



PART 3

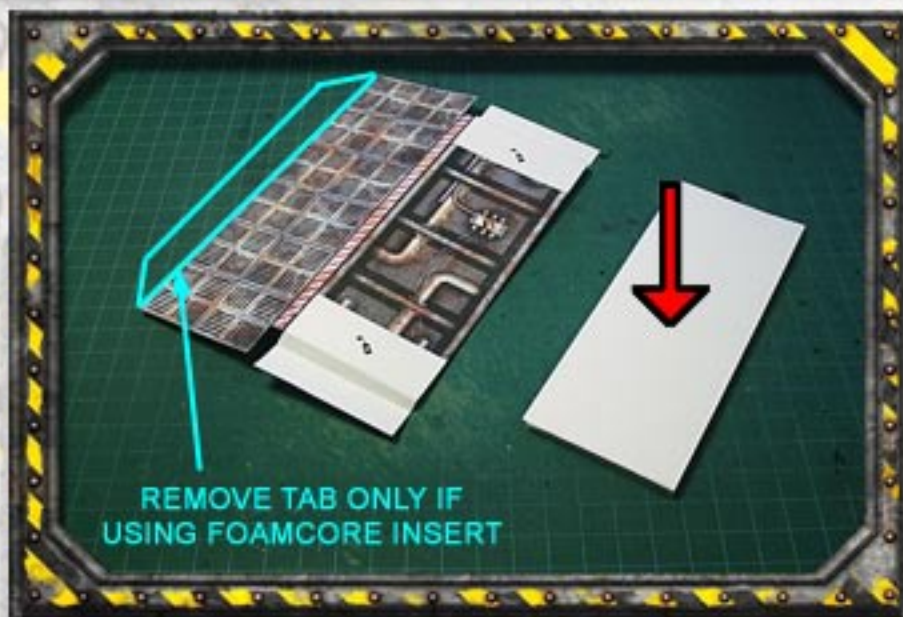
WALKWAYS AND STRUCTURES



Now that you have platforms, you'll need a way to move between them. Battleground gives you a choice of either 6" or 9" walkways and 3" and 6" ladders as well as 3" stairs.

In addition, Battleground introduces a new floating wall system that allows you to build structures as needed, separate from ground tiles and even collapsable for easy transport!



