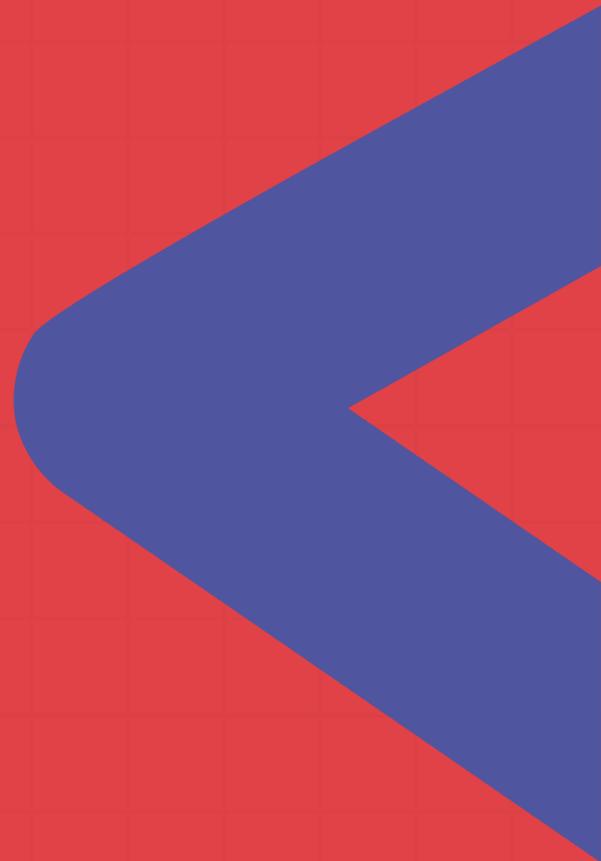


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## PAPER HELICOPTER (GRADES K–5)

### What You Need:

- Paper Helicopter Printable (one helicopter per child)
- Scissors
- Makers, crayons and color pencils
- Paper clips (one per helicopter)

### What You Do:

- **Step 1:** Print out the Paper Helicopter Printable (Each printable has multiple helicopters on it.) (Be sure to cut each paper helicopter apart so it's easier to hand out. Do not have the volunteer completely cut out the helicopter, just cut them apart.)
- **Step 2:** Have kids color and decorate their helicopters on both sides.
- **Step 3:** Instruct kids to cut out their helicopter on the solid cut lines. (Be careful to leave the dotted lines alone.)
- **Step 4:** Instruct kids to fold panel B along the dotted line toward the center. Next, fold panel A along the dotted line toward the center on top of panel B. Fold panel C along the dotted line downward. Fold the two rotor panels (D and E) along the dotted line so that one bends forward and the other backward. These will become the blades of the helicopter. Add the paper clip to the uncut/unfolded end of the helicopter to add weight and help the helicopter spin.
- **Step 5:** Time to play! Instruct kids to drop their helicopter and watch it spin. Invite kids to drop them from multiple heights—like from above their heads, below their waist, or even from standing on a chair.

**What You Say:** “As we watch our helicopters fly, we can see that the shape of the paper helicopter keeps it in control as it falls. And the shape is the shape of a cross. We can have confidence that the paper helicopter is going to be controlled as it falls because of its shape. In the same way, we can have confidence in Jesus because we are known by Him.

