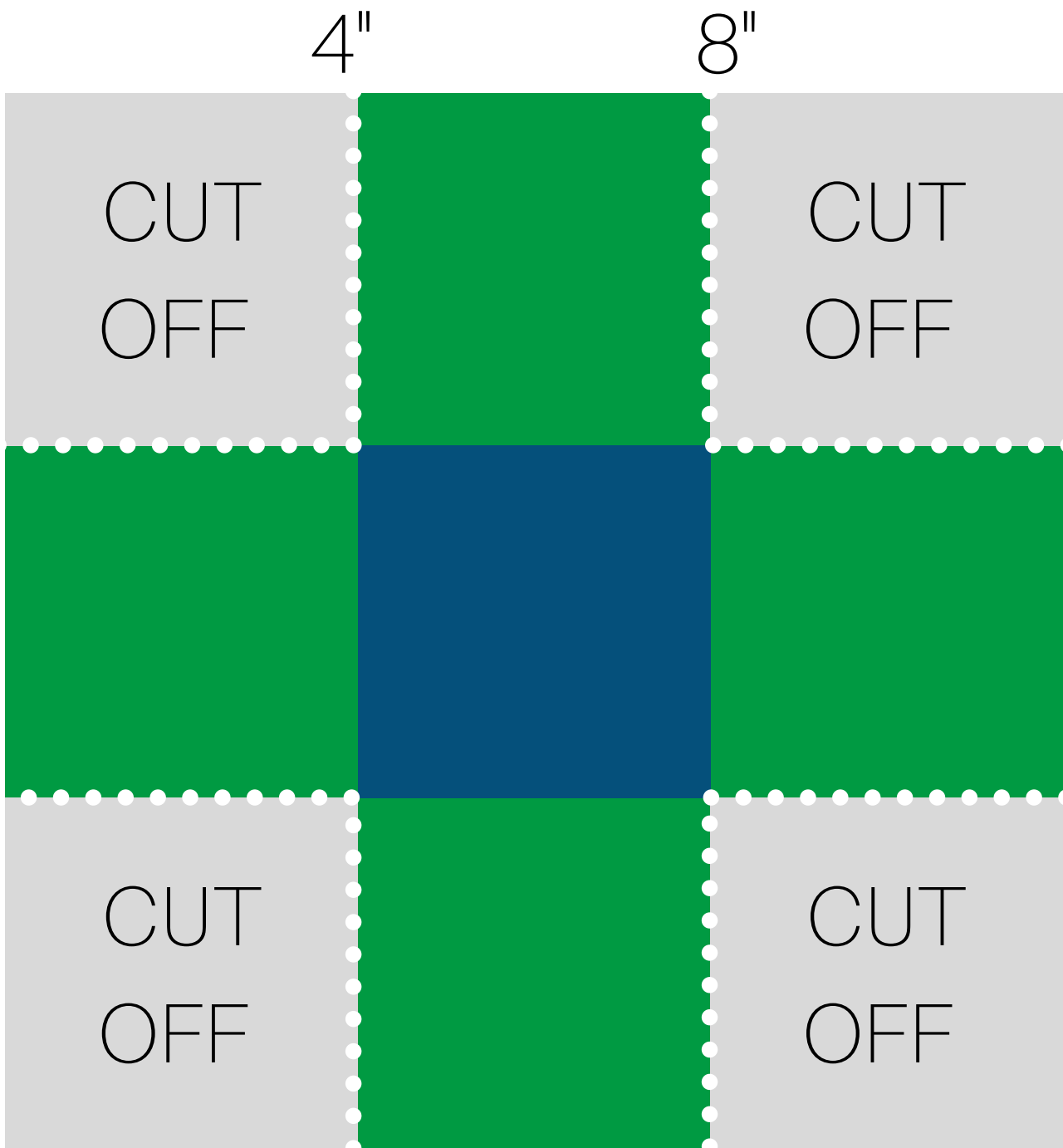


Explosion Box Template



12 x 12

Explosion Box Template

Measurement Cheat Sheet

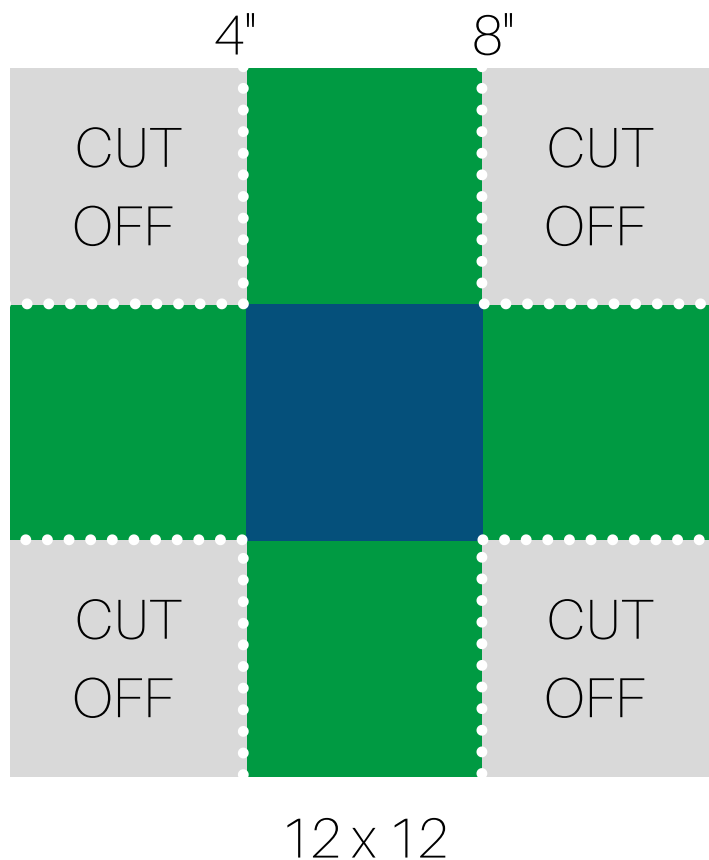
Outer box: 12 x 12 paper; score & cut at 4", 8"

