





## **Activity Guide**

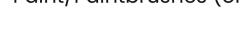
TD Community Sunday: Make a Mahjong Tile Treasure Box with Christie Carrière

### Make Your Own Mahjong Tile Treasure Box!

Make your own Mahjong Tile Treasure Box with just a few materials found at home! If you're really dedicated you can make all 144 tiles and play a game of giant mahjong!

### **Materials**

- Cereal box (or any thin cardboard)
- Pencil
- Ruler
- Scissors
- Glue
- Paint/Paintbrushes (or whatever you'd like to use to decorate!)



**Construct Your Box!** 

1. Print out the Mahjong Box Template, cut out the template and trace it onto your cardboard.

OR

Use the Mahjong Box Blueprint to measure and draw out your box using a pencil and ruler (you might need to get help from an adult!)

- 2. Use your scissors to cut out the shape of the box.
- 3. Use a pencil and ruler to score along the lines where you want to fold (this means that you're pressing down hard with your pencil to make that line easier to fold along!)
- 4. Fold up your box and use glue to stick it together, remember not to glue down the front flap where you will open and close your box!





### **Decorate Your Box!**

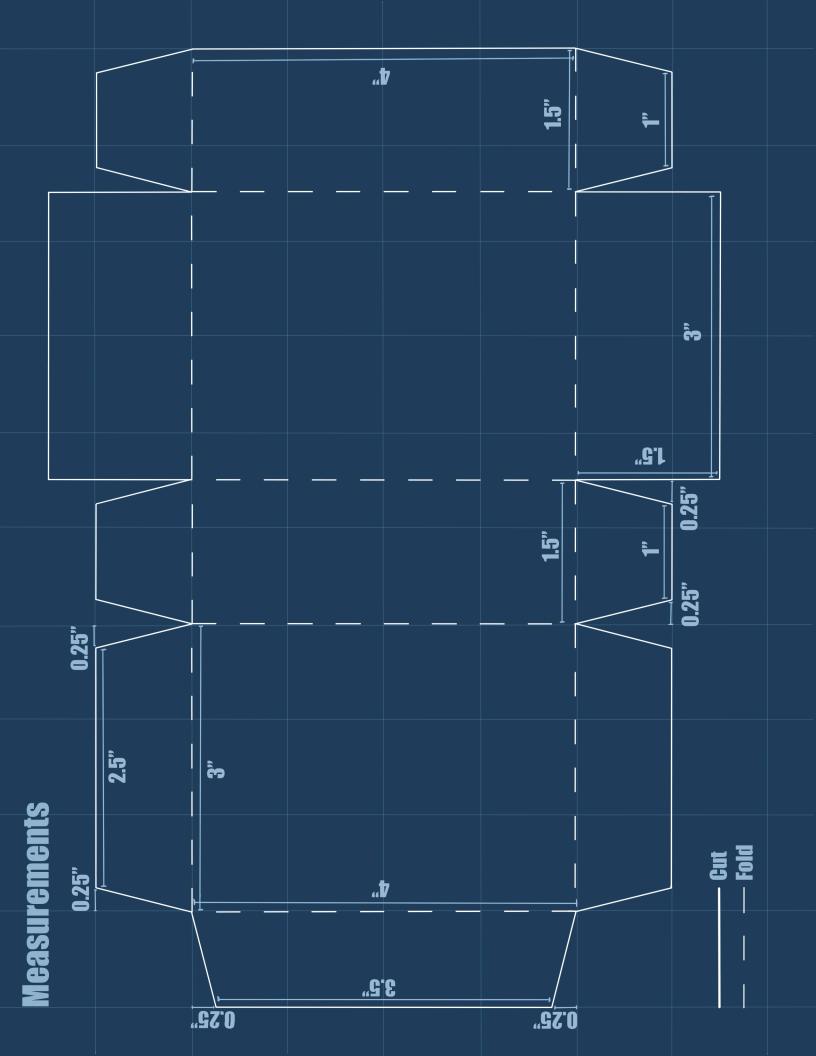
- 1. You can decorate this box however you like! But to make it look like a mahjong tile, paint the front white and the back another colour (green is common).
- 2. Print out the Mahjong Tile Templates, then cut it out and glue it onto the front of your box. These options are both honour tiles: the Red Dragon (hung zung) and the Green Dragon (faat choi). OR

Paint or draw on any tile you like! Check out all 144 tiles at the end of this document.

### **Fill Your Box!**

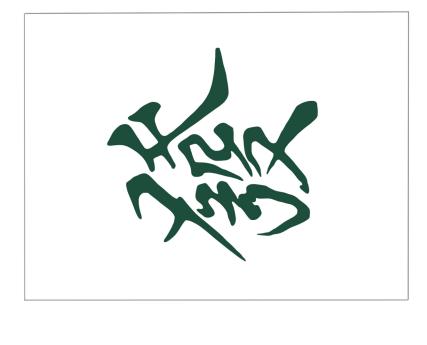
1. Fill your box with all sorts of fun objects! Find something red for good luck! Put some of your favourite rocks in there! Or maybe some special coins! Hide secret messages! It's all up to you:)





## **Mahjong Tile Templates**

# Print out and glue on to your box!



**Red Dragon - Hung Zung** 



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