

Draw a Graphic Star (Advanced) - Grades 9-12

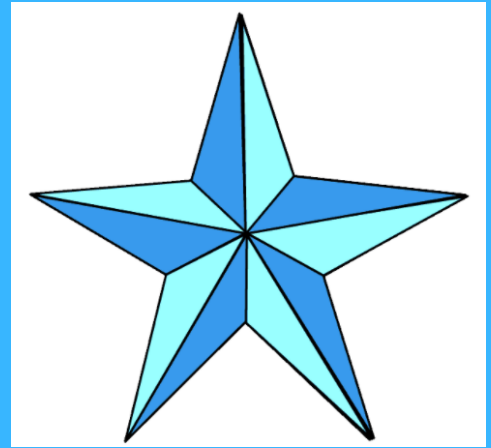
This is a little more complicated. Students will create a drawing of a cartoon star.

WHAT YOU NEED:

Pencils

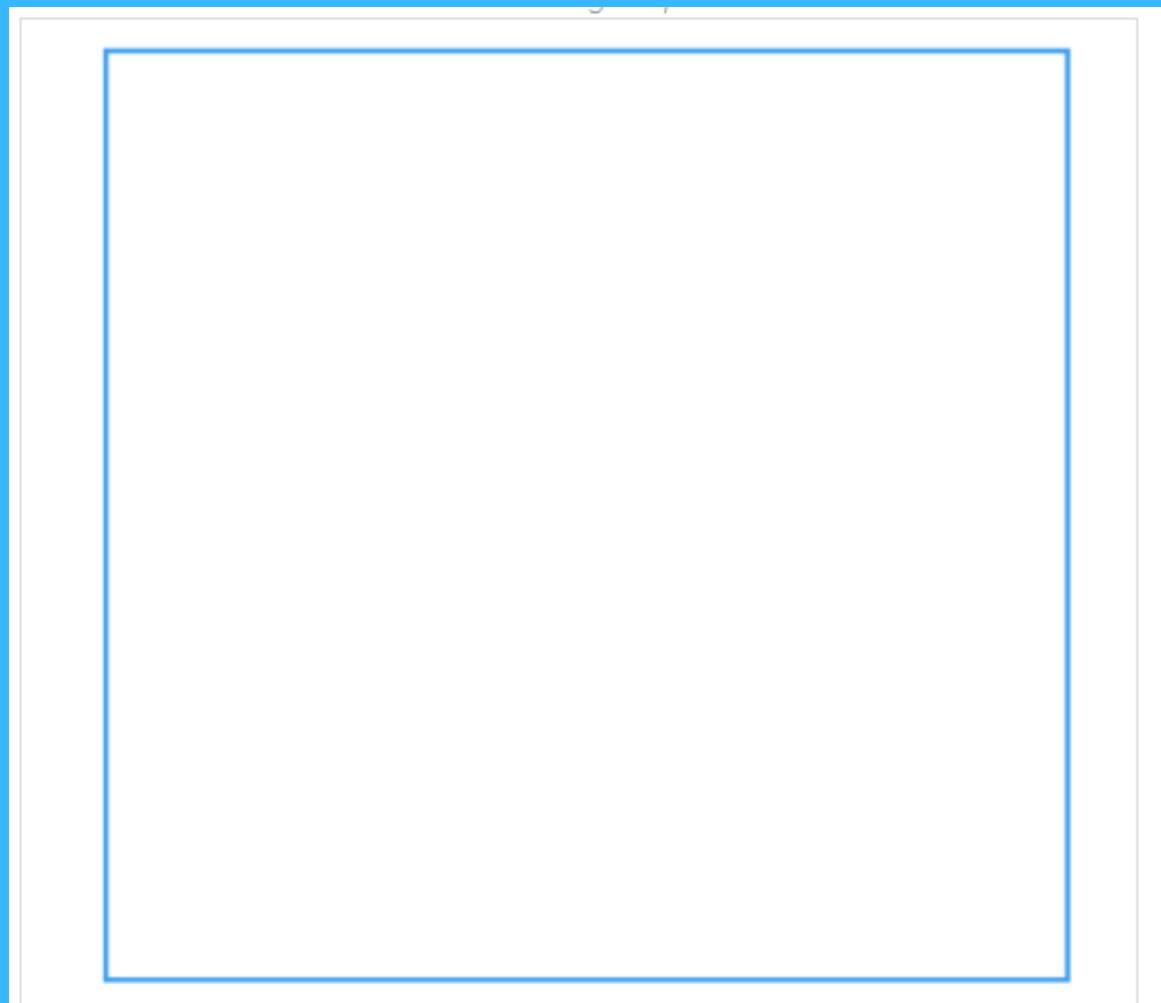