1st layer: 11.25" x 11.25"; score & cut at 3.75" & 7.5"

2nd layer: 10.5" x 10.5"; score & cut at 3.5" & 7"

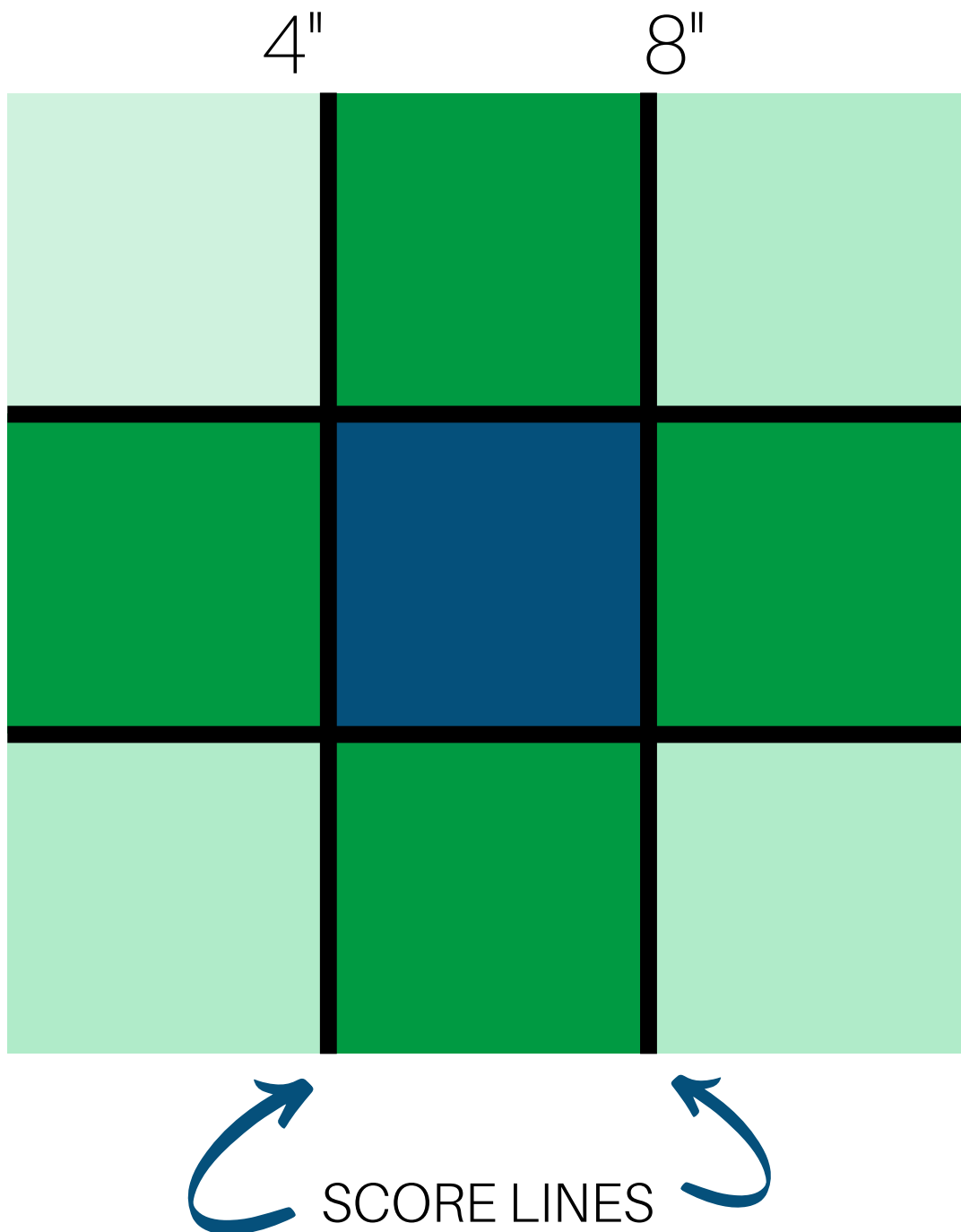
3rd layer: 9.75" x 9.75"; score & cut at 3.25" & 6.5"

