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Cat Puppet
Fold diagonal of a square paper

Turn the paper. Fold corners to meet at the centre.

Fold looks like a square envelope

Turn the fold. Fold corners once again to the centre point.

so that the fold look like this

Turn the paper. Draw eyes.
To make a cat puppet, close 2 of the 4 pockets as shown.

Slip your right index and middle fingers into the 2 upper pockets.

Grasp the lower right hand corner between right thumb and ring finger.

By raising and lowering your right hand fingers, you can make the cat chat or eat.
PAPER PUPPETS

Most children make the Tippy - Tippy - Tappy (also called the salt and pepper box or DIN - RAAT). With a few more folds they can make two delightful paper puppets.

1. Fold the diagonals of a 20 cm square piece of paper to locate its centre.
2. Fold all the four corners to meet at the centre.
3. It will look like an envelope.
4. Turn over the envelope and fold the 4 corners once again to the centre to make a smaller envelope.
5. Turn over the small envelope. With this we will make two puppets.

Cat - Chat

1. Bring the top edge to meet the bottom edge. Crease sharply and open. Now, fold the right edge to meet the left edge. This time do not open.
2. You will find four flaps along the right edge. Draw the eyes of the cat.
3. Slip your right index and middle fingers into the two upper pockets. Grasp the lower right hand corner between your right thumb and ring finger.
4. By raising and lowering your right hand fingers you can make the cat chat.