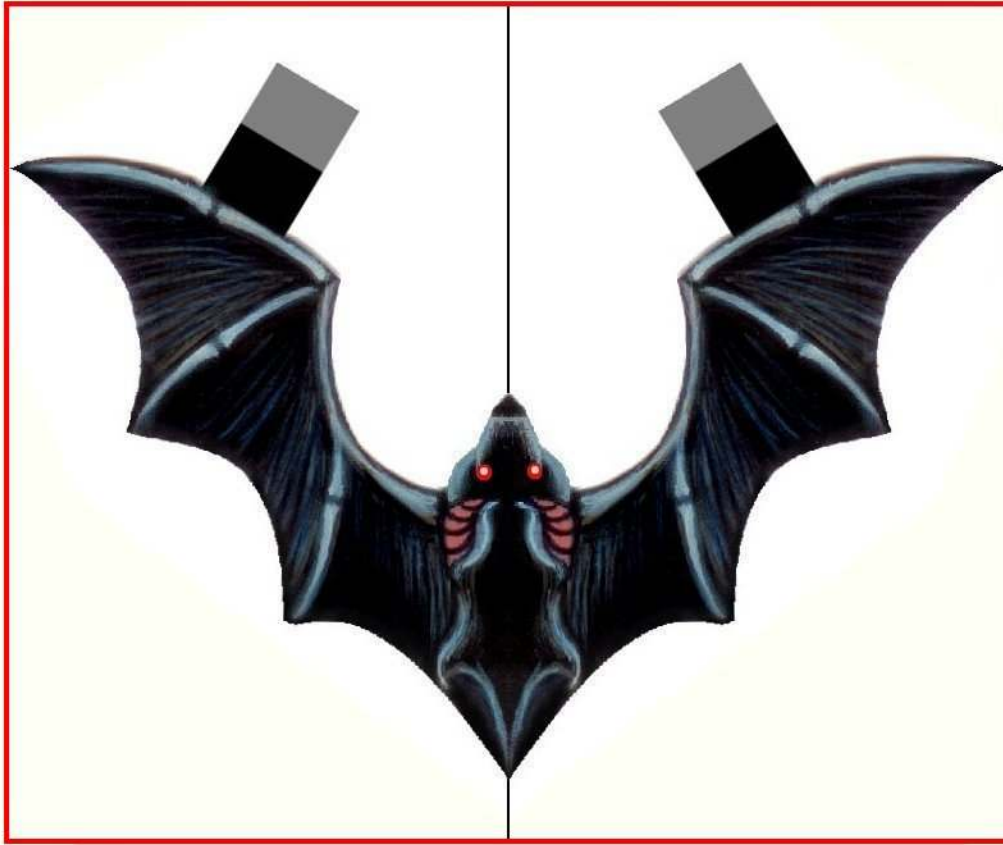


# THE BALANCING BAT

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**FOLD EXAMPLE:**  
The finished bat should have roughly a 25 degree bend, as shown here.



## To Assemble:

Print this page on heavy card stock. Cut out the square area around the bat, cutting on the red lines. Fold **DOWN** along the black center line, and then flatten the bat back out. Now cut out the bat. Fold the grey tabs **DOWN** and glue them to the back of the black tabs. Then fold the black tabs **DOWN** and glue them to the back of the wings.

Assemble the base by folding all five panels **DOWN** and then gluing the black panel to the back of the opposite brick panel.

Be sure the bat has flat wings and a slight bend in the center (see fold example). Set the tip of the bat's nose over the point of the base and the bat will balance itself and hover over the base.