Lid: 6 1/4" x 6 1/4", scored at 1" on all sides. Cut tabs.



Explosion Box Template

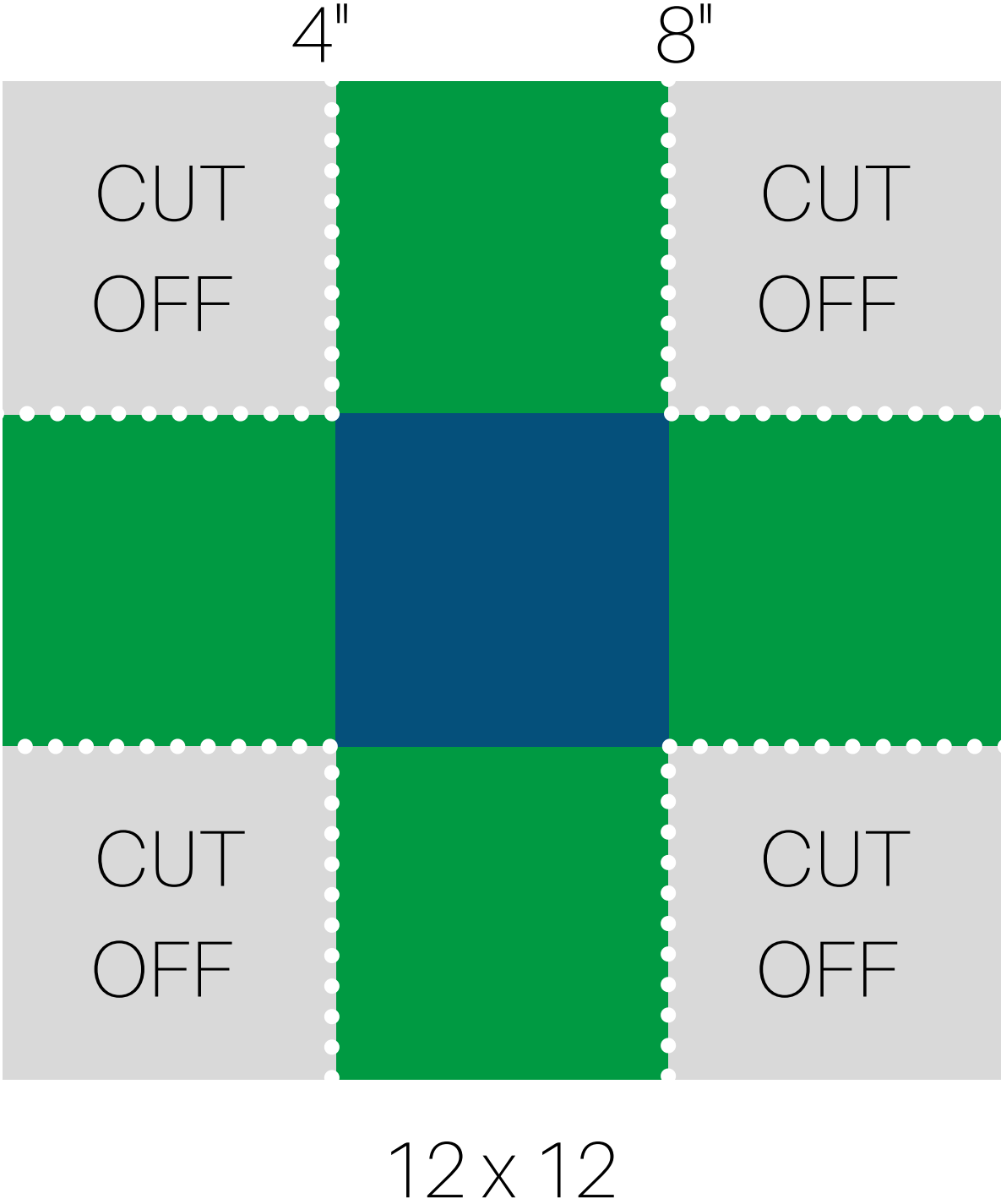
Score 12" x 12" paper at 4" & 8".
Flip one turn & score at 4" & 8" again.



