ACTIVITY 1: SPOTTING LANDMARKS QUIZ

NAME: _____

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

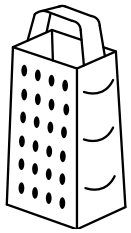
- Become more familiar with some City of London landmarks.
- Learn key information about modern architecture

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Using the City of London drawing, try to match the 4 buildings listed below with the skyline buildings.
- Can you guess their heights?!

Look for:

- The buildings that look most like the drawn everyday objects on the right hand side

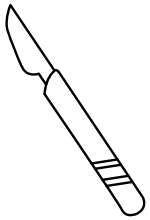


'The Cheesegrater'
Name: The Leadenhall Building
Architect: Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners
Open since: 2014

Height: _____ metres

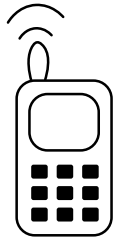
'The Gherkin'
Name: 30 St Mary Axe
Architect: Foster + Partners
Open since: 2004

Height: _____ metres



'The Scalpel'
Name: 52-54 Lime Street
Architect: Kohn Pederson Fox
Open since: 2018

Height: _____ metres



'The Walkie Talkie'
Name: 20 Fenchurch Street
Architect: Rafael Viñoly
Open since: 2015

Height: _____ metres

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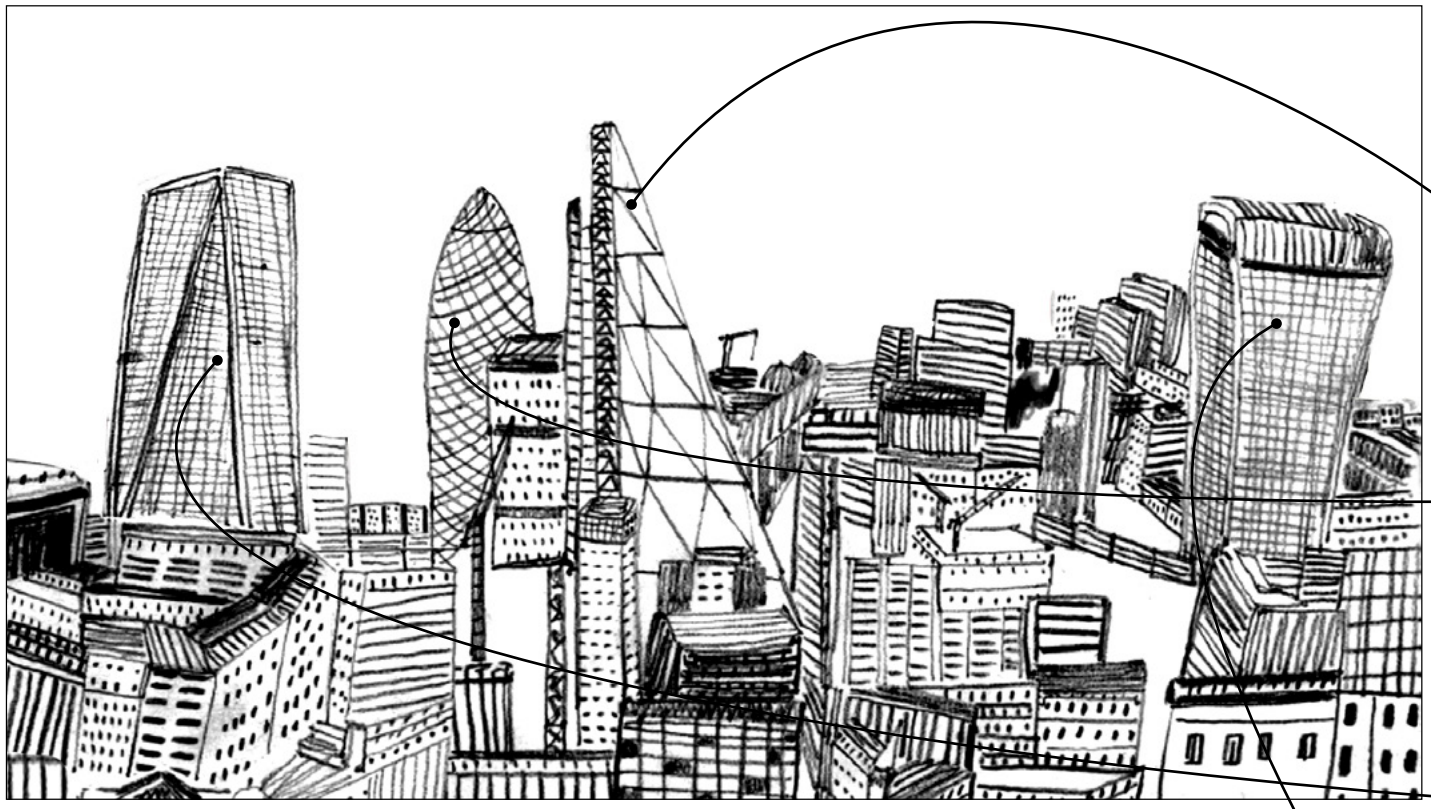
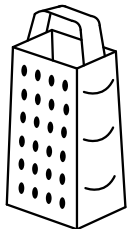
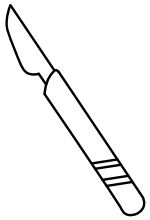
ANSWER SHEET



