

Roman Soldier

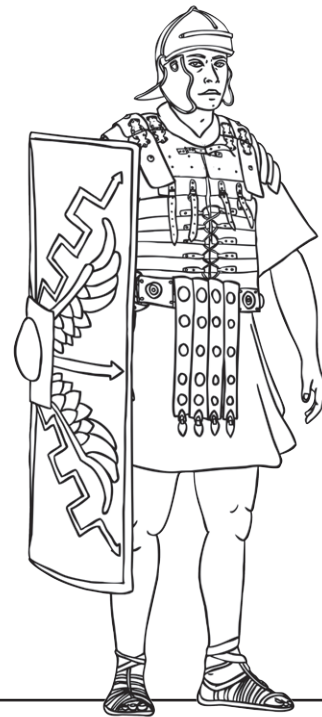
Amazing Fact

The date '15th March' was once known as the 'Ides of March', an important religious date in the Roman calendar which marked the midpoint of the month. Julius Caesar was assassinated on the Ides of March in 44BC.

Challenge

Julius Caesar was an important Roman general who commanded all of Rome's armies and helped the rise of the Roman Empire.

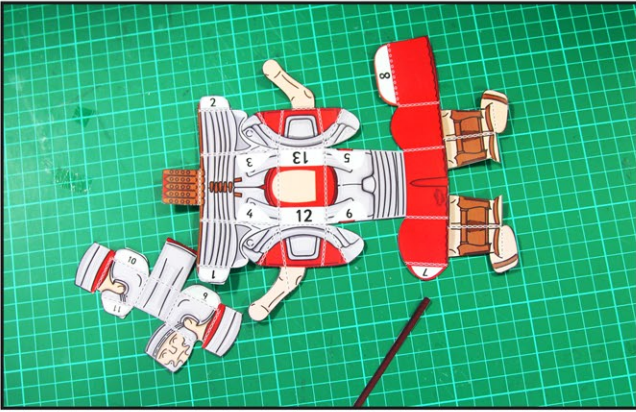
Have a go at making the Roman soldier below. He is wearing armour similar to the armour Caesar's soldiers would have worn.



You could also try to find out:

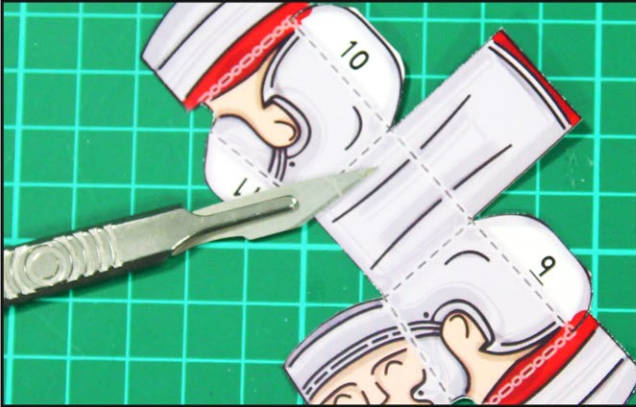
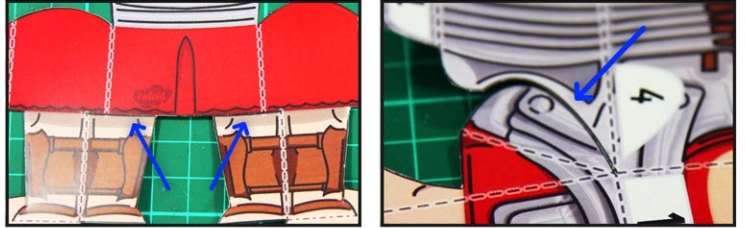
- how Caesar was warned about the assassination attempt;
- the Roman calendar and how it is different to our calendar today;
- about the significant events in the life of Julius Caesar.