Paper

Colored pencils or crayons or pastels or markers

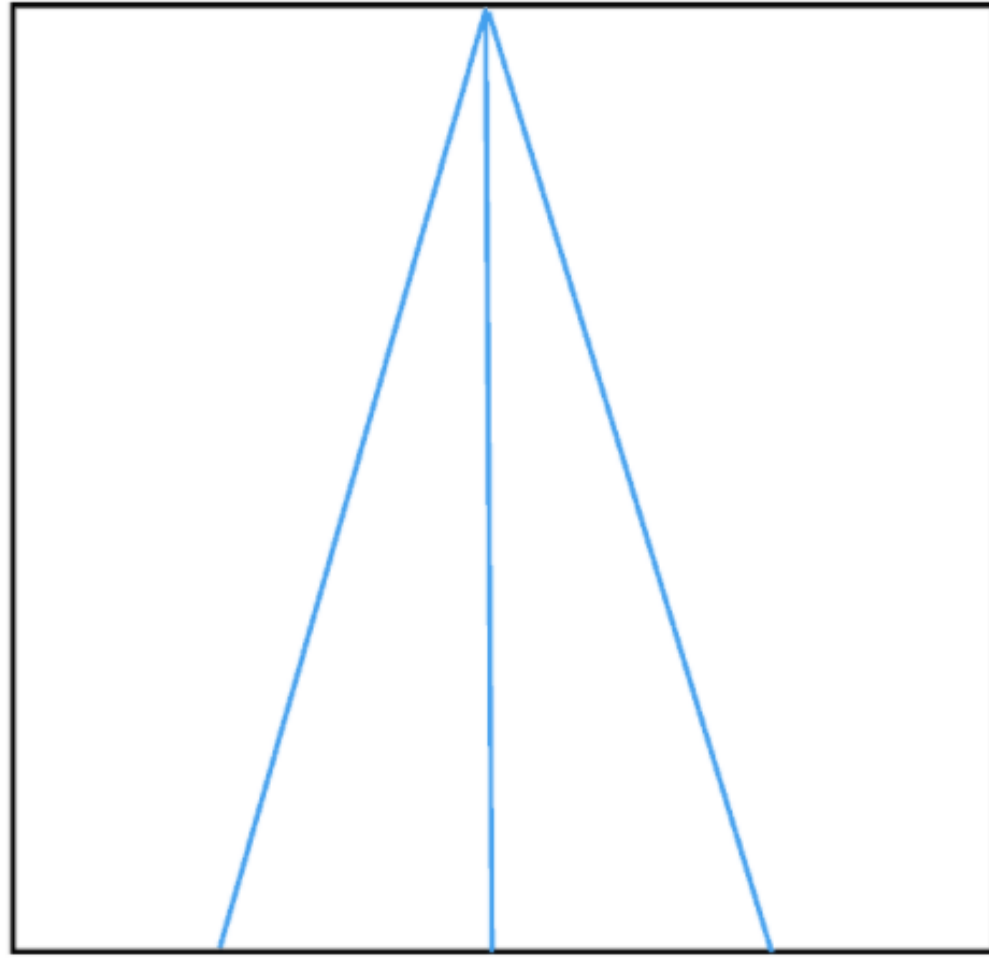


TEACHER ASKS:

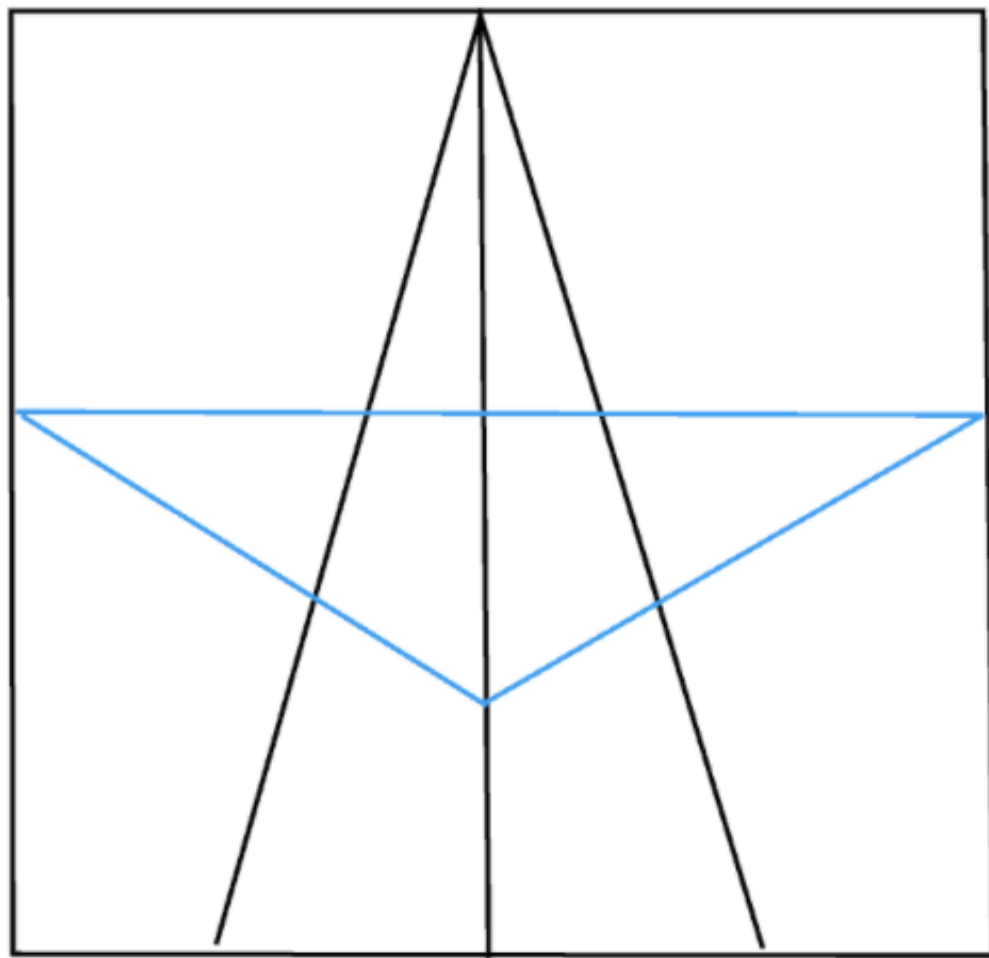
Students to imagine different ways of drawing a star.



