

## Create-Your-Own Papertoy Monster Skins

So, you're an expert at constructing papertoy monsters designed by the spectacularly talented artists in this book, and you'd like a new challenge.

Now it's time to design your own. In the papertoy community, artists often create blank templates and invite fans to bring the toy to life with their own designs. This process is called "skinning," and each new design is a new "skin."

On the following pages, you'll find blank templates of monsters you've encountered before—but this time, *you* get to decide what they look like.

- Draw, color, paint, or create a collage.
- Make it realistic, abstract, or somewhere in between.
- Give your monster a mini-biography: Think up a backstory, special abilities, and alternate names.

## IT'S ALL UP TO YOU.

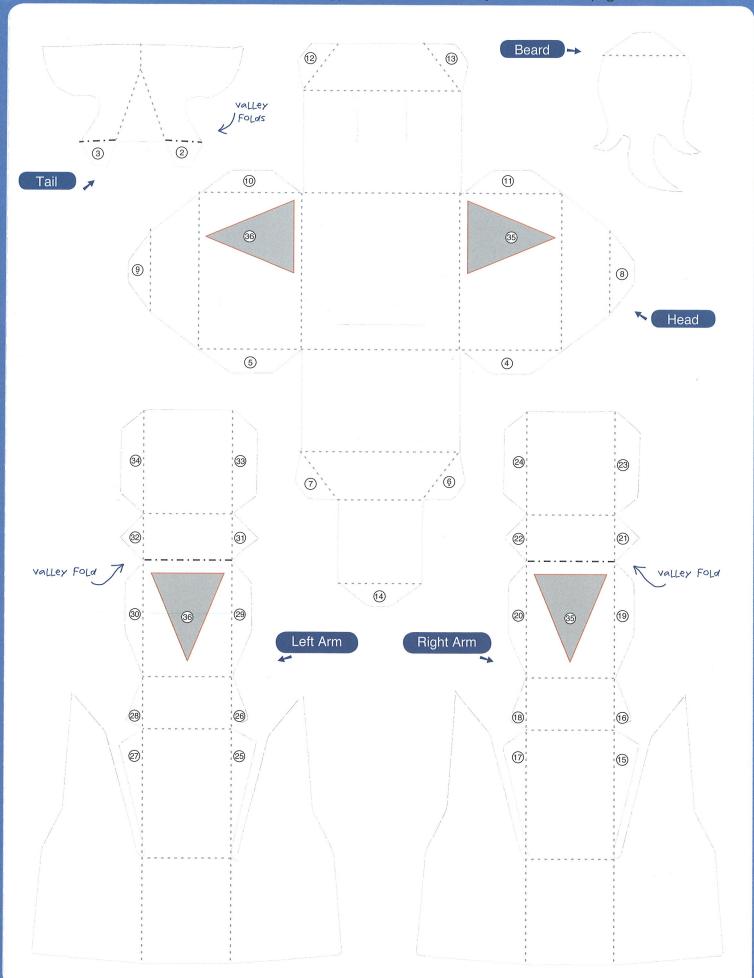
Just follow the simple directions below and use your imagination to create your perfect papertoy.

