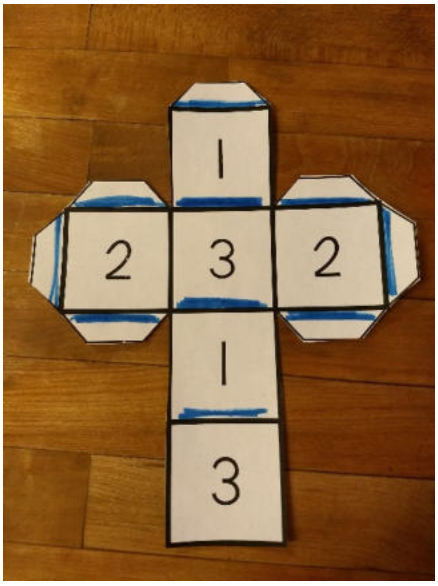
Making Die (number, train, or letters)

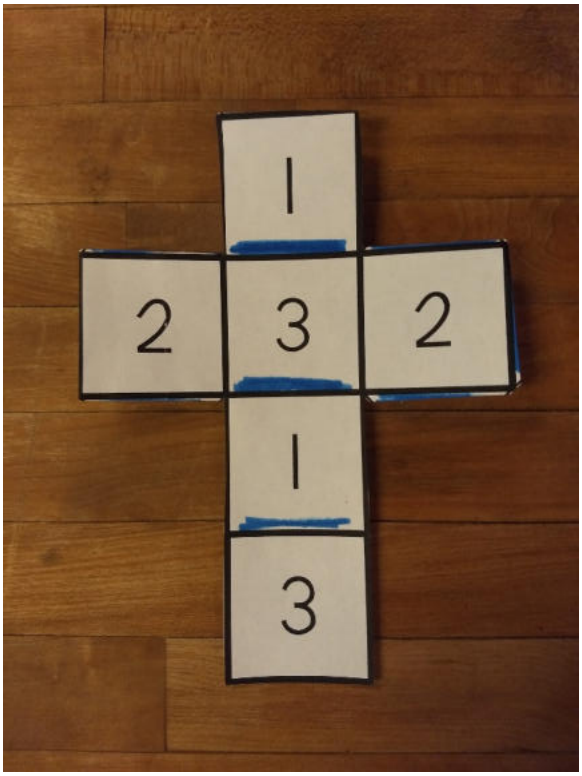
These dice are flimsy if you do not laminate them. They may only ask a game or so. If printed on cardstock, they will last longer, but they are most durable if you laminate them before folding. They are harder to make once laminated, but it's worth it for the extra durability. If you laminate them, you will want to score them on the back before trying to fold. You can use a ruler and a sharp knife. The demo photos are unlaminated since they are easier to fold.

1. Cut out the die along its outer edges. It will be this shape. The blue lines show where you will fold.

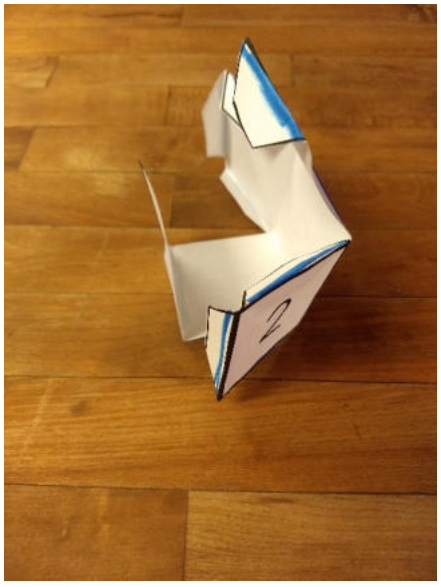


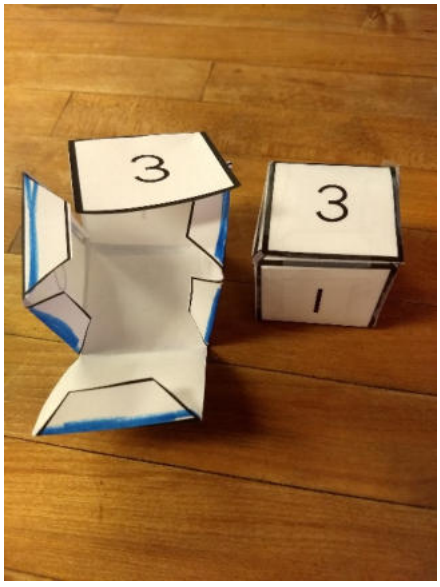
2. If you laminated the die, turn the design down and place a ruler precisely over the fold line. Score with a sharp knife. (This is just a demo photo, I would never cut on the butcher block counter my husband made without a cutting board.)

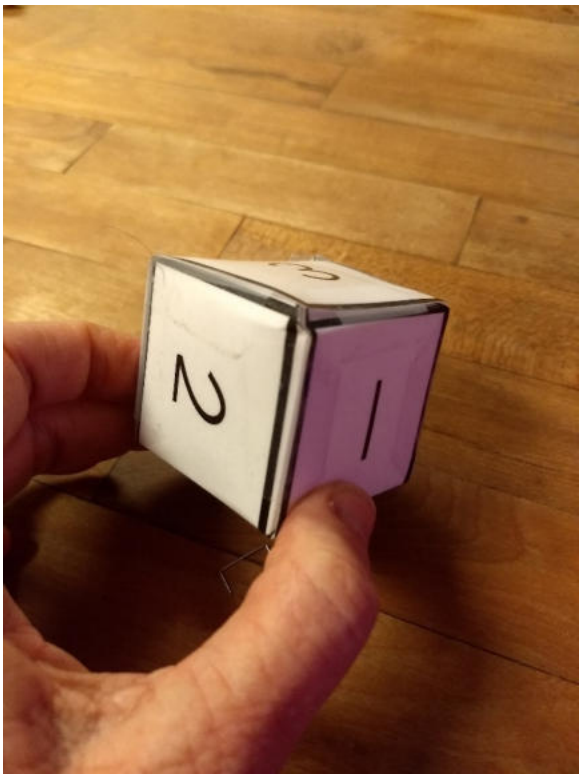
3. Fold the tabs down.



4. Fold along all the fold lines so it looks like this.





5. Tape the edges closed.

6. This is a completed, laminated die.