

fold diagonal AB (coloured sides together)(go along the diagonal, not the line, which is slightly off.). Unfold.

fold along CD

with A over B, fold corner D to A

similarly, fold C to A. You now have a square, all 4 original corners are opposite new point E

fold D to E

fold C to E

fold A towards E (marked – 'fold 7, one layer only')

fold A towards E (marked – 'fold 8', so that the corner is buried) (you've still got a square)

turn over. Fold along sides of red and pink triangle that's on the other side, so that edges either side of B (marked folds 9 and 10, but hidden) lie along the centre crease (you've now got a kite shape, fewest layers at the bottom)

Fold 11: down the middle. All the red/pink is on the outside.

There's a white head, red body (lots of thickness), pink tail.

Shape pink tail: two vertical folds to make a 'Z': ie, fold a vertical line from end of mouse's back – tail points forwards make another vertical fold adjacent to where tail meets base of body – tail points back

Ease open the folds of the body and tuck the fold made in last 2 moves in. Add a curve for realism.

Shape ears: two flaps either side of the head. Fold them back along 'collar',

fold them forwards so that there's a front edge perpendicular to the base, then

open ears out and shape appealingly

Spread the base if needed, for stability and 3D. Done!