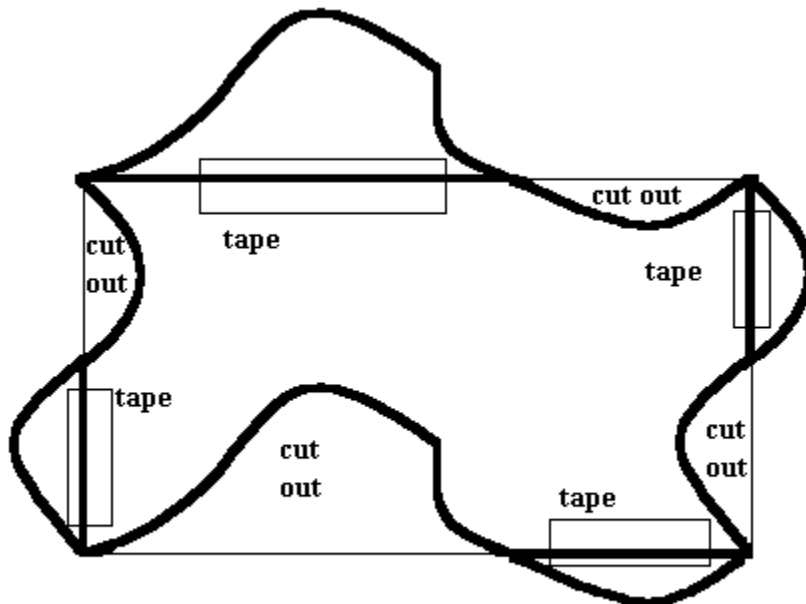


Escher-type Tessellations

You can make your own decorative tessellating tiles using the index cards. Choose one cardstock shape. There are rectangles, squares and triangles available. Once you have made your tile you can trace it on paper to make your tiling. Then decorate it!

Rectangle or Square

- 1. Cut off part of the bottom edge of the rectangle. (You can do it in any shape you like). Glue what you cut off to the top of the rectangle.**
- 2. Cut off part of the left side of the rectangle. Glue what you cut off to the right side.**
- 3. You can cut part of the top edge off, if you like, and glue it to the bottom edge.**
- 4. You can cut off part of the right side, if you like, and glue it to the left side.**



Equilateral Triangle

1. Cut a shape out of one side of the triangle.
2. You can choose to leave one edge of the triangle straight, or you can cut the same shape out of another side of the triangle. Use the piece you cut out to trace the shape you will cut.
3. Tape the piece you cut out onto one other side of the triangle.
4. You can cut out a piece from the side you just taped (in the example, it's the little triangle) and then you need to make a copy of it from the spare cardstock and tape both of them to the other two sides of the triangle.