*[Make it Personal] (Tell a story about how Jesus makes you feel known.)*

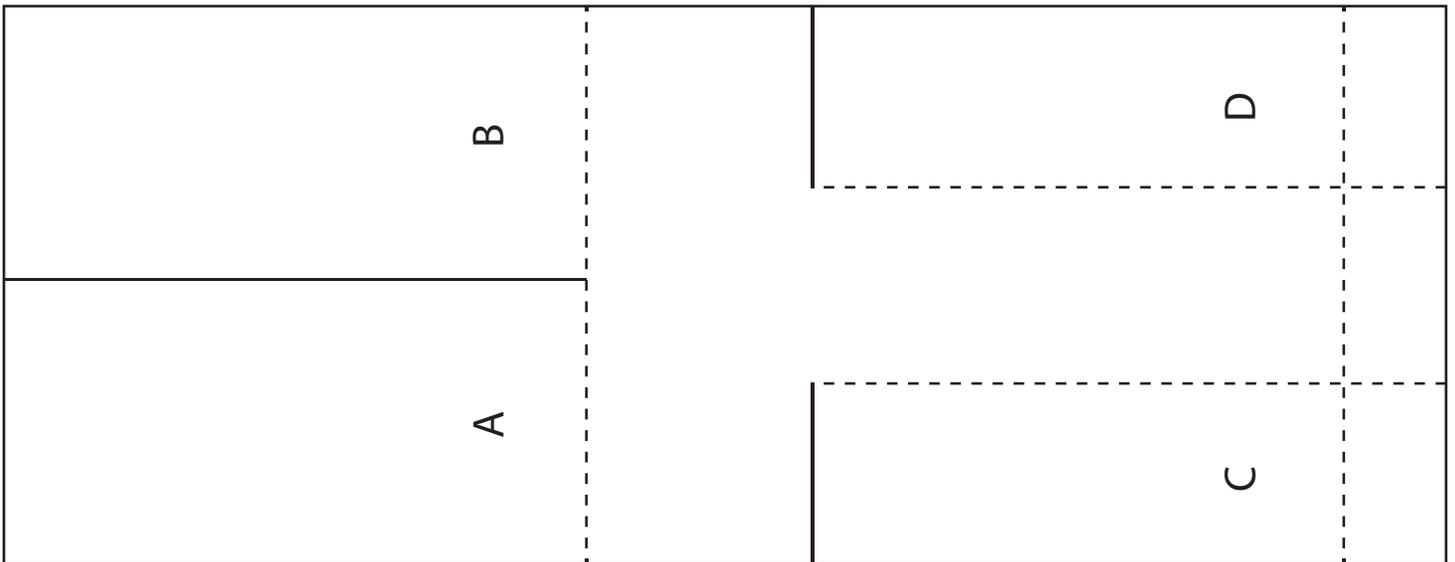
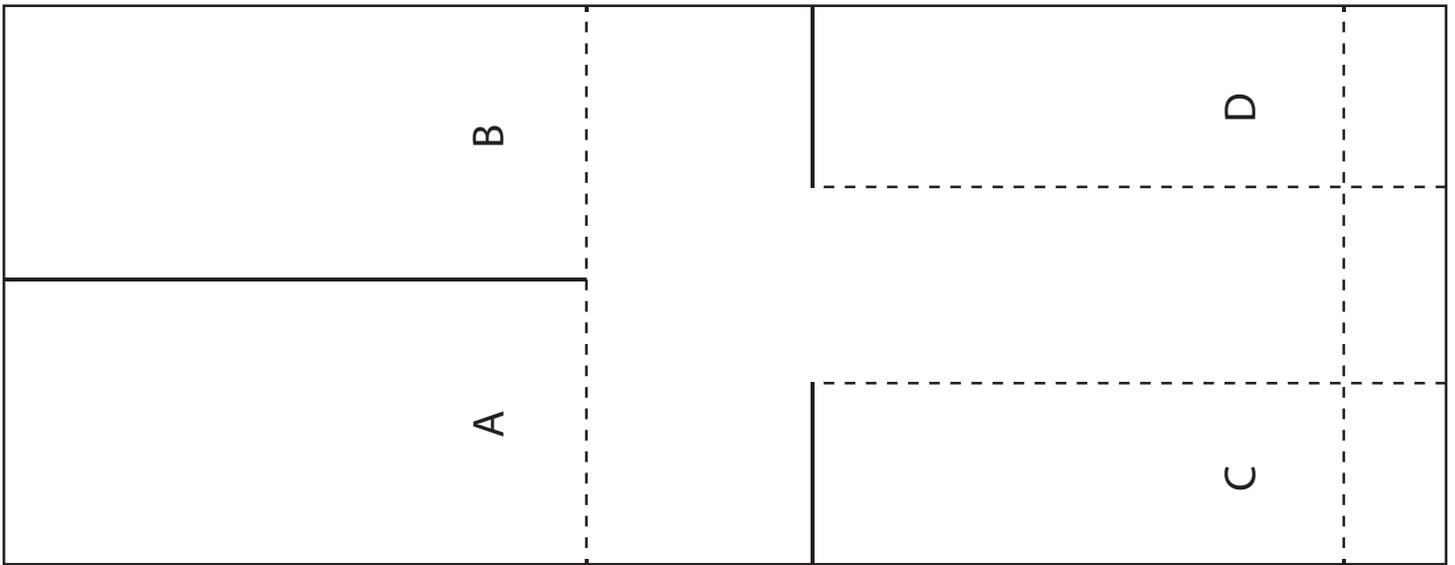
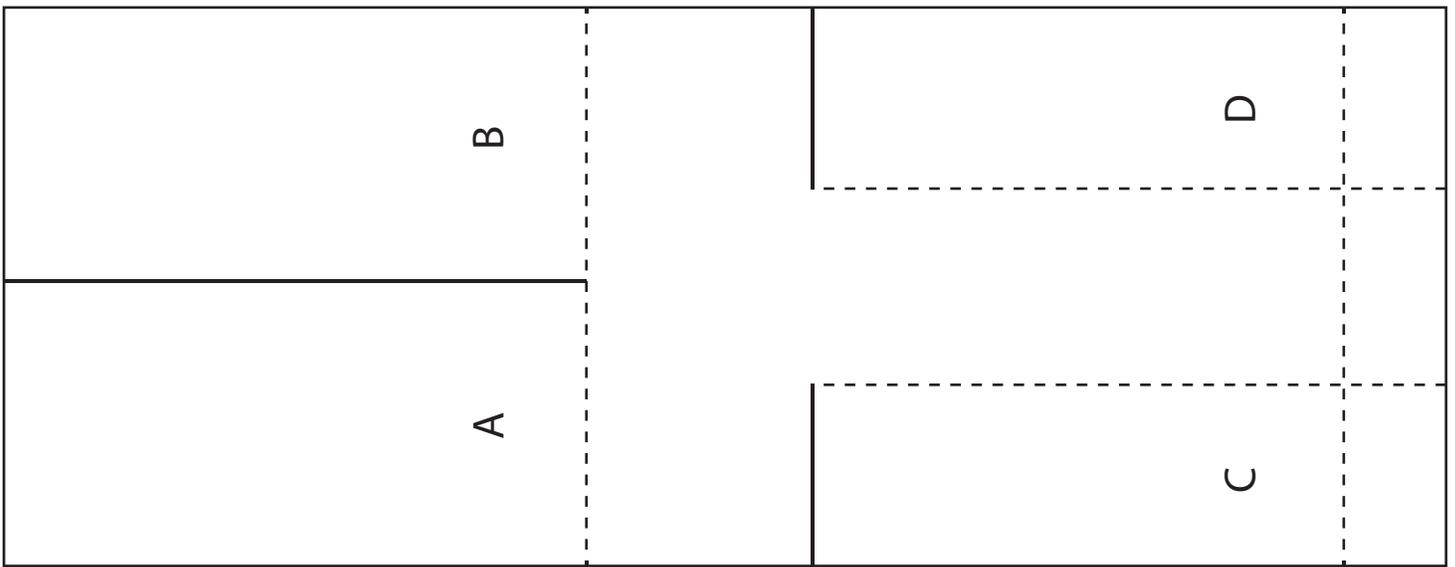
Let's say our bottom line together. **[Bottom Line] “I can have confidence because I am known.”**

### Travel Time

As you travel to the next track, use the following questions to keep the conversation going and to keep kids thinking about what they're learning!

### What You Say:

- *What are some things that make you feel confident?*
- *What does being KNOWN mean to you?*
- *Who do you know who is confident?*
- *What makes them seem confident?*



**What to Do:**

Cut apart so each child will have a helicopter pattern. However allow children to decorate and fully cut out on their own.

**Paper Helicopter (STEAM option)**

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