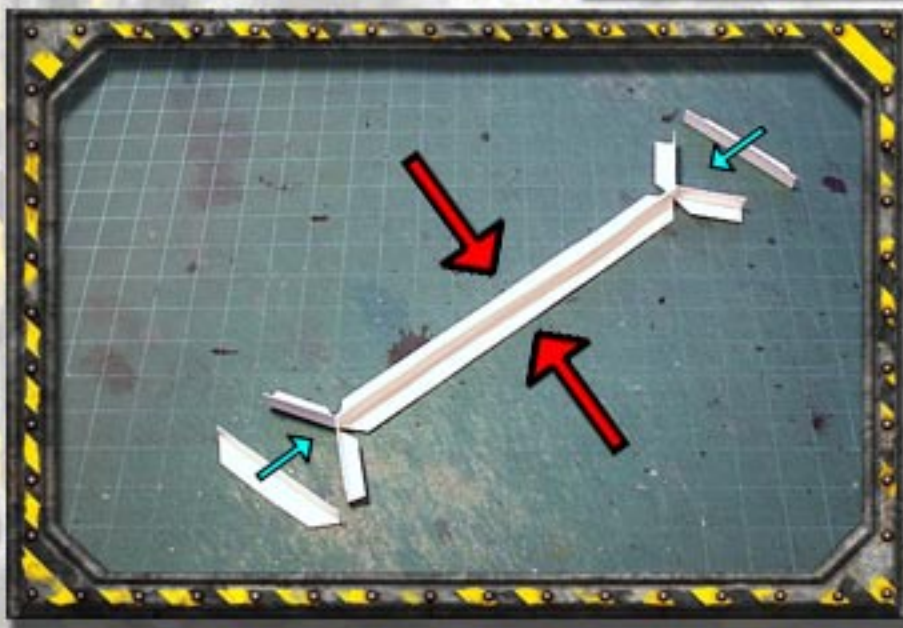
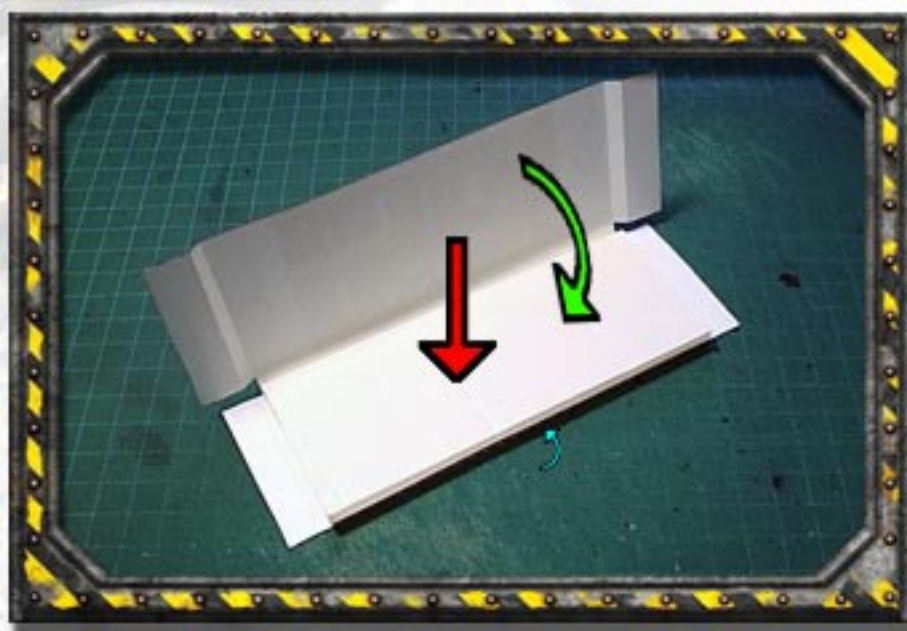


The walkways are fairly straightforward. Begin by scoring, cutting out, folding and edging the walkway as directed.

If you plan to use foamcore reinforcement, glue the blank template to a piece and trim it down when dry (if you use this option, you will need to remove the long tab on the walkway side).

Learn all about edging and other top tips in the tutorials section at www.worldworksgames.com

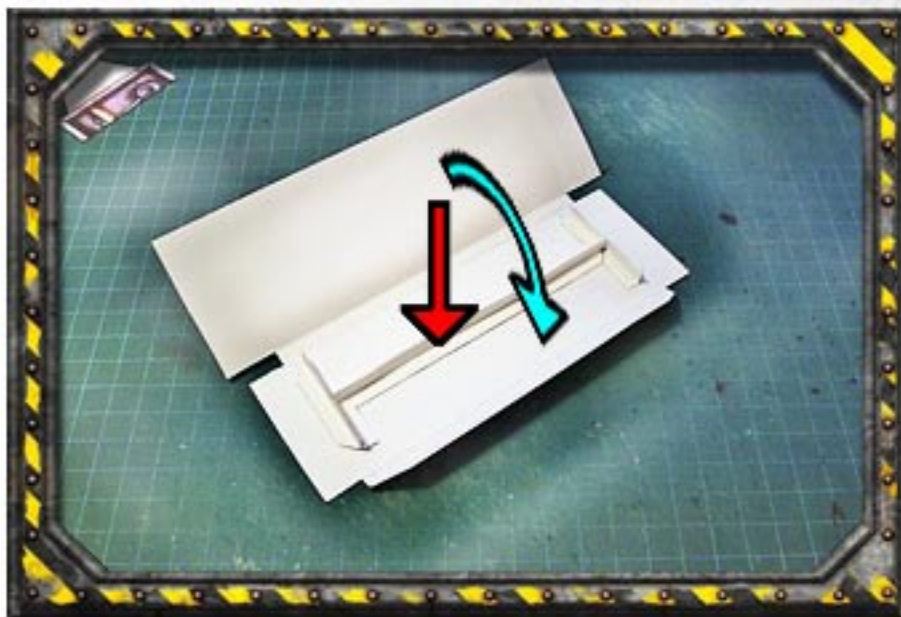
Glue the foamcore insert to the underside of the walkway and then glue both the sides and the bottom into place, surrounding the foamcore entirely.