Explosion Box Template: Outer Box

Cut 12" x 12" paper over 4" score line to first center line to cut off the outsides of the box.

Cut out next corner at the 8" score line down to the first center line.
Repeat with bottom corners.



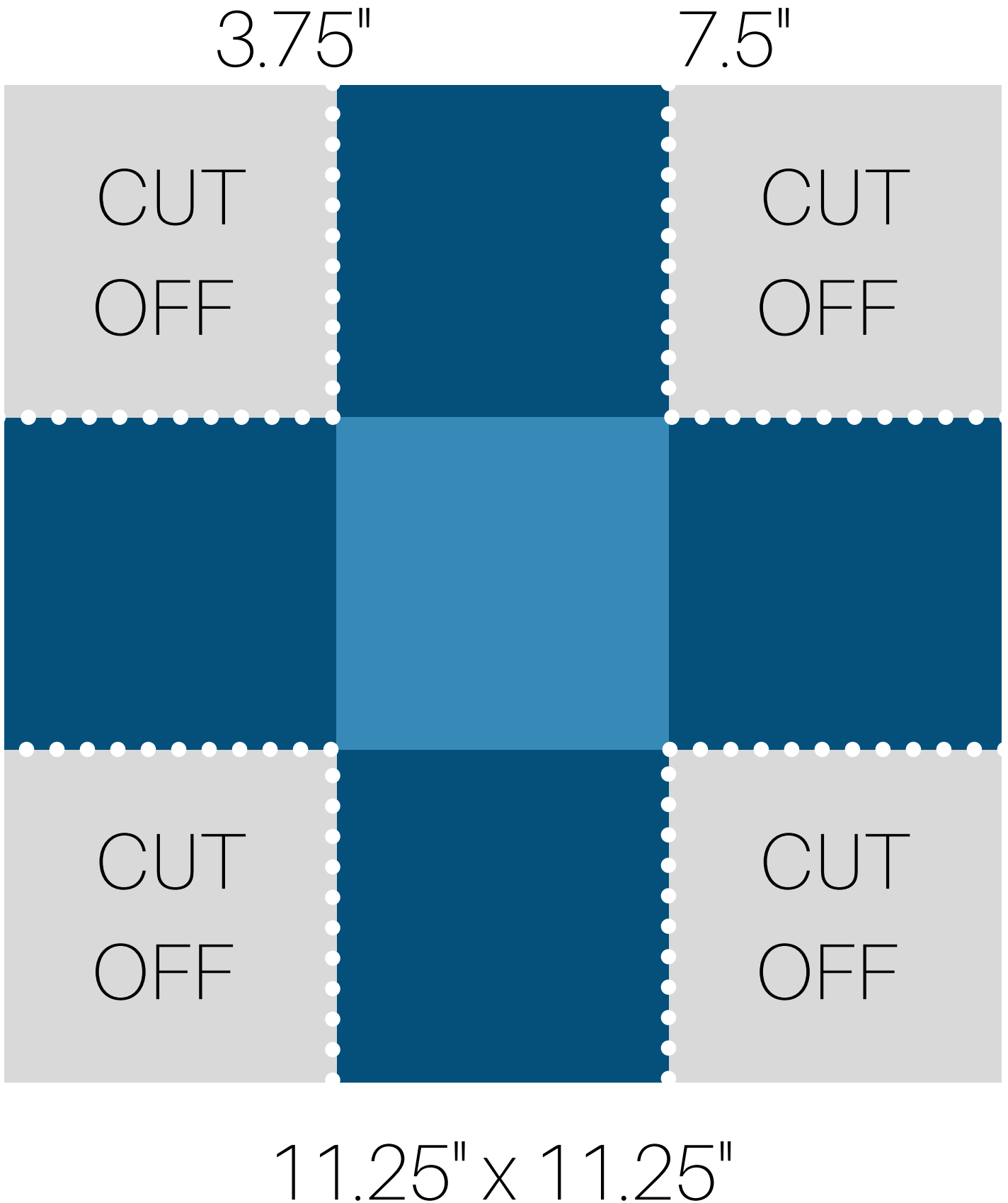
FIRST LAYER