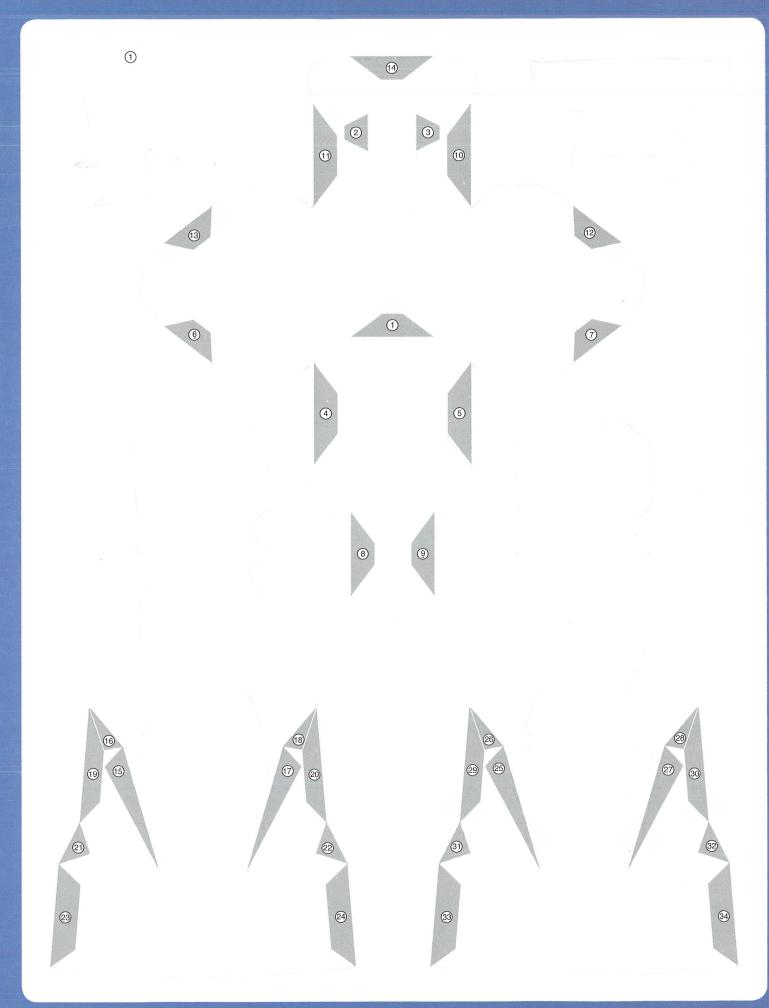
## INSTRUCTIONS

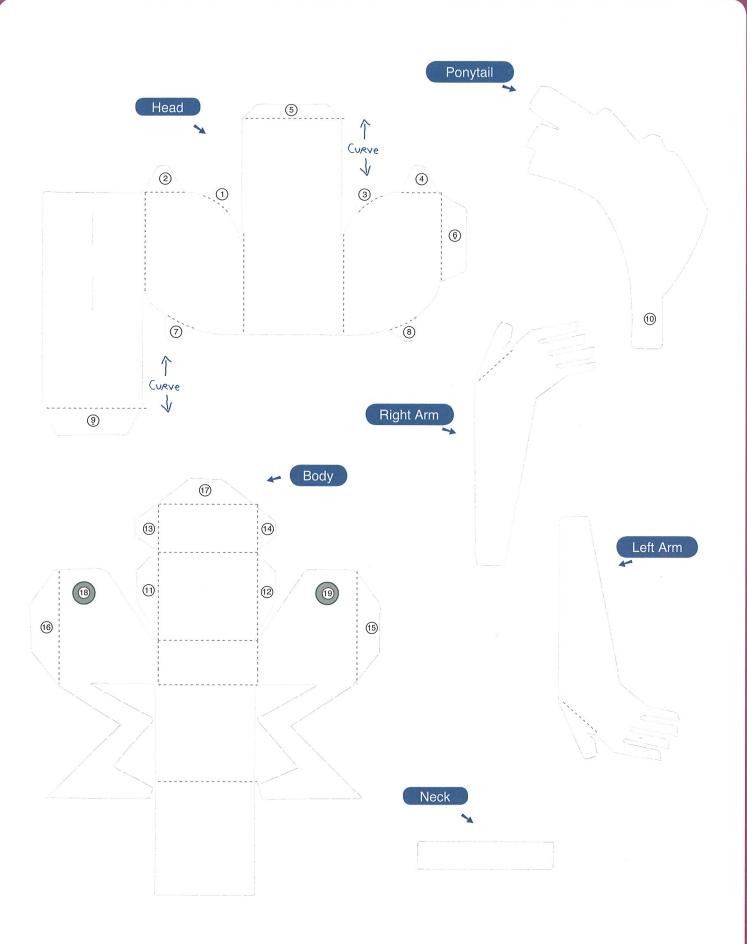
**DRAW** your design directly onto the template.