If you don't want to use foamcore, a cardstock "spine" has been provided. Pay close attention to the folds on the spine.

Begin by gluing the two sides of the central spine into place. When dry, attach the end pieces to either end, creating a elongated "H" shape.



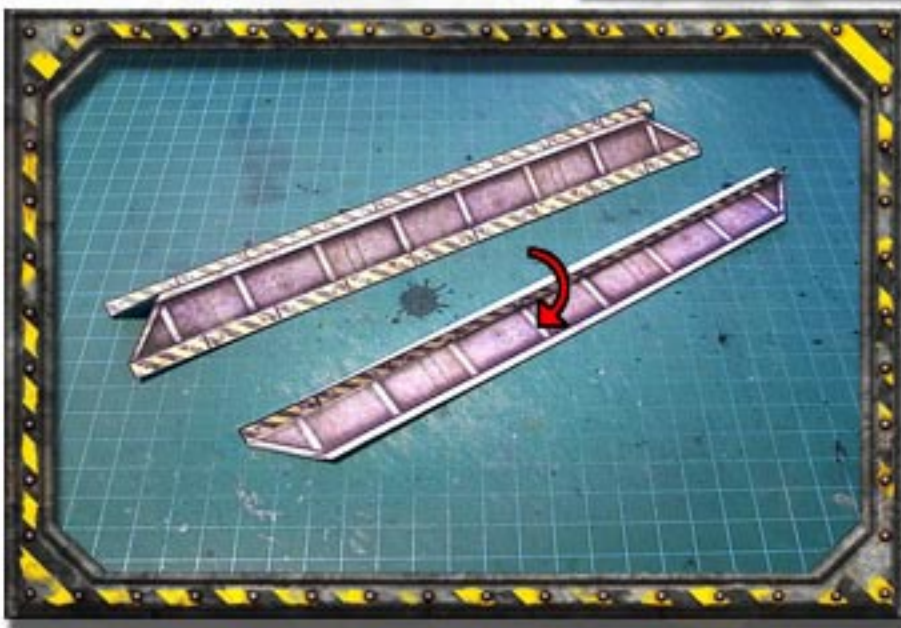
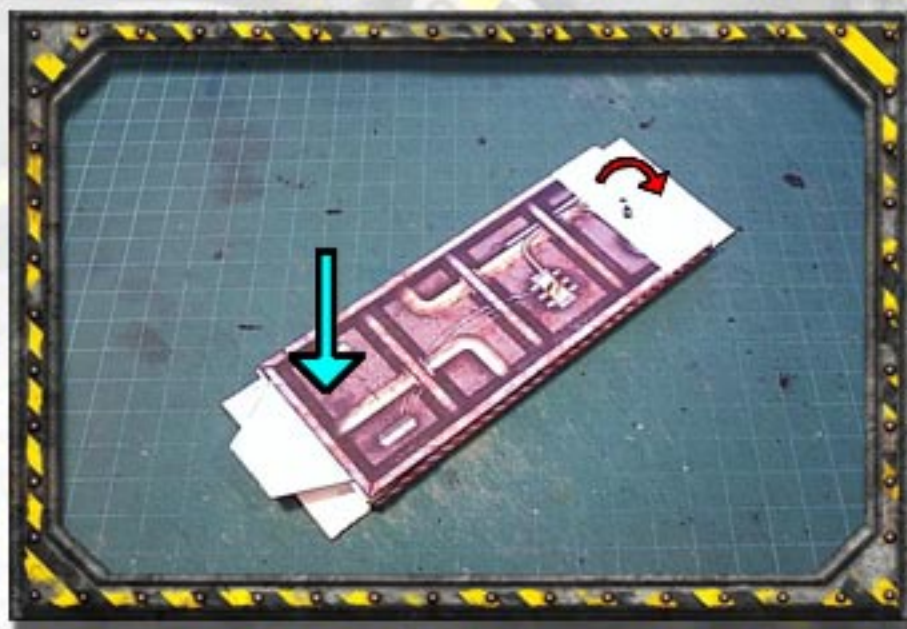


Glue the completed spine to the back of the bottom of the walkway.

