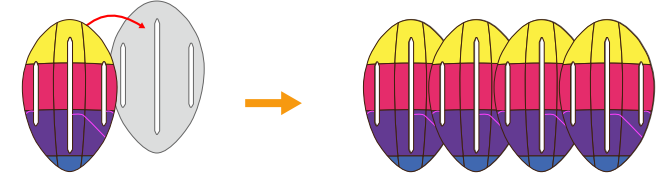
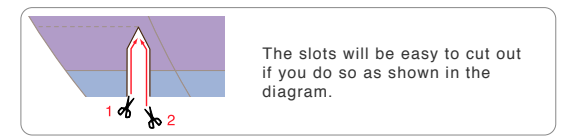
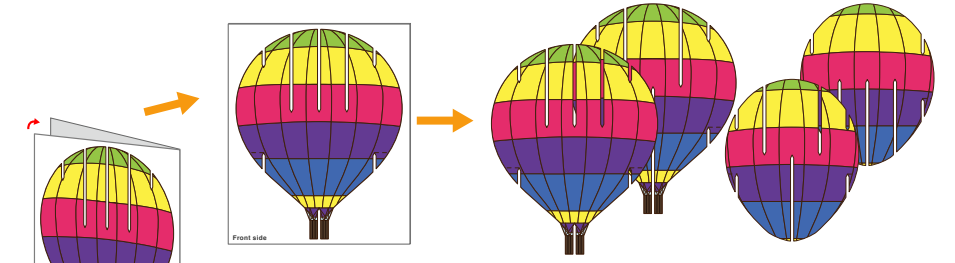




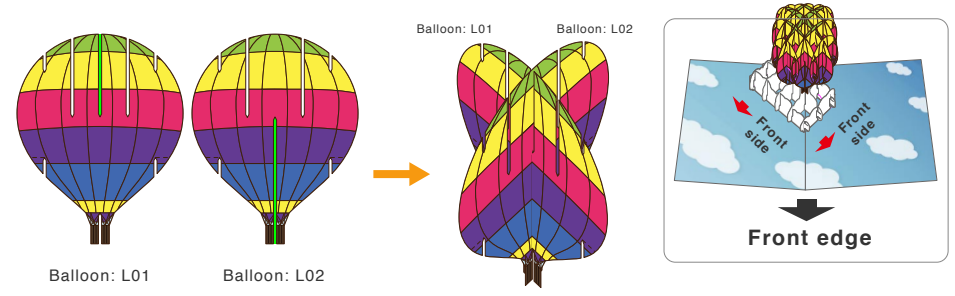
1 Cut out the S balloon parts, and cut out the holes. Then, glue the fronts and backs together.



2 For the M and L balloons, follow the square guidelines to fold the pieces in half and glue together. Then, cut around the edges of the balloons and cut out the slots.



3 Assemble the balloon. The back sides have numbers printed by each slot. Follow this order when assembling. At slot 1, attach the two L size pieces together. Make sure that the front sides of the pieces face the front edge of the card.



Assembly Instructions

	----- Mountain fold ● Make a mountain fold.		— Scissors line ● Cut along the line.
	- - - - - Valley fold ● Make a valley fold.		— Cut in line ● Make a cut.
	● Glue spot ● Glue here		

Tools and Materials

Scissors, set square, glue (such as woodwork glue), metal rod, spatula, a used pen, toothpicks, tweezers (useful for handling small parts).

Caution

This craft requires the use of glue, scissors, tweezers, and other tools which may be dangerous to young children. Please keep them out of reach of children while you work.

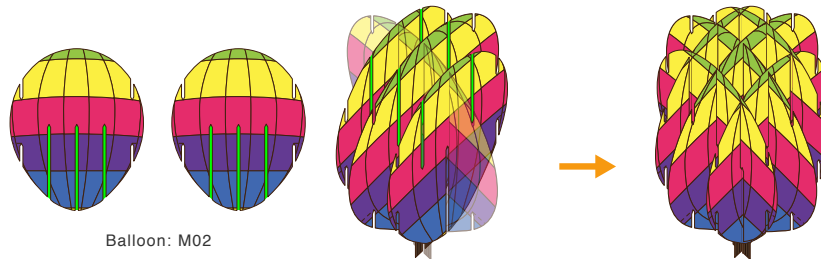
Handy Hints

Trace along the folds with a used pen (no-ink) to get a sharp, easier fold.