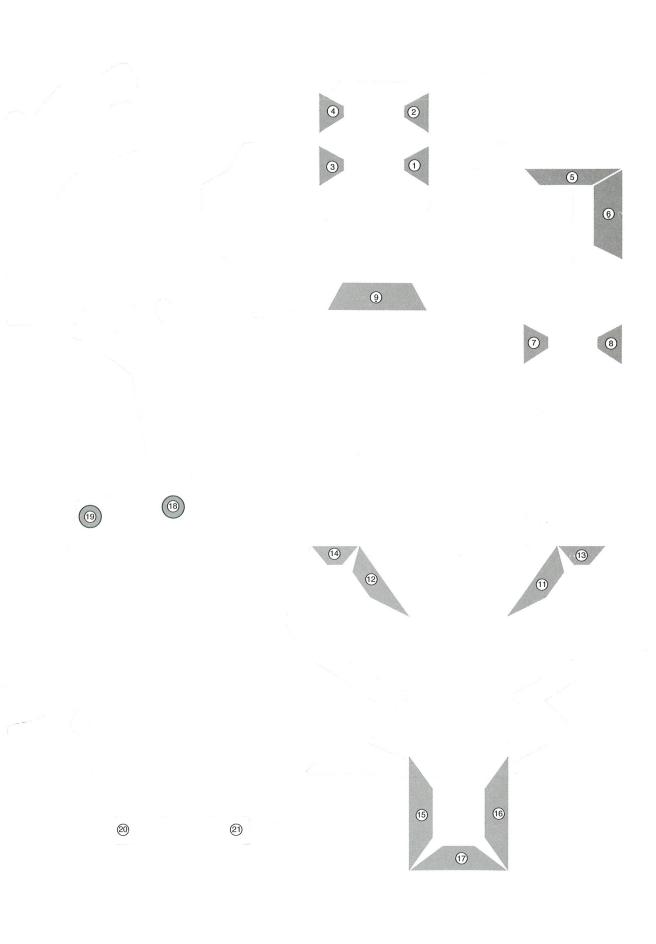
**REFER** to the pages listed at the top of each template for assembly instructions.

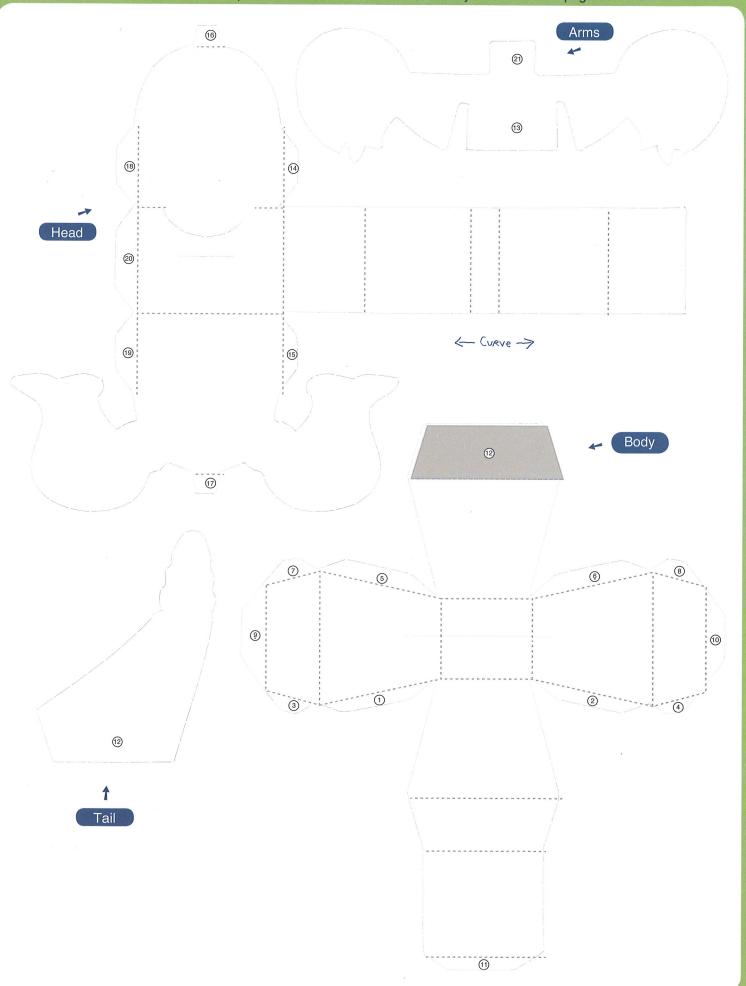
**HINT:** You may want to scan or photocopy the template first so that you can experiment until you've perfected your creation.