When dry, apply glue to the large tab along the side and fold over the topside of the walkway.

Regardless of which internal support method you chose, complete the walkway by applying glue to the inside of the end tabs and folding them over the ends.

Finish the walkway by gluing the connector tab to the designated gluing area. These are matched to specific ends, so make sure you glue the right one on.

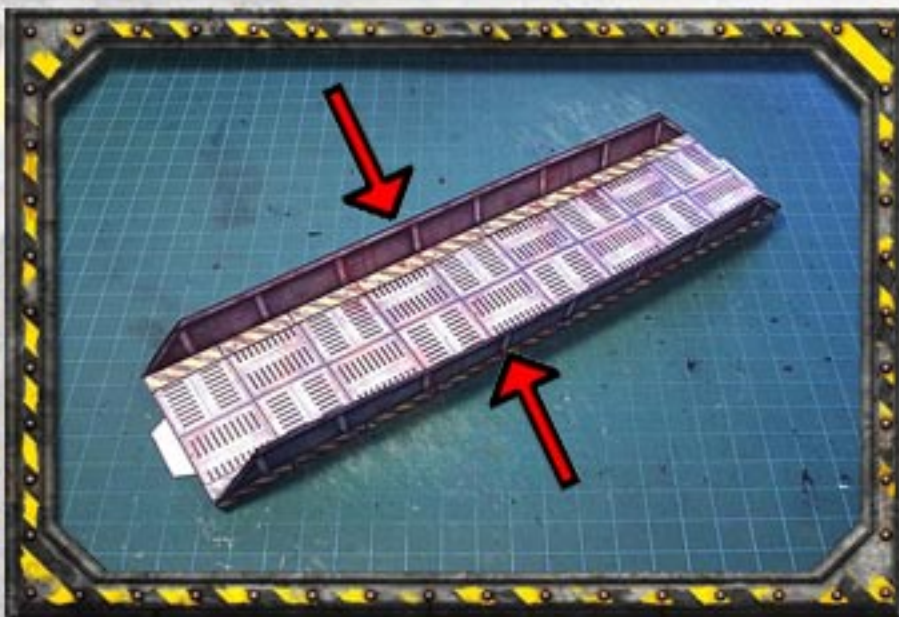


Optional railings are provided for the walkways.

Apply glue along the length of the railing and then rub firmly (burnish) along it's length to set the glue.

Note that one of the emergency striped edges is a reverse fold, so be sure not to glue these together accidentally.





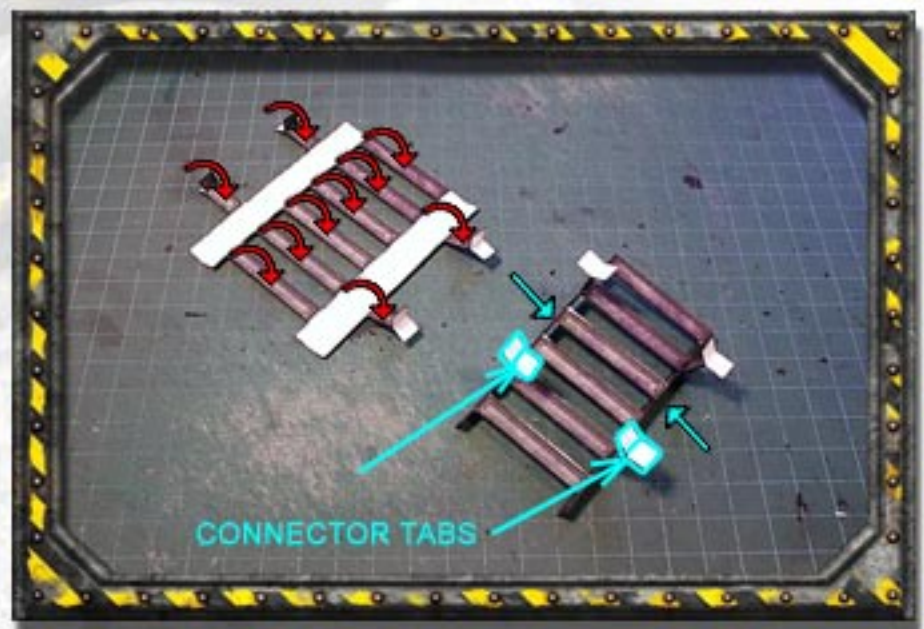
Attach the railings to the walkways by gluing one of the emergency striped edges to the side and the other to the top.

