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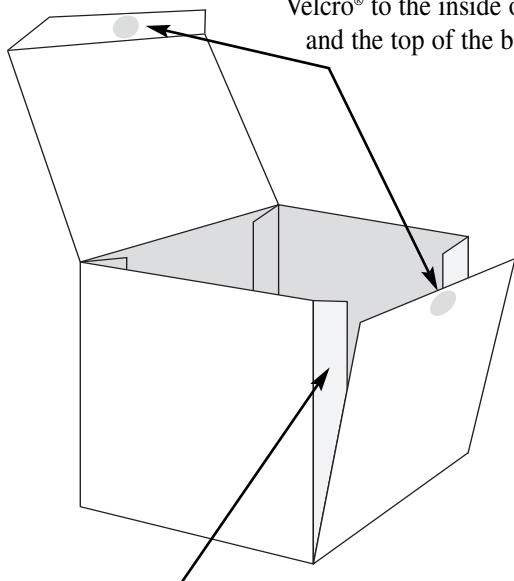
# Bug-in-a-Box Assembly Instructions

## Items needed:

- Access to computer and color printer
- Card stock or heavy printer paper
- Scissors.
- Glue stick or double-stick tape
- Adhesive backed Velcro

**A**

Apply adhesive-backed pieces of Velcro® to the inside of lid tab and the top of the box front.



Apply glue stick or double-stick tape to front of four tabs, where indicated on pattern.

## **A** Assembling the box:

1. Download and print desired box pattern.
2. Cut out box pattern on solid line.
3. Fold box panels and flaps on dotted lines.
4. Apply glue or double-stick tape to tabs where indicated and fold panels into place.

## **B** Making the paper spring:

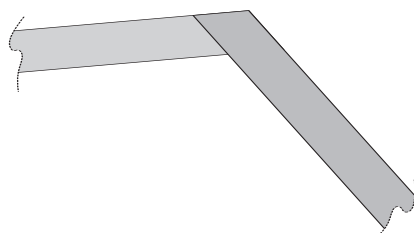
1. Cut 1 inch wide by 11 inches long strips of card stock.
2. Tape at least two strips together end-to-end to make one long strip. Do this twice, making two long strips. (Hint: A longer strip will make your bug 'jump' more)
3. Tape two of the long strips you've created together into an 'L' shape.
4. Fold the strips alternately back and forth on top of each other until the strips are completely folded.

## Completing your "Bug-in-a-Box":

1. Glue your spring in the center of the box bottom.
2. Choose a bug and glue it to the top of the spring.
3. While pushing the spring down, close the lid and press Velcro together to seal the lid shut.
4. Undo the Velcro and watch your bug jump out!

**B**

Step 3.  
Tape two strips together  
in an 'L' shape.



Step 4.

Fold the strips alternately back and forth on top of each other until the strips are completely folded.