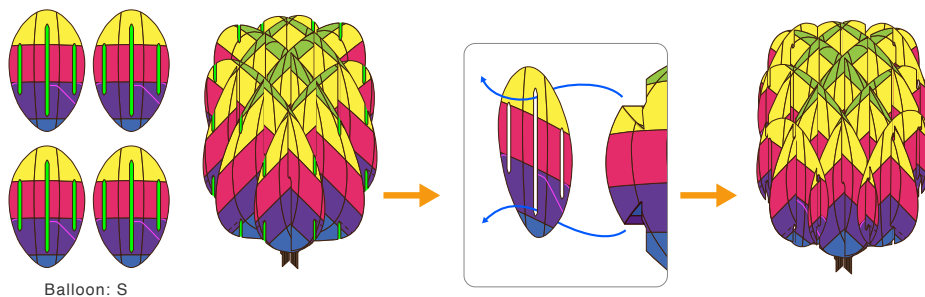
4 Attach slot 2 of the M01 balloons to slot 2 on the L balloon pieces.



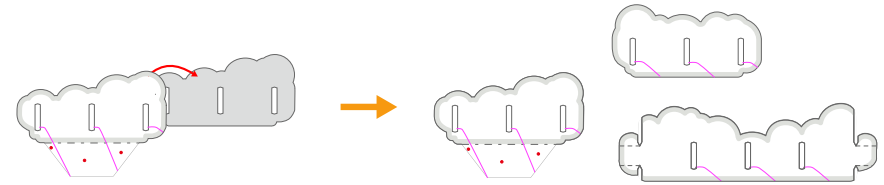
5 Attach slot 3 of the M02 balloons to slot 3 on the L and M balloon pieces.



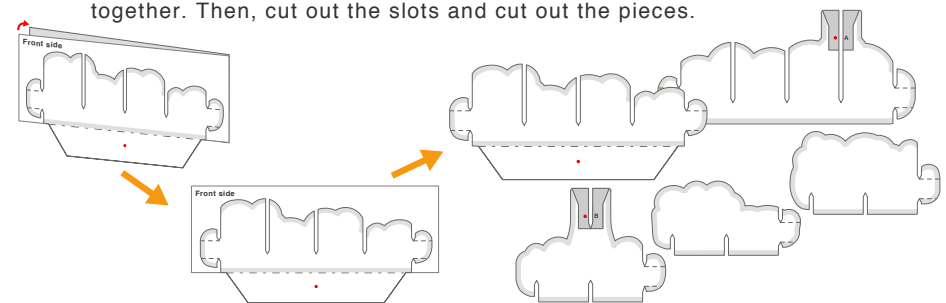
6 Slot holes 4 and 5 of the S balloons on to slots 4 and 5 of the L and M balloon pieces. If you fold along the fold lines at the top and bottom of the slots on L and M, it will be easier to fit them through the holes.



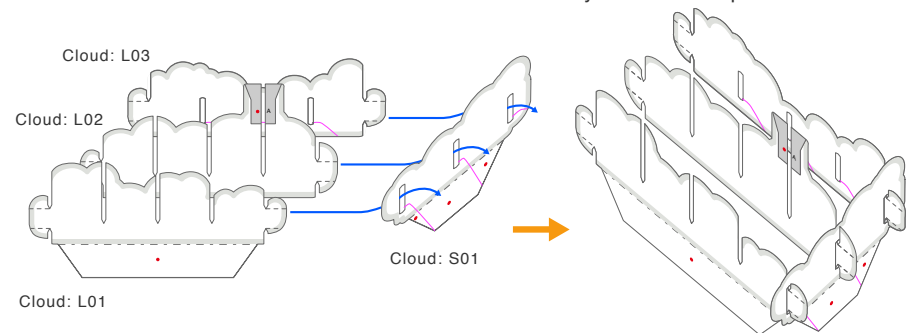
7 Cut out the S01, S05 and L03 cloud parts, and cut out the holes. Then, glue the fronts and backs together.



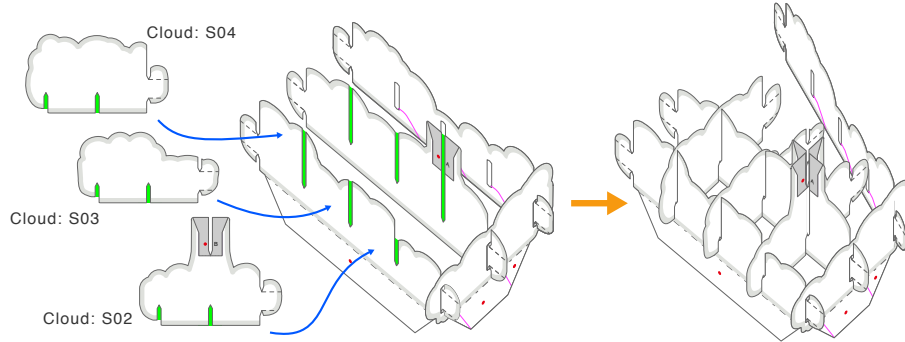
8 Fold the cloud piece L01 together along the square guidelines, and glue both sides together, leaving the glue tab without glue. For the other cloud pieces, fold them in half following the square guidelines, and glue both sides together. Then, cut out the slots and cut out the pieces.