Simple!

Next, ladders. To begin, run a bead of glue along the backs of all the rungs and arms. Fold them over and allow them to dry.

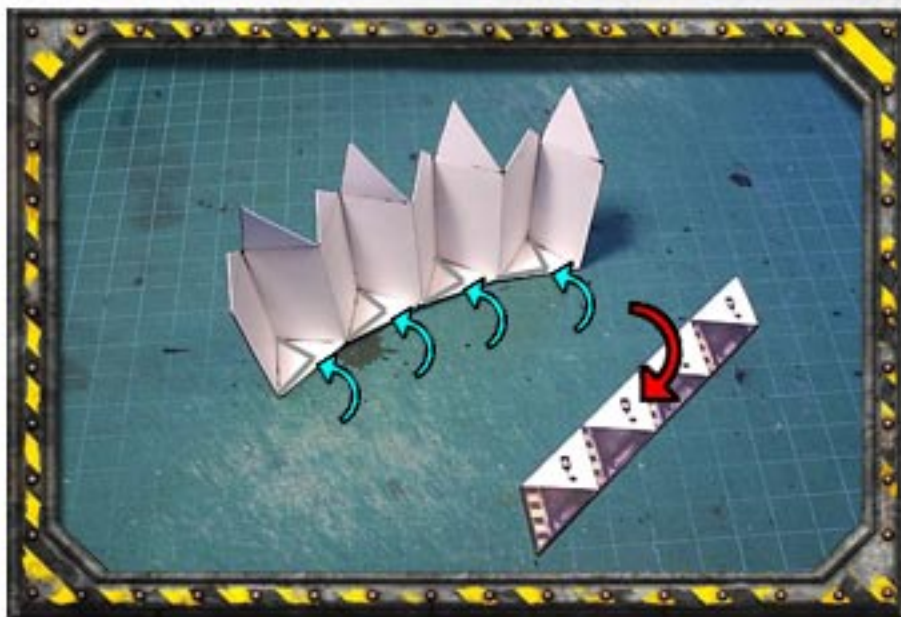
To finish, apply glue to the inner faces of the sides of the ladder and fold them together. Re-edge as needed.

Take care not to accidentally glue together the connector tabs on the ends of the ladder's arms.



Apply glue to the backs of the connector tabs and attach the finished ladder to the face of a bulkhead.





