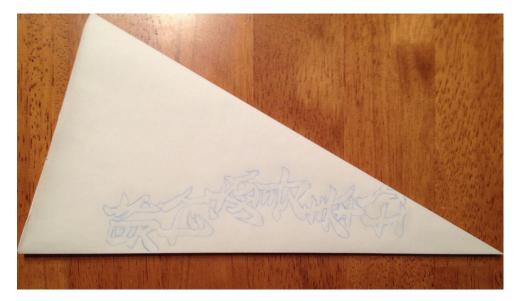
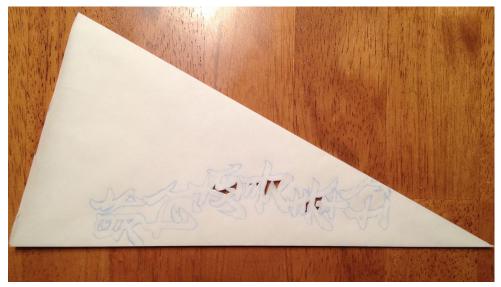
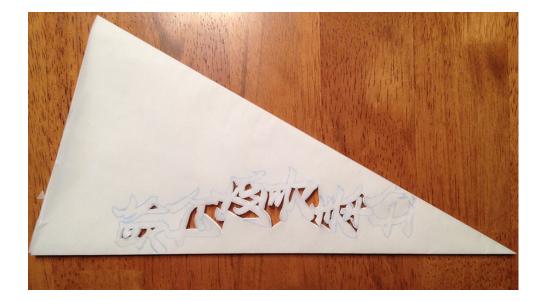
CAJ 65th Anniversary Snowflake – Cutting Sequence

I learned how to fold the paper to make a six-sided paper snowflake from my brother, who learned the method at yochien. The folding results in a shape I call the magic triangle. Whatever you cut into this magic triangle gets mirrored and repeated.



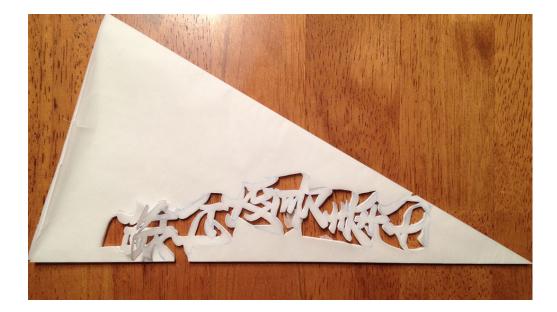








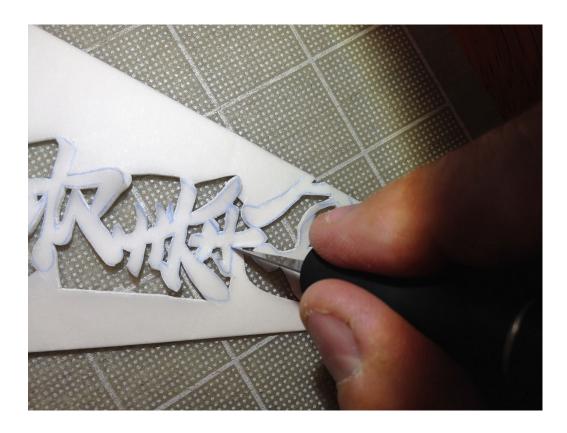












Unfolding After Cutting

After the cutting is complete, the design must be unfolded carefully. Often the paper sticks together stubbornly, especially in the narrow places where the cuts come to a point. In the case of this design, the paper began curling and sticking together. It took about 30 minutes to get it completely unfolded.







