

Directions for Making Your Own Hundred's Chart!

Hang in there -- this sounds more complicated than it is. The goal here is to create a square piece of paper that is divided into 100 fairly equally sized squares; if you keep the end in mind as you work it will make it easier to follow the steps! :-)

1. Change a rectangular piece of paper into a square by folding up the short end and cutting off the rectangular strip.
2. Fold the square piece of paper in half both ways. It will look like four equal squares!
3. Carefully draw a line on one of the creases that divides the paper in half from the top to the bottom. (You decide which is the top!)
4. Now you are going to divide each side of this line into 5 equal-ish sections. To make 5 sections you need to draw 4 lines. Find something to help you measure (I found that a regular, wide marker was just about right for dividing) and a straightedge to keep your lines from getting too wavy.
5. Turn the paper and draw 4 lines (making 5 columns) on each side of the other center fold.
6. Voila! You have 100 boxes. Start at the top, left-hand corner with the number one and write numbers in the boxes until you get to the last box and that will be 100!
7. Use your chart for all of your math activities this week!

