



## Instructions to help in assembly of your butterfly.

### Open the pack and lay out all parts carefully.

You can see that one end of the plastic body has a slit hole in it. This is for the loop on the middle part of the front wing ribs to go through. Place the hook through the slit hole.

Double over the rubber band and hook one end of the doubled over band to the hook at the tail, opposite end to the slit end.

Turn the wing rib piece so the hook on this piece is 90 degrees to the other end hook, to make clipping rubber band over easier.

Take care not to overstretch the rubber band or pull too hard on the hook.

Without putting twists in the rubber band, gently stretch it out and clip over the hook on the wing ribs piece.

It should now look like this ---->



Lay out the 4 wing parts as shown.

Check you have the right and left wings aligned correctly and that you place tape on the correct side of the wing pairs.

Carefully cut lengths of double sided tape to fit the straight, inside edge flaps of all 4 wings.

Carefully start to peel one edge of the backing paper off the tape and place the tape right to the straight edge of each wing flap, then when you have aligned correctly, peel off the rest of the backing paper on that one side and firmly push the tape down checking alignment to the edge as you go.

NOTE: Leave one side of the backing paper on until you have all 4 wings done.



Align the wings with the correct parts as shown here, with tape up, so you know where things are to go. Please note that the body wings need to be placed towards the end of the body near the tail, else the body wings may clip the moving wings when fully assembled.

### **Attaching moving wings.**

Lay a wing down and remove the backing paper from the wing flap.

Carefully place the wing rib in the correct orientation as the photos on the edge of the tape closest to the inside of the wing. The rest of the tape edge needs room to fold over.

Press the rib down firmly.

Keeping a finger on the wing rib, get the edge of the wing flap that has the tape on it and bring it up so you can fold it over the wing rib. Fold it over slightly and press the tape on to the wing rib as you go.

Keep folding the tape/wing flap over until the tape flap is stuck down. You should rub your finger then a firm object (eg edge of the end of a pen) over the tape and rib to help smooth it down.



### **Attaching body wings.**

Same procedure as for the wings but you need to slot the wing flap that has tape on it carefully through the slot between body edge and rubber band.

Congratulations!

You should now have a finished butterfly.

### **Care and tips:**

When winding up, do so carefully not to put undue stress on plastic parts. I find holding the body near the slotted end makes it easier to wind.



Wind the wings up around 25 times rotation.

If the tape starts to loosen on the wings, press down firmly again or add a small piece of tape over the joint. You should have some double sided left over and you could use this if required.