Score 11.25" x 11.25" paper at the 3.75" mark and 7.5" mark.

Turn 90 degrees and repeat.

Cut out the corner at the 3.75" and 7.5" marks
down to the first center line.

Repeat with bottom corners.



SECOND LAYER

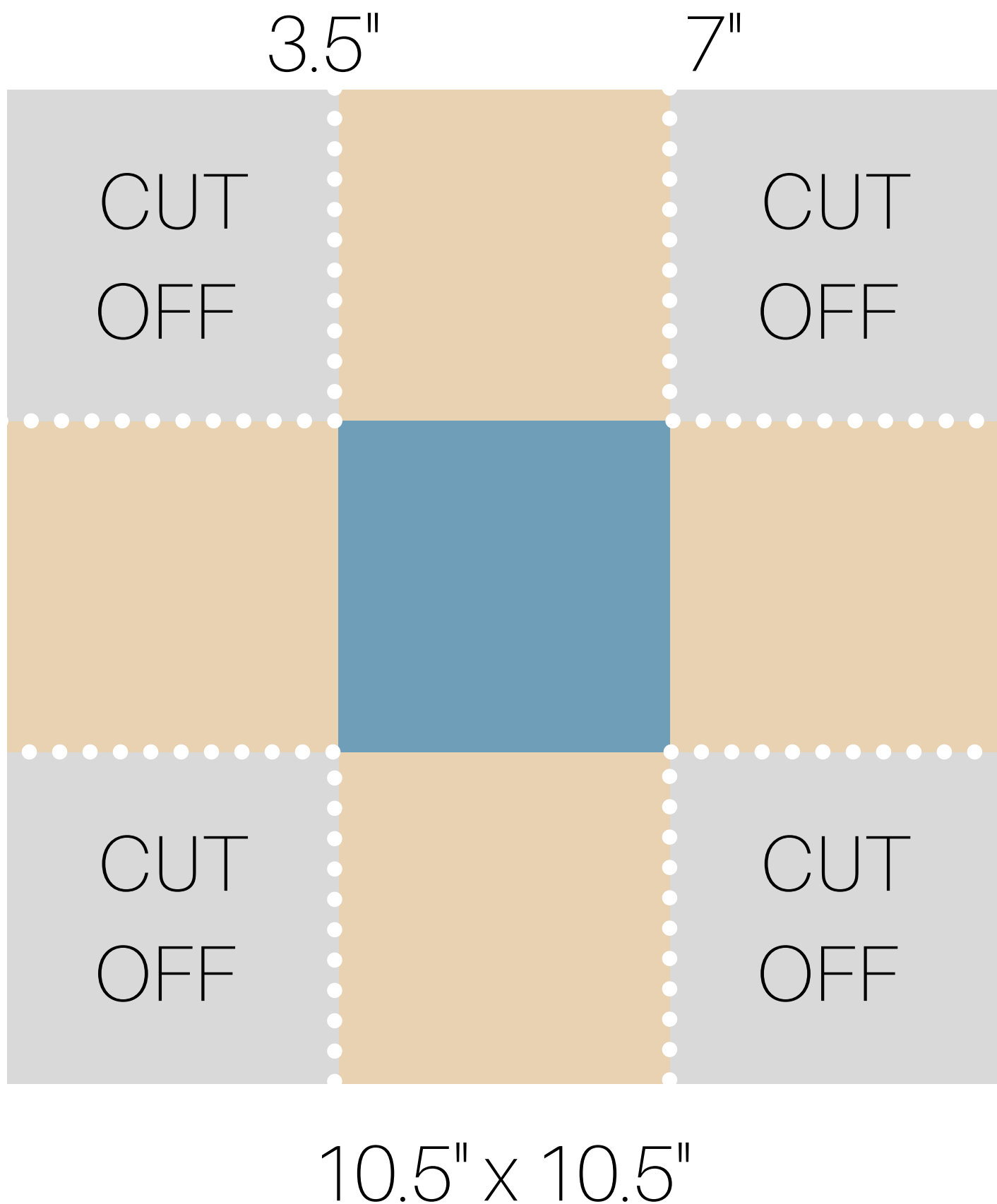
Score 10.5" x 10.5" paper at the 3.5" mark and 7" mark.