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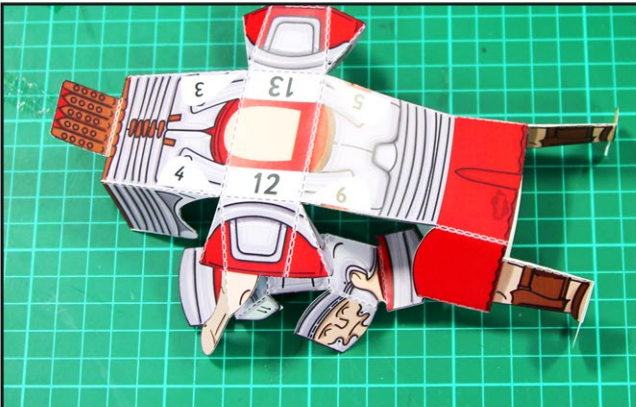
Step 1

Carefully cut out the model along the solid black outline. Be sure to cut inside the legs and shoulders, as shown.



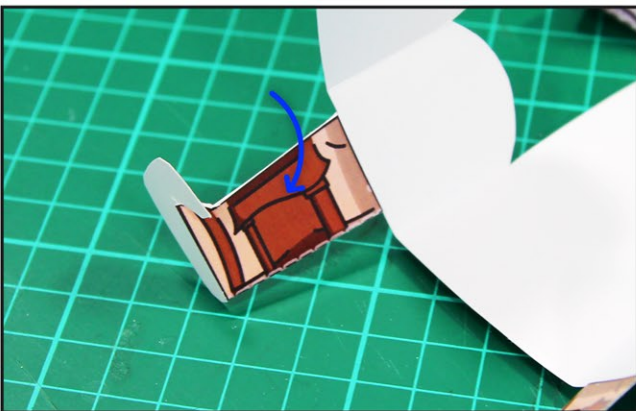
Step 2 (Optional)

You can score along the dotted fold lines by either lightly pressing down with a craft knife, or using an empty ball point pen. This will give you a cleaner, and more accurate fold.



Step 3

Fold along the dotted lines as the diagram below shows, folding up and down accordingly.



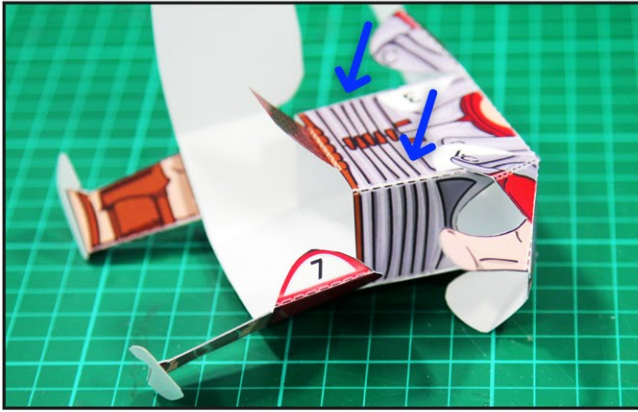
Step 4

Fold over the legs and glue the back of the pages together.

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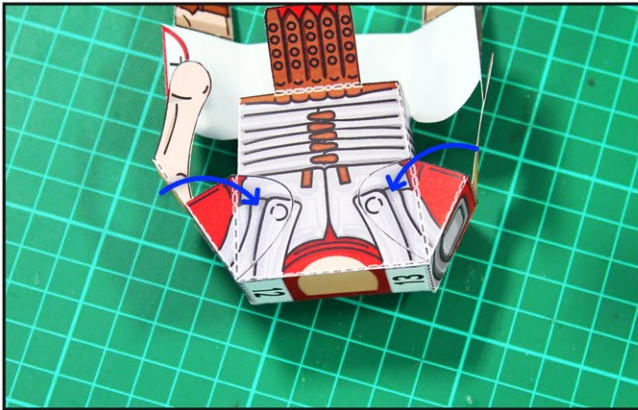
Step 5

Note: Depending on if you are building the larger or small version of the model the tabs will differ by 1 number. These instructions follow the small version of the model, but the diagrams and images should allow you to build either one.