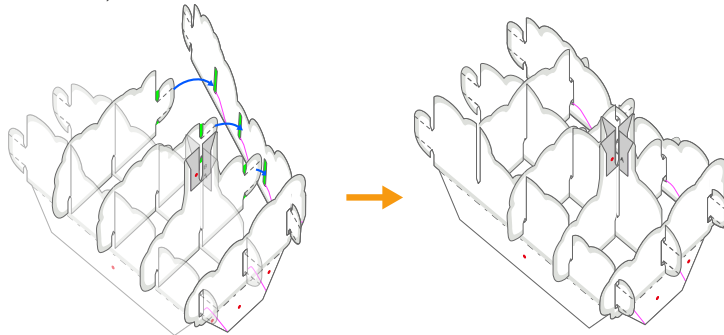
9 Assemble the cloud. Join the L cloud pieces to cloud S01 by slotting them through the number 6 holes as shown here. Hook the holes over like you did in step 6.



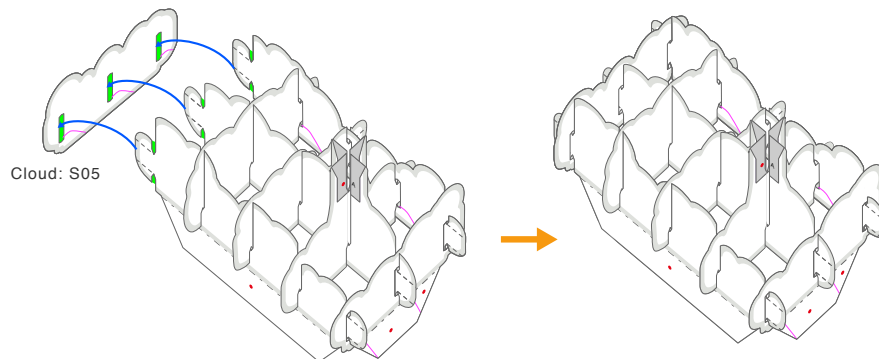
- 10** Attach slots 7, 8 and 9 on clouds L01 and L02 to slots 7, 8 and 9 on clouds S02, 03 and 04.



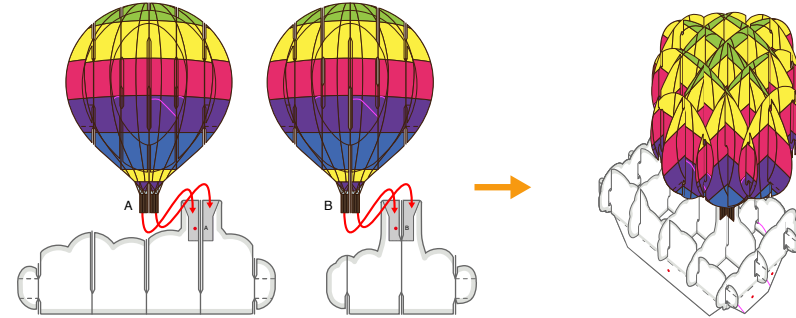
- 11** Slot the holes numbered 10 on cloud L03 on to the slots numbered 10 on clouds S02, 03 and 04.



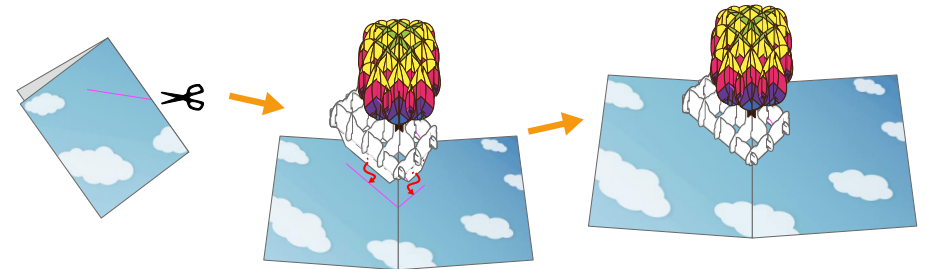
- 12** Slot the holes numbered 11 on cloud S05 on to number 11 on cloud L.



- 13** Join the balloon and cloud together. Attach glue tabs A and B on the balloon and cloud together, matching their shapes together.



- 14** Attach the part you made in step 13 to the base. Make a mountain fold on the base, and, keeping it folded, cut slots along the pink lines. Insert the cloud's bottom glue tabs into the slots, and glue them to the back side of the base.



*After gluing it to the base, open and close the card a few times until the mechanism moves smoothly.

- 15** Glue the front and back covers to the back side of the base, and your card is complete. Write a message in the space on the base, and send your colorful hot air balloon card!