Turn 90 degrees and repeat.

Cut out the corner at the 3.5" and 7" marks

down to the first center line.

Repeat with bottom corners.



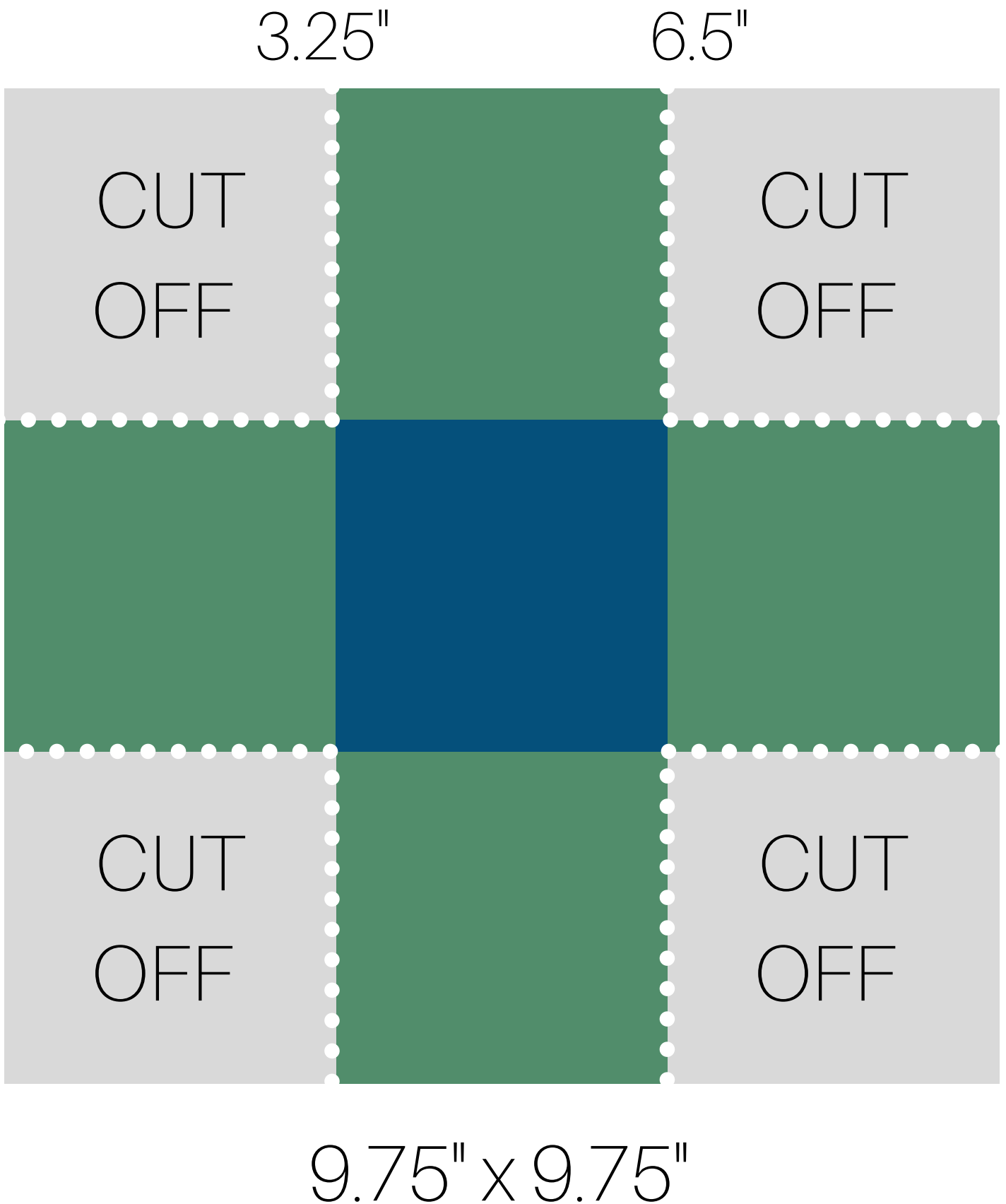
THIRD LAYER

Score 9.75" x 9.75" paper at the 3.25" mark and 6.5" mark.