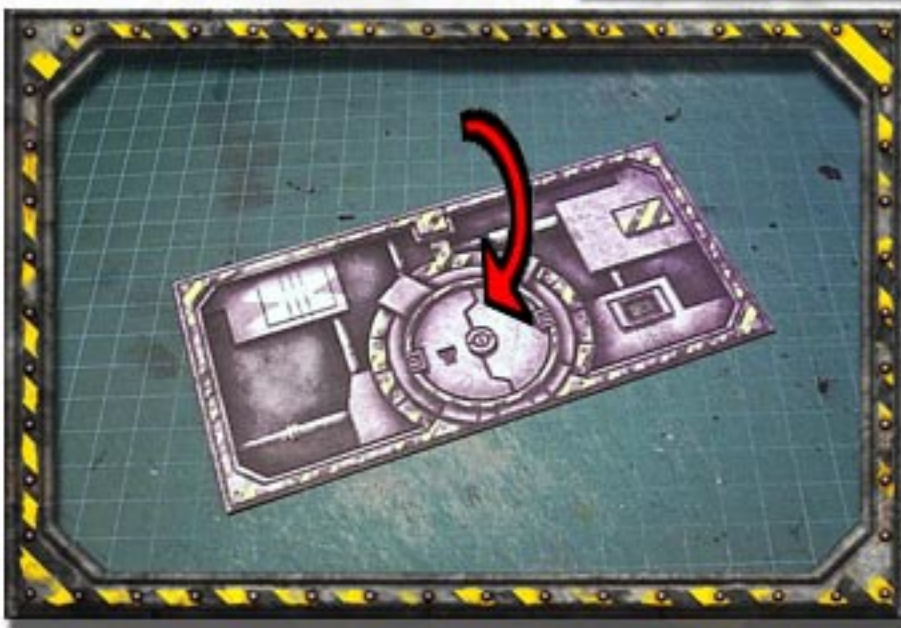
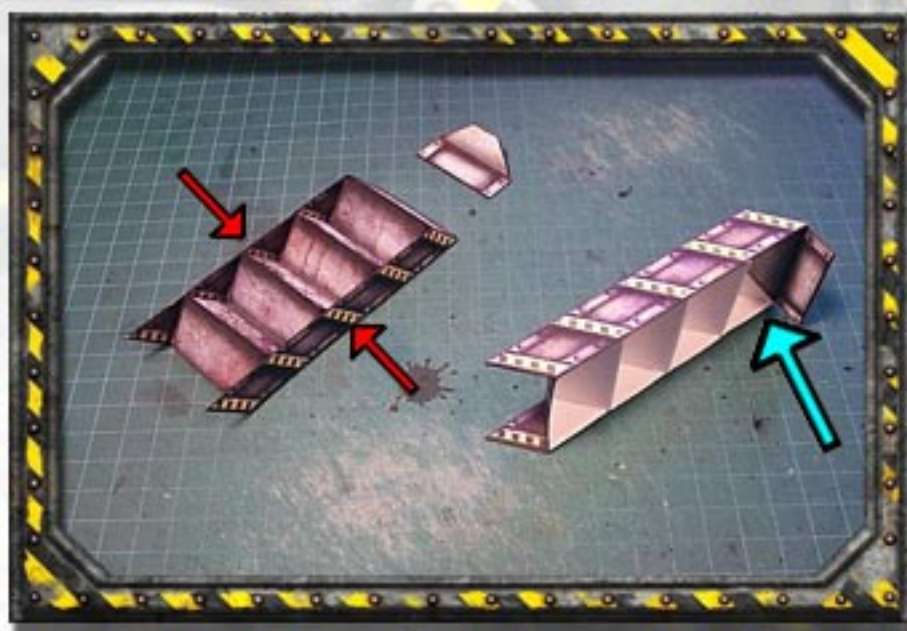
Stairs are assembled from three parts.

The sides of the stairs are simple fold-overs. Apply glue to the inside and then burnish.

For the steps, apply glue to each of the smaller triangles and attach these to the insides of the larger triangles as shown.

Glue the finished sides to the finished steps at the designated gluing points.

The final part is an anchor. Glue the trapezoidal flap to the underside of the top step as shown.

