How to make a Peace Teller (Peace Fortune Teller)

At the Peace Booth, your Peace Teller is already cut into a square, so you can skip the first two steps:



At home:

- 1. Print page two, which contains the Peace Teller
- 2. Cut out the main square and recycle the trimmed pieces. This will leave a square like you see on the left.

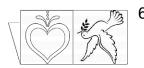
To fold the Peace Teller:

- 1. Lay the square Peace Teller on a table, with the *printed side face down*
- 2. Fold the bottom *right* corner (along the diagonal) to the top *left*, then unfold the sheet. Next, fold the bottom *left* up to the top *right* (along the other diagonal), then unfold again, leaving a square with two diagonal (corner to corner) creases, as on the left.
- Fold each corner of the paper into the center along the lines, forming a diamond with numbers 1 through 8 in the corners, as shown to the right.

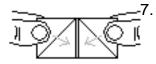


- 4. Turn the paper over and you will see four creases. Fold each corner of this diamond into the center, along the lines that form the square in the middle. You should see just the numbers 1 through 8, as seen to the left.
- 5. When you turn the paper over again, you will have four squares (each with a diagonal crease that meets at the center); see the image on the right.





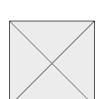
6. Fold the bottom half *backwards* and up along the center horizontal crease, as on the left. This leaves four small pockets for your fingers.



Hold the paper and push the upper corners in inwards while spreading the top center apart, forming a pocket. Insert your index finger and thumb from each hand to work the Peace Teller.

You can make and decorate your own Peace Teller; just use this one as a guide. Note that the images at the corners are the outside of the teller; the numbers are what you will see as you work the jaws or mouth of the teller back and forth; the words will be hidden until you unfold them. Be creative and make your own Peace Teller from scratch with your own words and images of peace!

For additional details & guidance, visit http://www.mathematische-basteleien.de/fortune_teller.htm









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