Shark Attack

Watch out, here comes a pair of jaws that will rip your papers to bits and pieces! Three-inch kami is particularly at risk, but even six-inch foil has been devoured on more than one occasion.

Begin with a very large sheet of waterproof paper, white side up. Valley-fold in half diagonally.

Divide the base of the model into thirds by folding the left side in front and the right side to the back.

Fiddle with the folds until the thirds are exact. Then unfold the back flap.

Valley-fold, inserting the flap into the pocket.

Valley-fold on the left. Valley-fold and unfold on the right.

Reverse-fold.

Valley-fold, inserting the flap into the pocket.

On the front layer, make the indicated valley pinch.

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Valley-fold one layer.
Valley fold a third of the way down.

Valley-fold.

Valley-fold a single layer. On the left and right, reverse-fold the interior layer.

Insert your hand into the pocket, bringing the model into a three-dimensional shape.

Closed-sink the left point. Mountain-fold the raw edges using curved folds.

Closed-sink the two corners.

Valley-fold the jaw flap making a curved fold. The more curved the flap, the more round the back will be.

Turn over.

Valley-fold.

Rabbit-ear the flap to taste.

Turn over.

Shark Attack! Holding at the sides as shown, push your hands together and the jaws will shut. Adjust the curved valley-fold in step 17 to optimize the jaw movement.