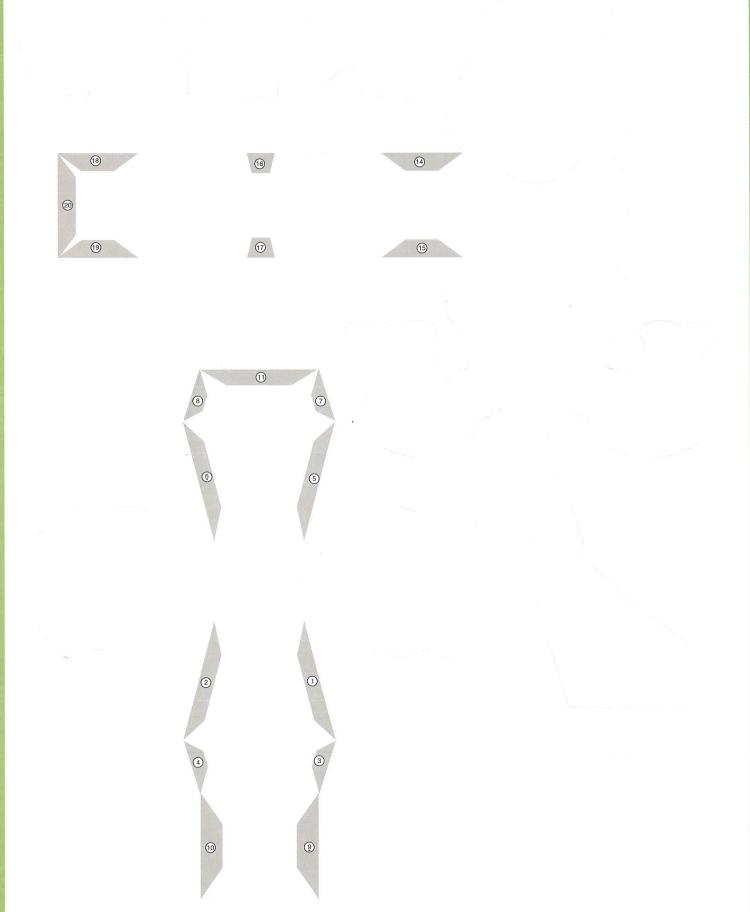


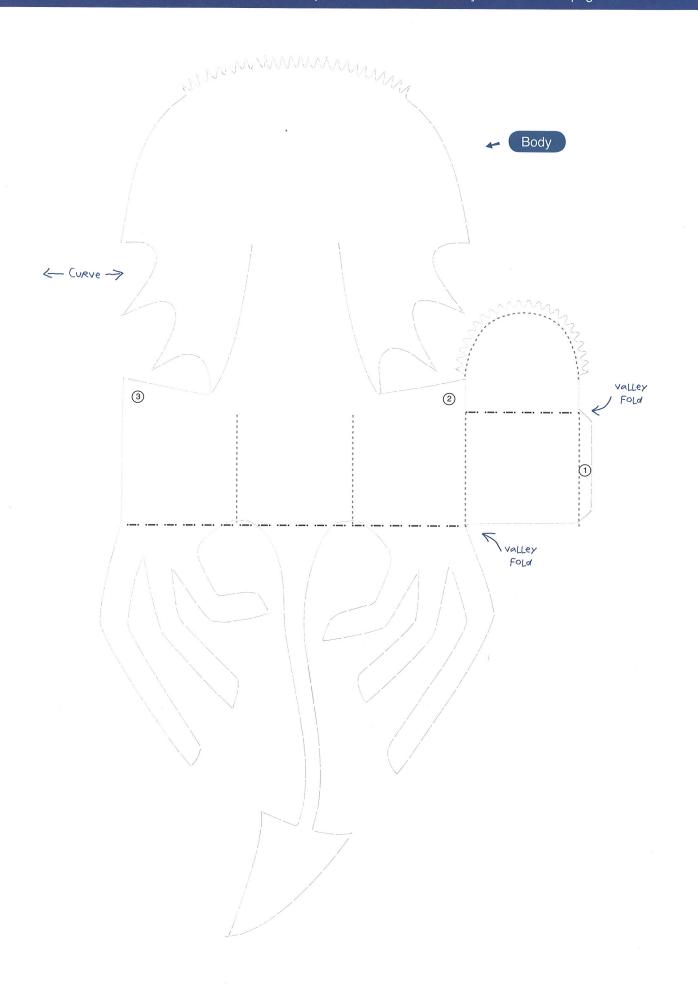