Turn 90 degrees and repeat.

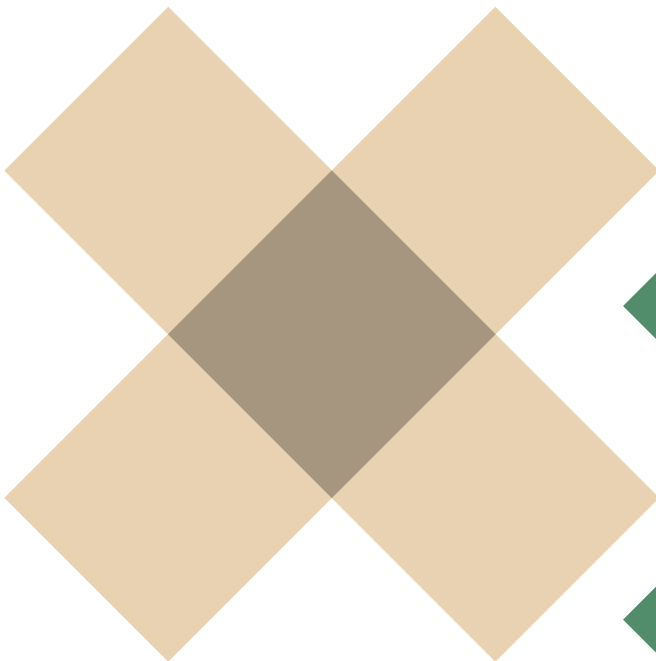
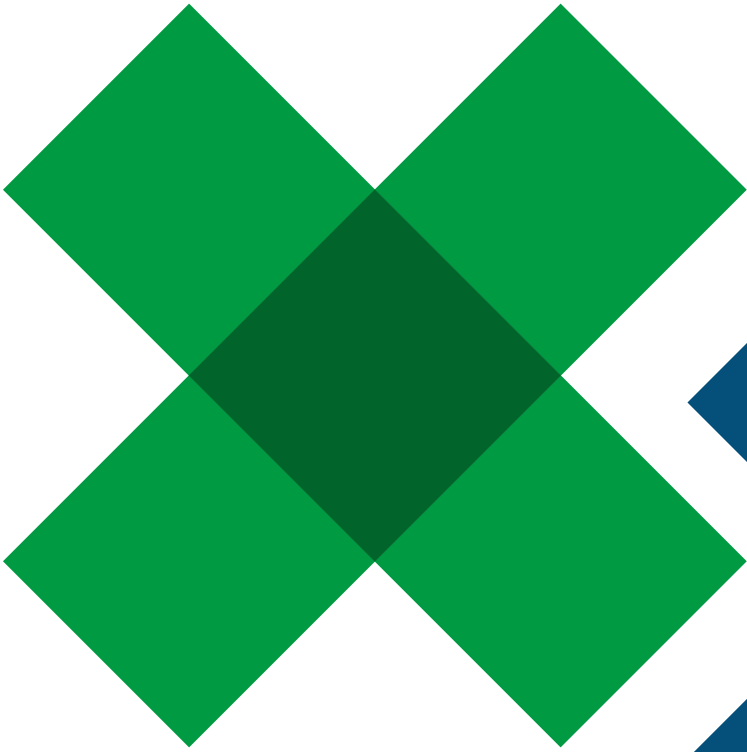
Cut out the corner at the 3.25" and 6.5" marks
down to the first center line.

Repeat with bottom corners.