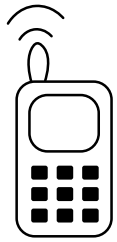


'The Cheesegrater'
Name: The Leadenhall Building
Architect: Rogers Stirk Harbour + Partners
Open since: 2014
Height: 225 metres

'The Gherkin'
Name: 30 St Mary Axe
Architect: Foster + Partners
Open since: 2004
Height: 180 metres



'The Scalpel'
Name: 52-54 Lime Street
Architect: Kohn Pederson Fox
Open since: 2018
Height: 190 metres



'The Walkie Talkie'
Name: 20 Fenchurch Street
Architect: Rafael Viñoly
Open since: 2015
Height: 160 metres

Look for:

- The buildings that look most like the drawn everyday objects on the right hand side.

ACTIVITY 2: SKETCHING SKYLINES

NAME: _____

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- Focussing on only sketching one part of what you see - eg the skyline.
- Learning to produce quick sketches and not worrying about creating perfect drawings!

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Watch the 'How To Sketch Skylines' tutorial and look at the example sketch
- You will be shown 2 skyline photos on the screen; draw your sketches in the matching box

Sketch Skyline 1:

Sketch Skyline 2:

ACTIVITY 3: SKETCHING FRAMED VIEWS

NAME: _____

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- Focussing on only sketching one part of what you see - eg the detail in the framed view
- Learning to produce quick sketches and not worrying about creating perfect drawings!

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Watch the 'How To Sketch Framed Views' tutorial and look at the example sketch
- You will be shown 3 framed view photos on the screen; draw your sketches in the matching box

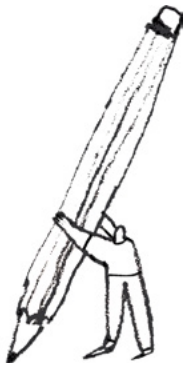
Sketching Tips:

- Framed views help you focus on a particular aspect of the building(s)
- It might help to draw the big shapes e.g. the outline of the building(s) first, then start filling in the smaller shapes from there e.g. details of the windows or structure..
- Every line represents something, e.g the metal lines are the window frames or even the structure holding up the building!
- Don't worry if your sketch isn't perfect, let your confidence grow as you draw the details that you see.

Sketch 1

Sketch 2

Sketch 3



ACTIVITY 4: COLLAGED CITY

NAME: _____

LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

- Visualising the different buildings that make up a city.
- Using art and collage to represent architecture.