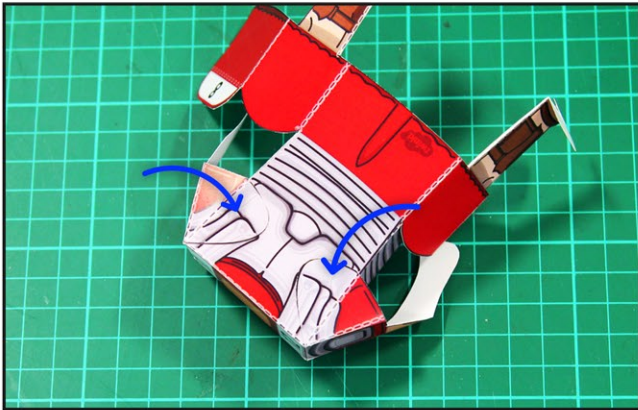
Step 6

Glue tabs 3 and 4 to the shoulders as shown.



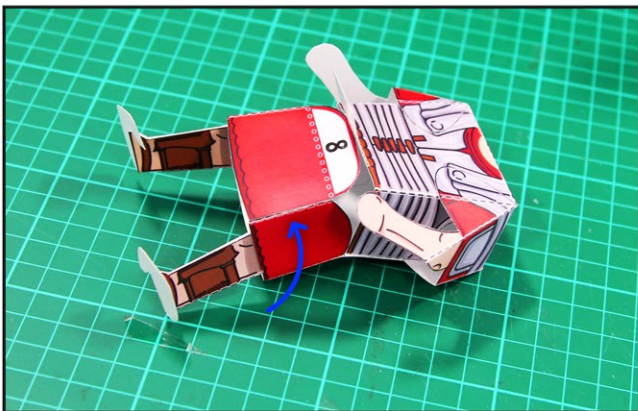
Step 7

Glue tabs 5 and 6 to the shoulders back as shown.



Step 8

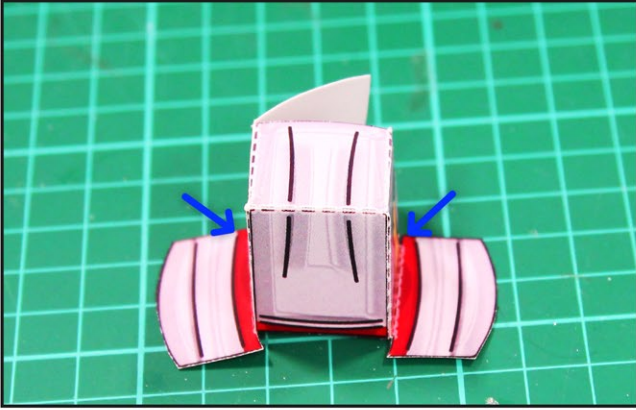
Glue tab 7 to the other side of the lower body as shown.



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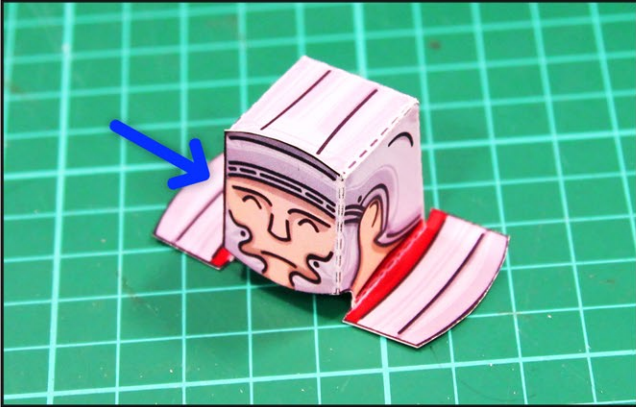
Step 9

Glue tabs 9 and 10 to the back of the head as shown.



Step 10

Glue the face down using tab 11 as shown.



Step 11

Attach the head to the shoulders using tabs 12 and 13.



Step 12

Attach the spear to the soldier's hand as shown.