LAYERS

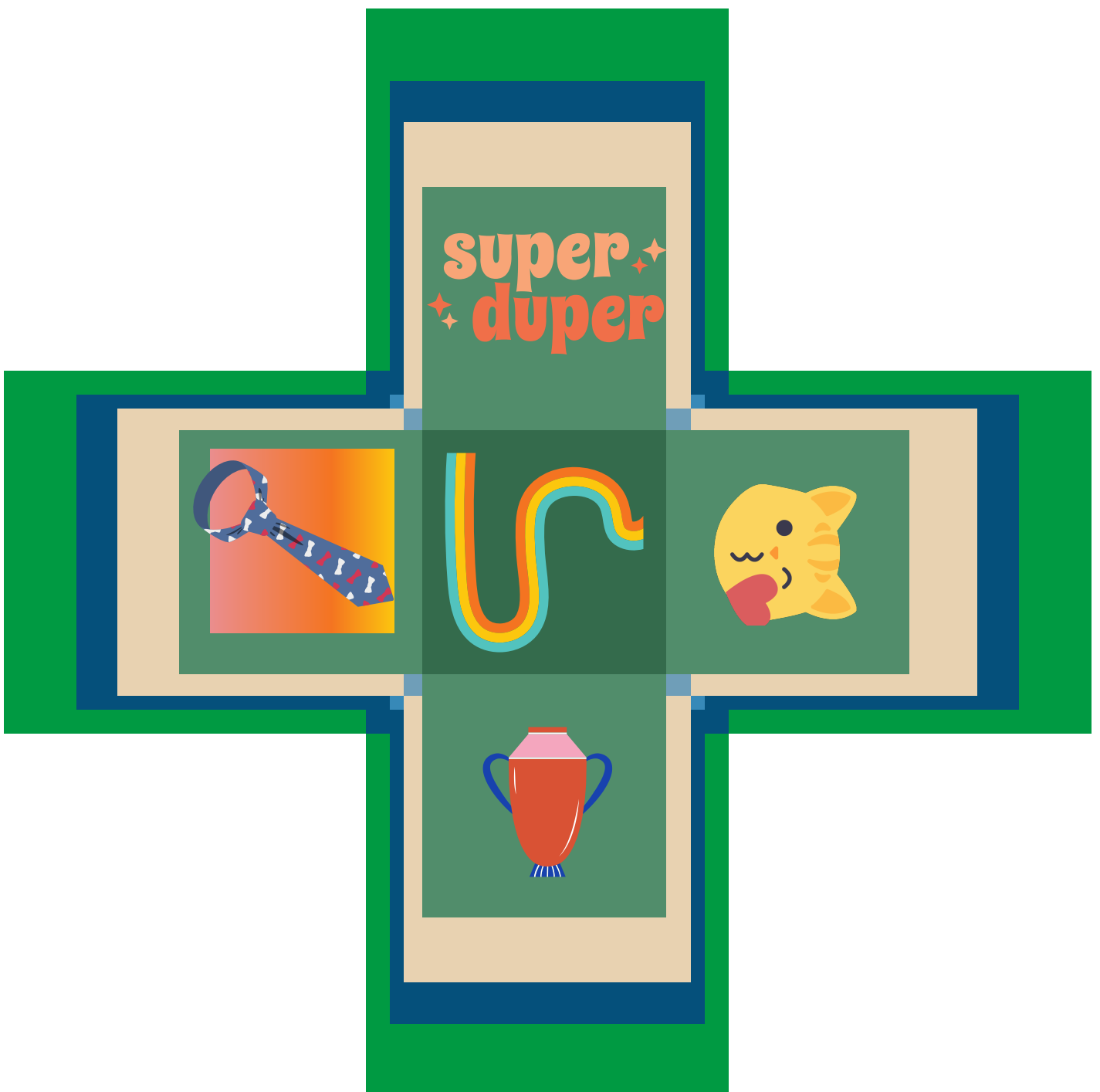
You will have the following layers.



LAYERING THE BOXES

Decorate each layer with photos, stickers, scrapbook paper or stamped images. After you have fully decorated each layer, begin gluing the pieces together. Start with the inner most piece and adhere it to the next layer.

Repeat until you adhere the largest piece to the outer box.



MAKING THE LID

Cut card stock to 6.25" x 6.25" .

Score at 1" on all sides.

Cut tabs - one at each corner (4 cuts.)

Decorate lid before gluing tabs to to the sides of lid.

