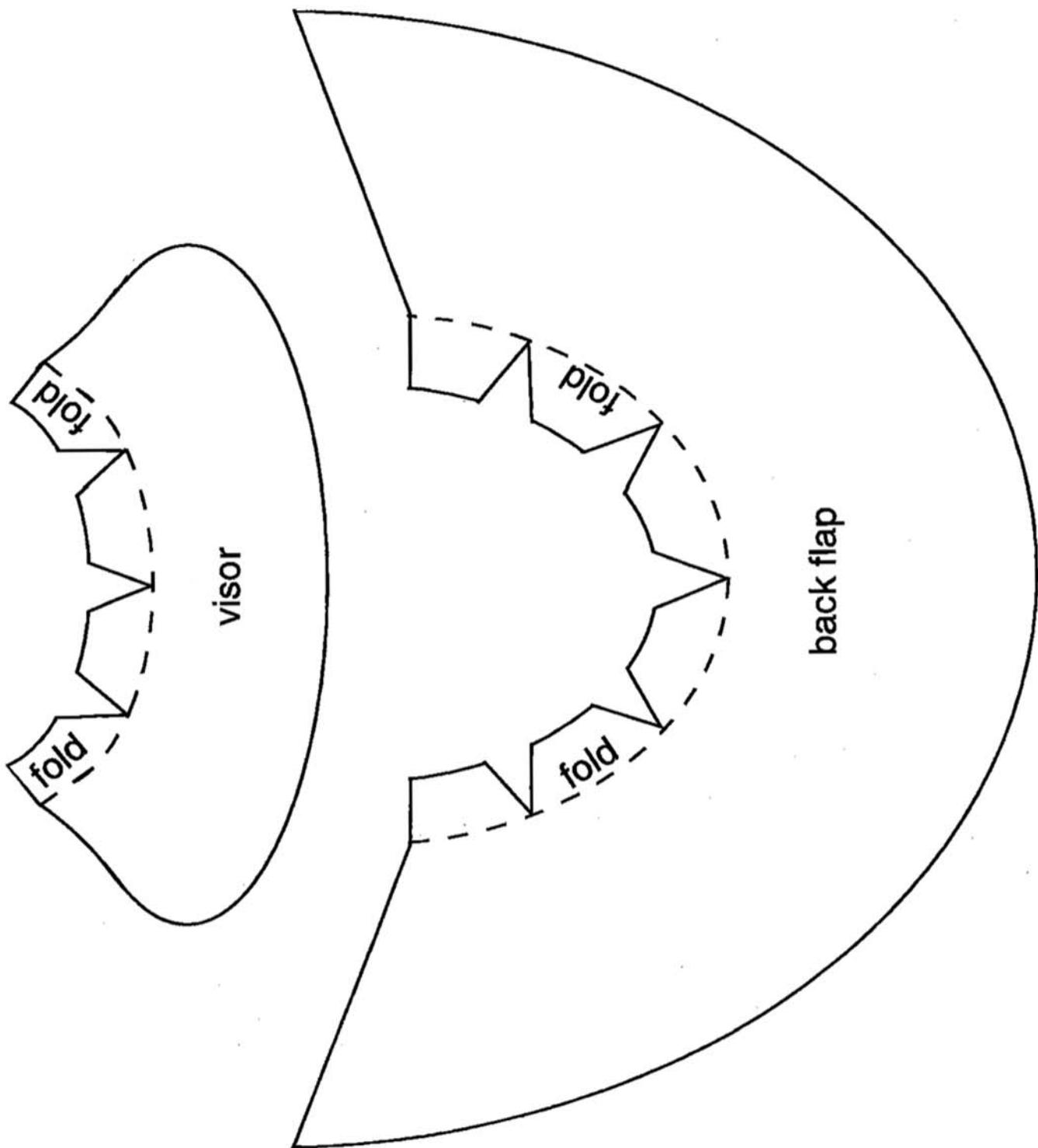


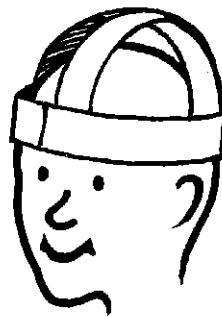
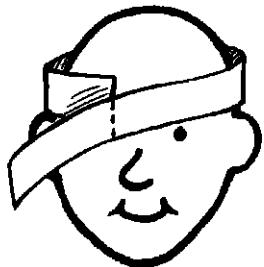
ACTIVITY: MAKE A SAMURAI HELMET

This project is for younger students who will use the template to make a samurai helmet. They will then decorate it with drawings inspired by originals in the Japan gallery.

- 1 Enlarge the templates of the back-flap and the visor by 200% on a photocopier. Use the templates to transfer the shapes to thick black paper and cut out. Cut little V-shapes in the edges as shown on the template.

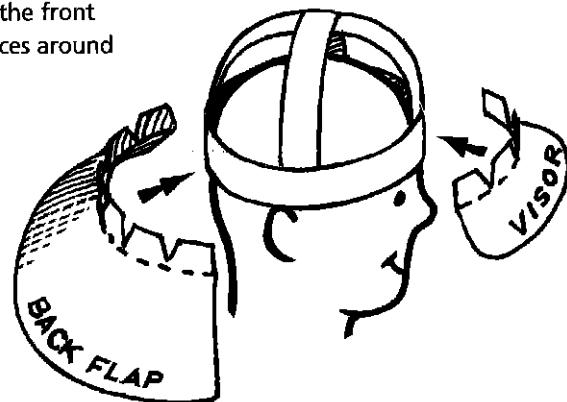


2 Cut a strip of black paper 3.5 cm wide and long enough to fit around a child's head. Sellotape together to form the headband.



3 Cut two more strips 3.5 cm wide and long enough to fit over the head, front to back and side to side. Attach to headband and fix with sellotape. This is the frame of the helmet on to which the other pieces will be attached.

4 Stick the back-flap onto the back of the headband and the visor on to the front with sellotape, curving the pieces around the frame.



5 Cut two side flaps and a decorative shape out of coloured paper for the front of the helmet. Cutting V's will help the side flaps curve around the headband. Use sellotape to join these pieces to the warrior's helmet.