T. REX POP-UP

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STEP I: Color in the T. rex card and pop-up pieces with crayons, markers, or colored pencils. Do not color the tabs on the pop-up pieces or the glue spots, marked with letters, on the card.

STEP 2: For best results, first score the folds: Using a ruler as a guide, press the rounded end of a paper clip along the dotted line down the center of the card. Then do the same along the dotted lines on both pop-up pieces.

STEP 3: Cut out the card and the pop-up pieces along the heavy black outside lines.

STEP 4: Next, ready all the folds by folding them, creasing them with your thumb or forefinger, and unfolding them. First fold the card in half along the scored center line. Crease the fold. Then open up the card again and set it aside.

STEP 5: Fold the T. rex face piece in half, folding the sides back away from you, along the center fold line. Then fold tabs A, B, and C away from you. Crease all the folds, then release them.



STEP 6: Fold the jaw pop-up piece in half, folding the sides back away from you, along the center fold line. Then fold tabs D and E away from you. Crease all the folds, then release them.

STEP 7: Apply a small amount of glue to tab A on the face piece. Fold the piece in half along the center fold line, with tab A tucked down, so that tab A is now glued to the right inside of the face. Press firmly and allow to dry.

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STEP 8: Apply a small amount of glue to tab B. Match up tab B to glue spot B on the card and press firmly. Apply a small amount of glue to tab D on the jaw piece. Match up tab D to glue spot D on the card and press firmly. Allow both tabs to dry.



STEP 9: Fold the face and jaw pieces, sides back away from you. Press them onto the left side of the card, with the letters on tabs C and E facing up. Apply small amounts of glue to tabs C and E and close the card. Press firmly and allow to dry. Your pop-up T. rex is now finished — *chomp!*



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T. REX CARD