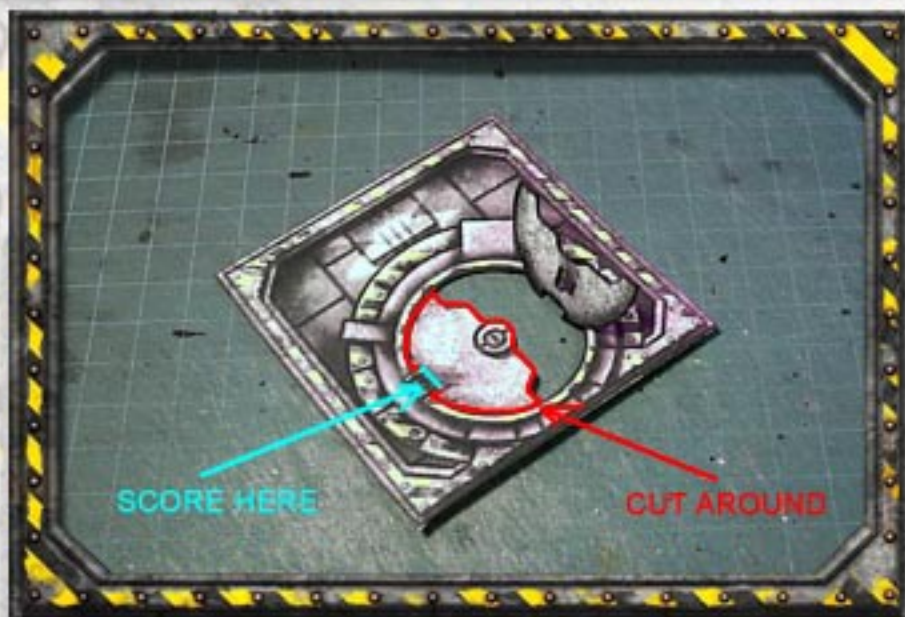


The walls in Battleground are simple fold overs.

If you have a high water content glue, you should use as little as possible and place the finished wall under a heavy weight like a book while it dries to prevent warping.

Alternatively, double-sided tape can be especially useful here.





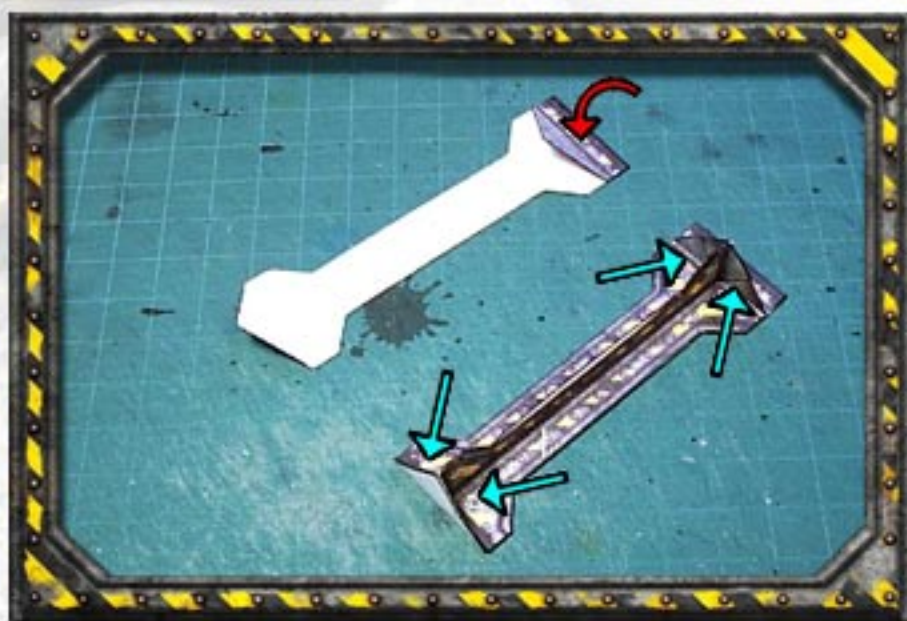
You can make the doors functional by scoring a line along the inner side of the hinge and then cutting along the perimeter of the door as shown.

The walls are connected by special "pockets" that come in two shapes- Ts and corners.

We'll start with the Ts. Apply glue to the small rectangular area below the triangle at the top of the T and fold it over as shown.

When dry, apply a drop of glue to the small triangular tabs at the tops of the inserts and glue them into place.

DO NOT GLUE THE SIDES OF THE POCKET TOGETHER!