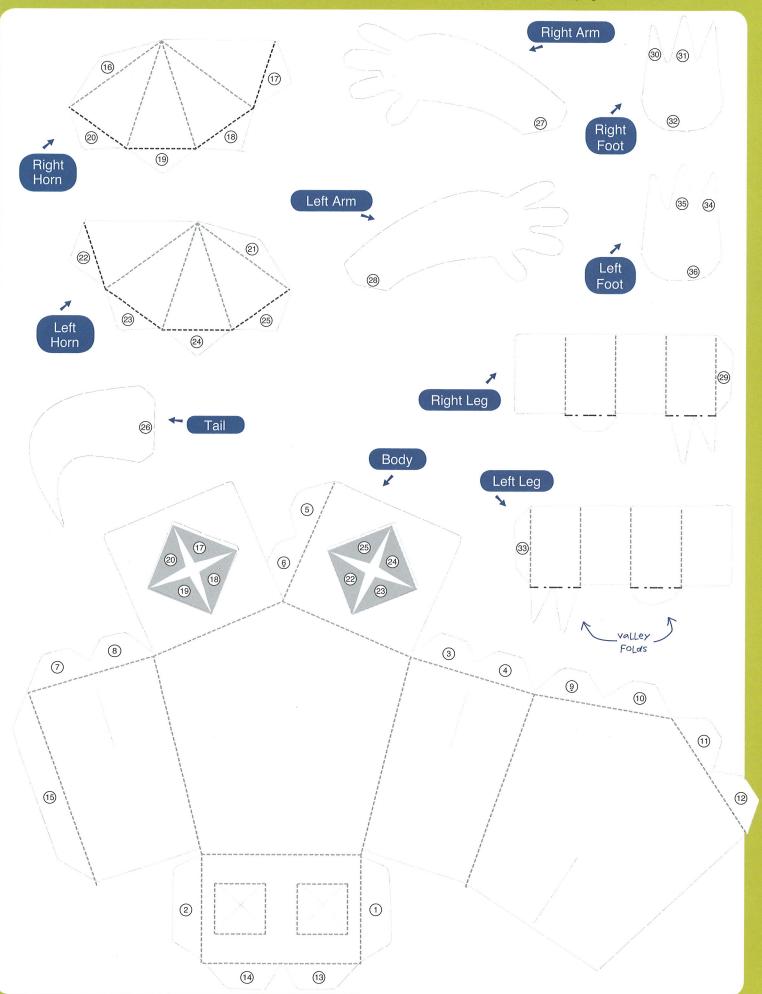




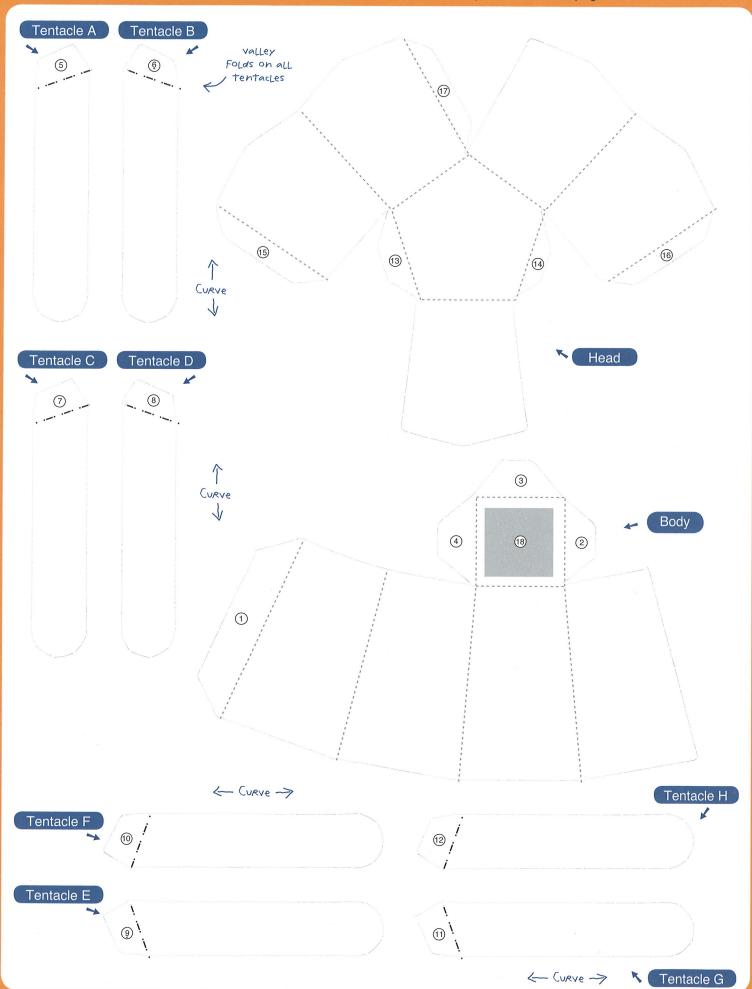




