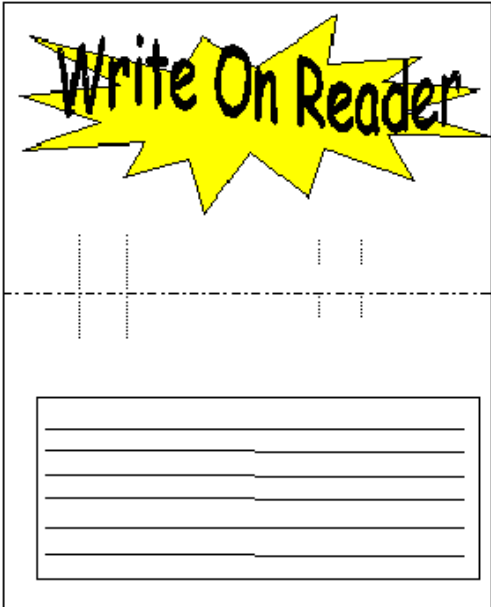
one 9" x 12" piece of construction paper or index paper

one 8 1/2" x 11" pop-up pattern on white paper

simple illustrations or shapes for the pop-up pictures

crayons or markers

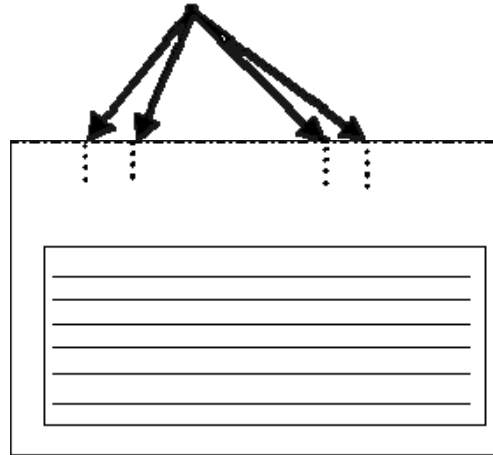
glue

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| <p style="text-align: center;">Step 1</p> <p>Fold the piece of 9" x 12" construction or index paper in half the hamburger way. This is the cover for your pop-up book. You can decorate the cover with the crayons or markers, or cut out illustrations and glue them on the front.</p> |  |
| <p style="text-align: center;">Step 2</p> <p>Draw the background pattern on a white piece of 8 1/2" x 11" paper. Write the story on the lines of the pop-up page.</p> |  |

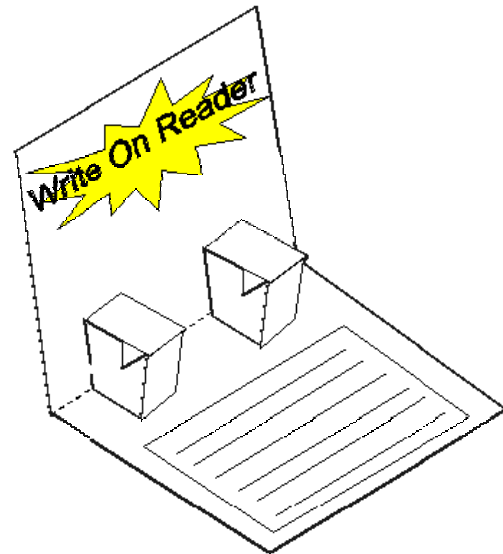
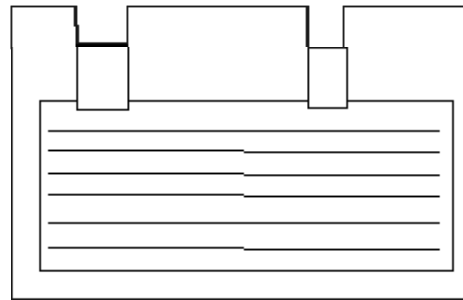
Step 3

- Construct the pop-up page by folding it in half on the fold line.
- Then cut the dashed lines to make the tabs.
- Fold the tabs down.
- Next unfold the pop-up page and push the tabs forward.

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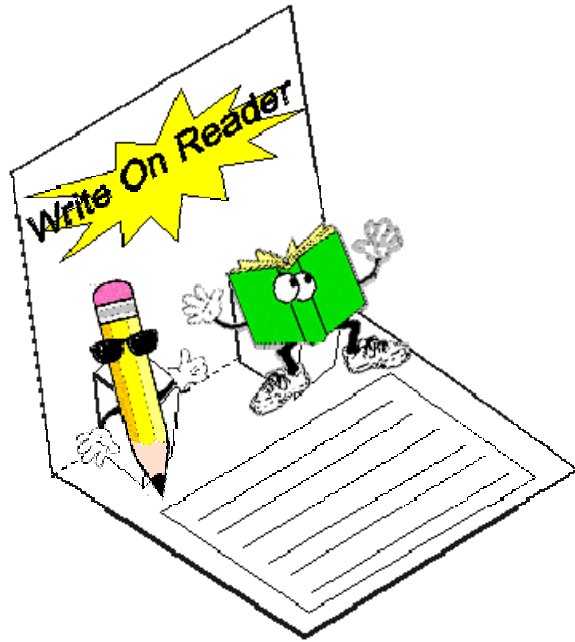


Fold tabs down



Step 4

Decorate the illustrations or shapes and cut them out. Glue the decorations or shapes on the pop-up tabs.



Step 5

The last thing you need to do is glue the pop-up form inside the cover of the book. If you want more than one pop-up page, you need to bind the additional pages by gluing them back to back. For example, the top, outside cover of page two would be glued to the bottom, outside cover of page one, and so on.