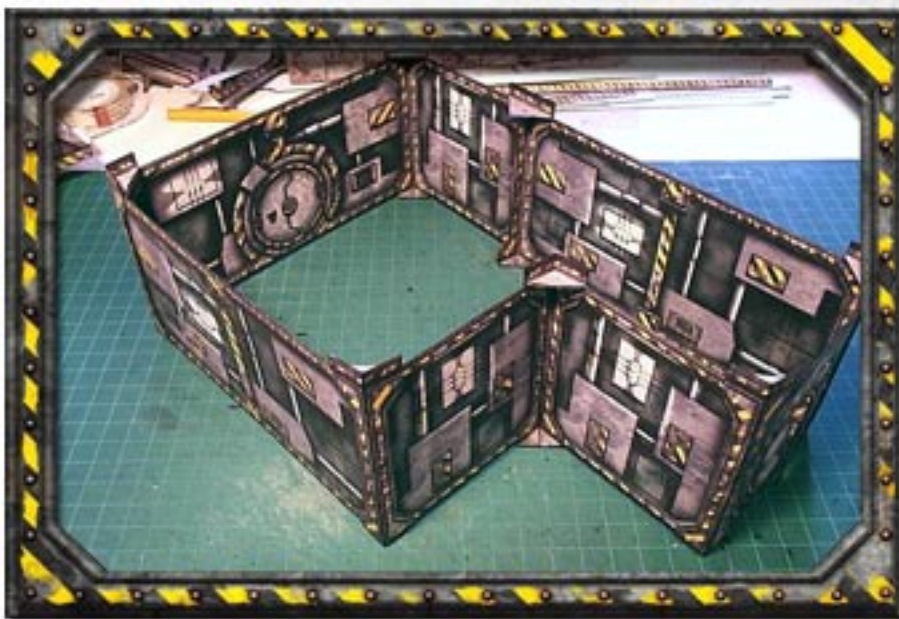


Corner pockets go together much the same way. Begin by gluing the top rectangular part into place.

Next, apply a drop of glue to one of the triangular tabs at the top and bottom of the corner and attach them.

Finally, glue the insert into place. Again, only glue the top and bottom tabs into place, **DO NOT GLUE THE SIDES!**

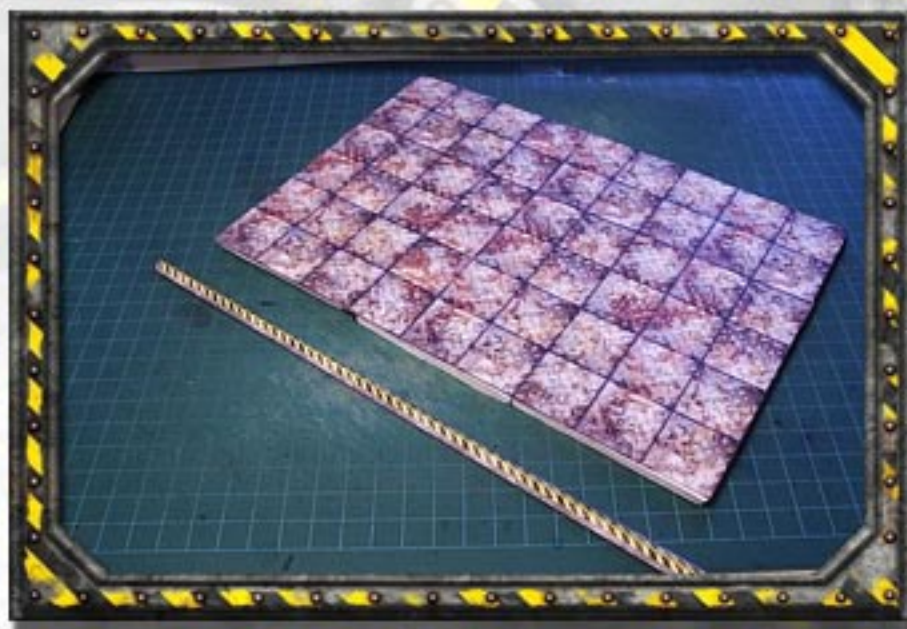




Once you've completed your pockets you can simply slide the walls into place to create a completely collapsable structure or you can glue the walls into the pockets for a permanent construction.

You can make a roof for your structure using the special 6"x9" roof template provided or by trimming down any of the standard ground tiles.

If you're not using black foamcore you'll probably want to conceal the edges using edging strips (see PART 1- Ground Tiles).



Once completed, you can add stairs or a ladder to provide roof access.