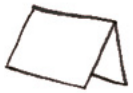
WHAT YOU NEED:

- Toolkit (for Chapter 1 Activity 4)
- Scissors
- Glue
- Scrap paper/card/old magazines/takeaway menus
- Pen or felt tips

KEY:

Glue

Cut

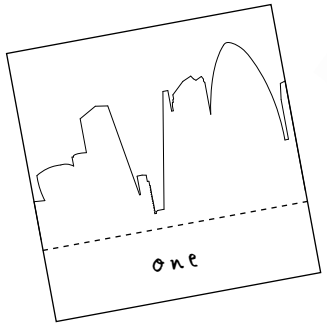


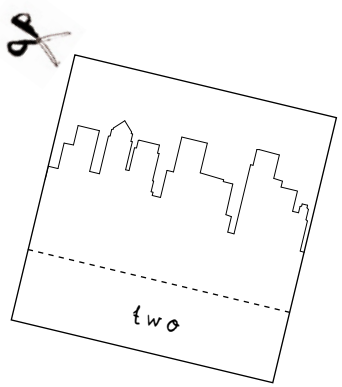
Fold

Draw

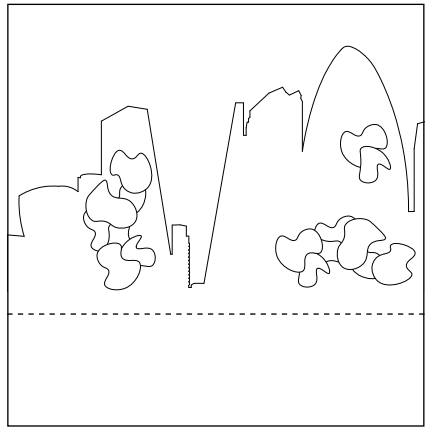
Check the skyline photos on Step 3 to make sure you draw all the details you can!

Step 1: Choose Skyline 1 and/or 2 templates and cut out the square. Or draw your own on scrap paper to make a bigger skyline!

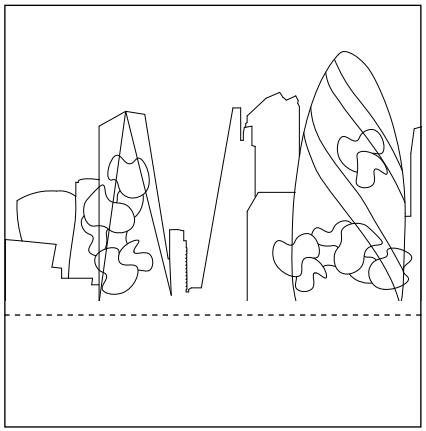




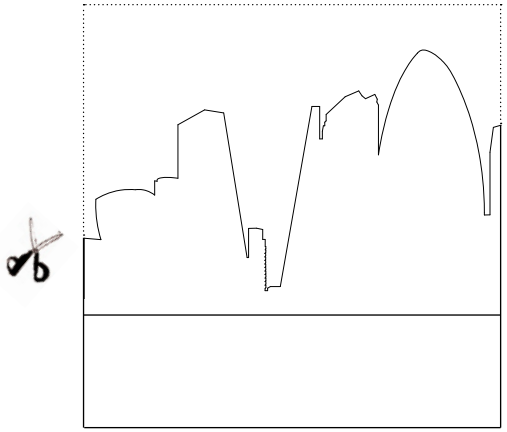
Step 2: Collage inside the building lines and glue down the scrap paper, card, magazines and takeaway menus.



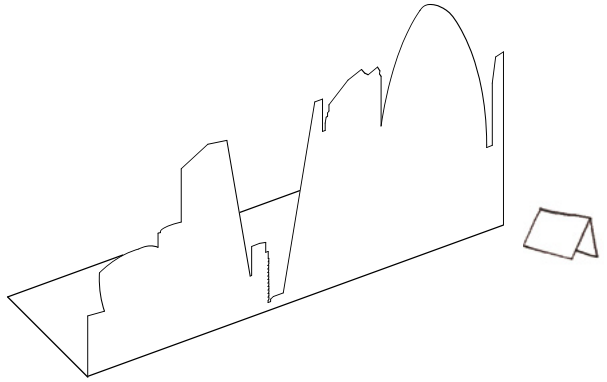
Step 3: Draw any details over the collaged paper. Try to show the lines between different buildings and even some windows!



Step 4: Carefully cut out the skyline from the square template. Make sure you keep the bottom bit so the collaged city can stand up!



Step 5: Fold along the bottom dashed line, stand up the collaged city and admire your masterpiece!