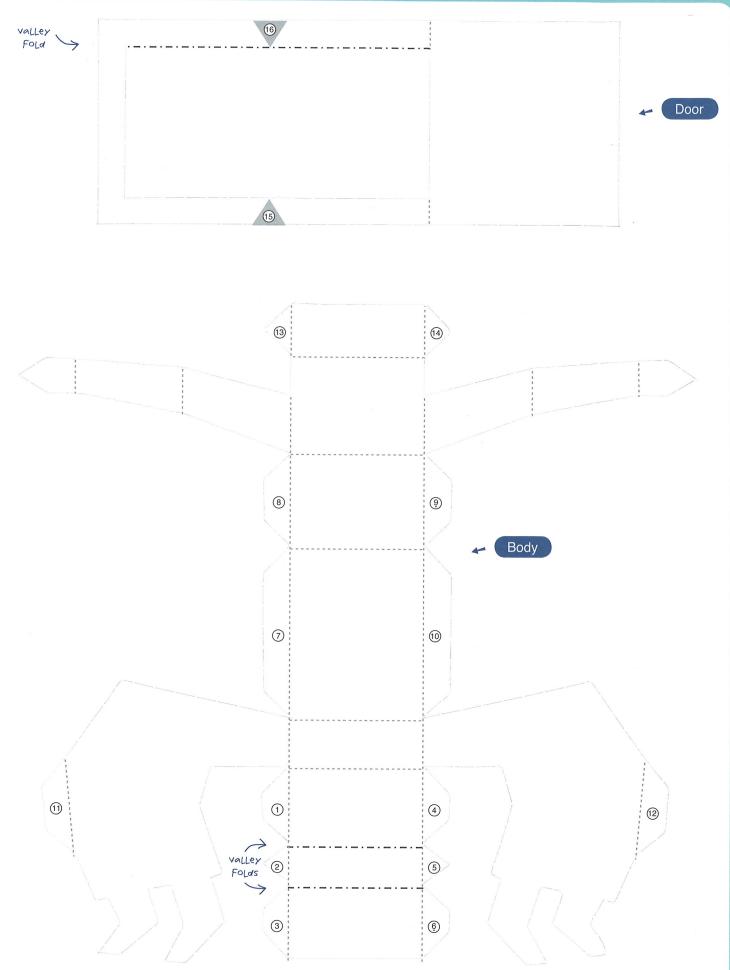












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