TOOLKIT

COLLAGED CITY: SKYLINE PHOTOS

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Either have on screen or print off and use to guide your own collaged city skyline!

SKYLINE 1

SKYLINE 2

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COLLAGED CITY: SKYLINE 1

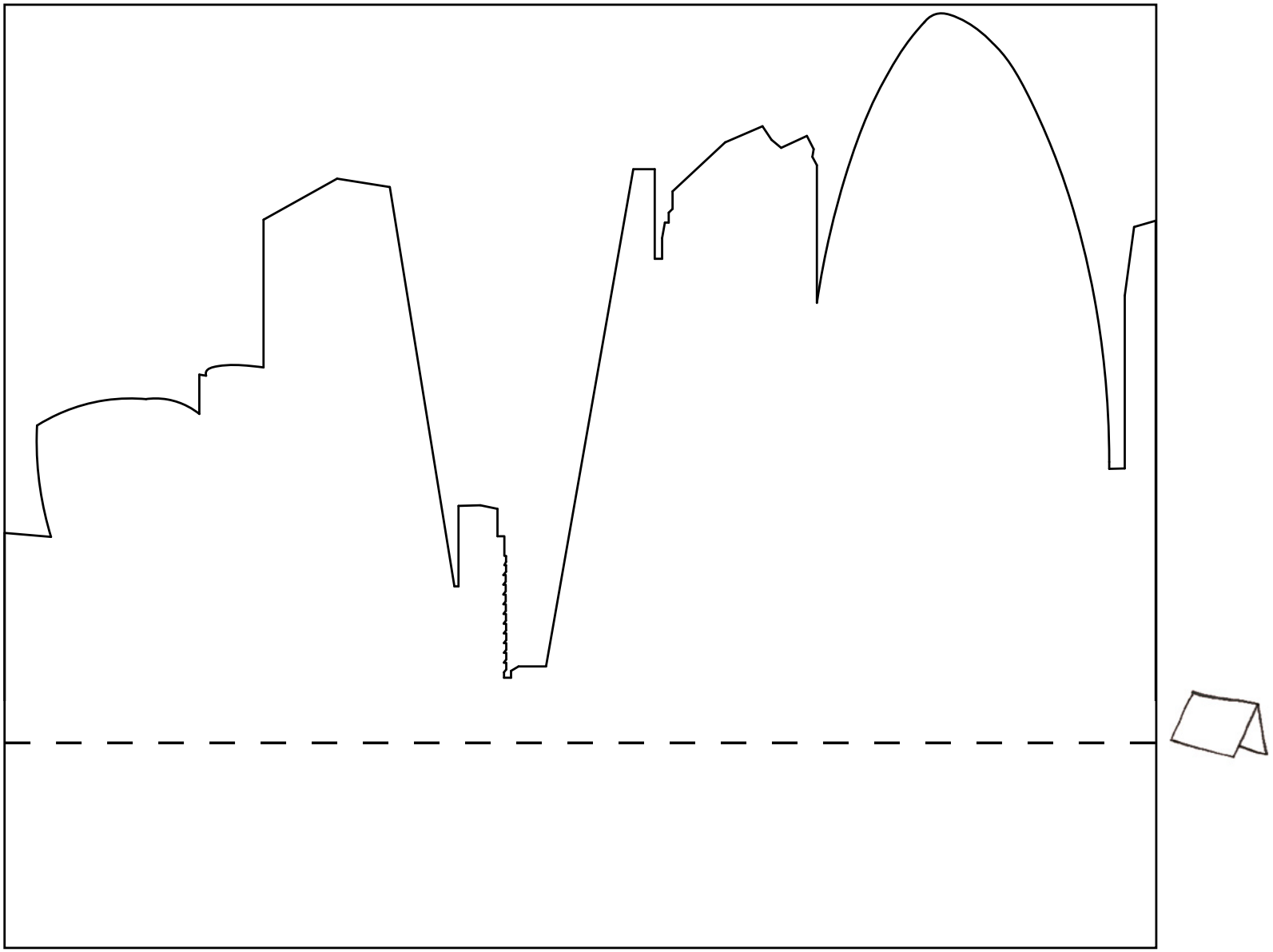
KEY:

Fold

Cut

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Cut out the template along the outside black square
- Follow the instructions on the Activity Sheet



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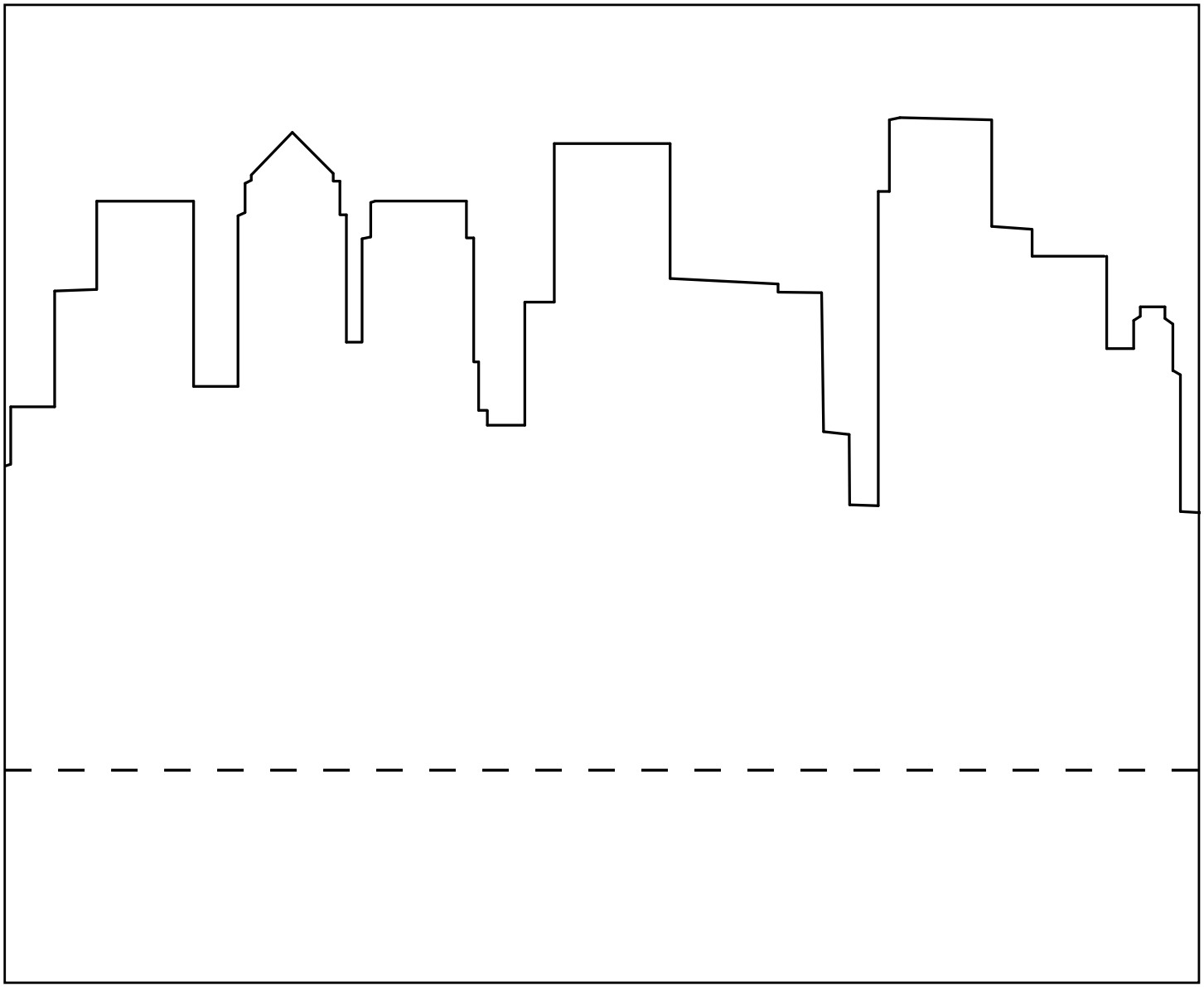
COLLAGED CITY: SKYLINE 2

KEY:

Fold

Cut

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Cut out the template along the outside black square
- Follow the instructions on the Activity Sheet