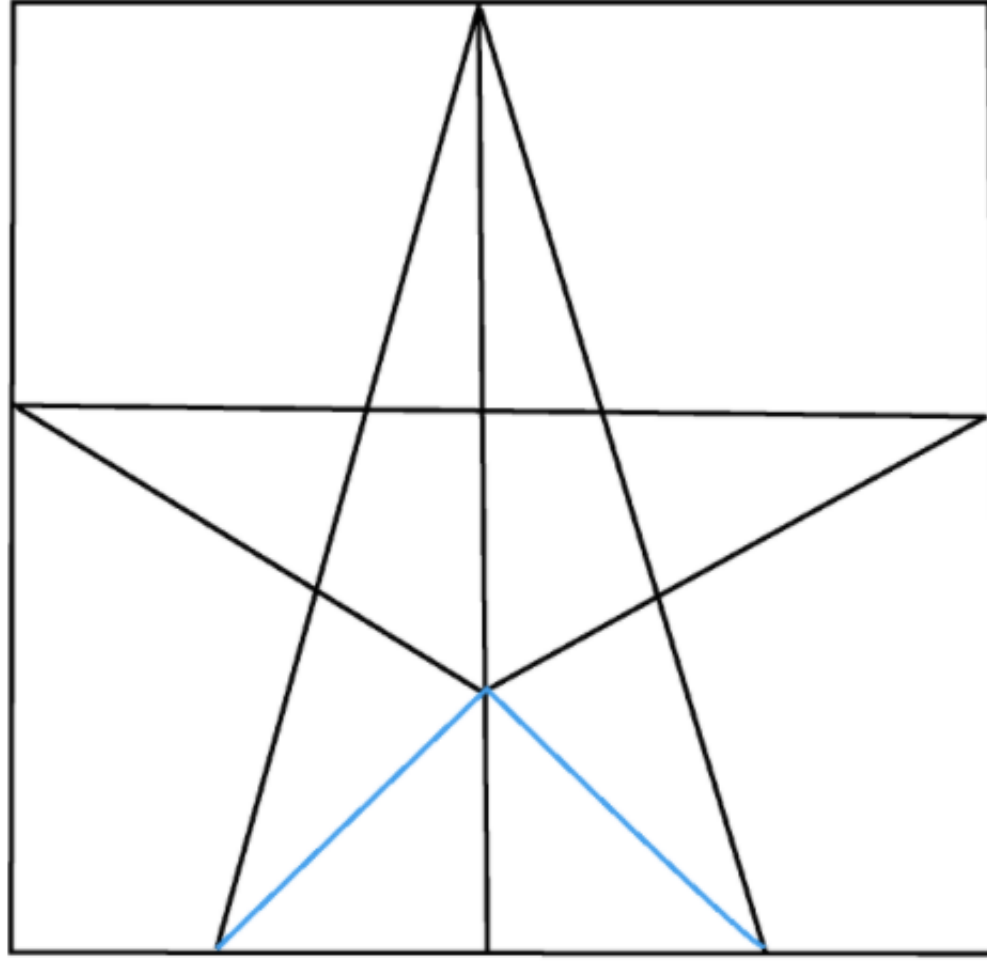
To begin, draw a square. You may want to use a ruler to ensure straight lines and right angles.



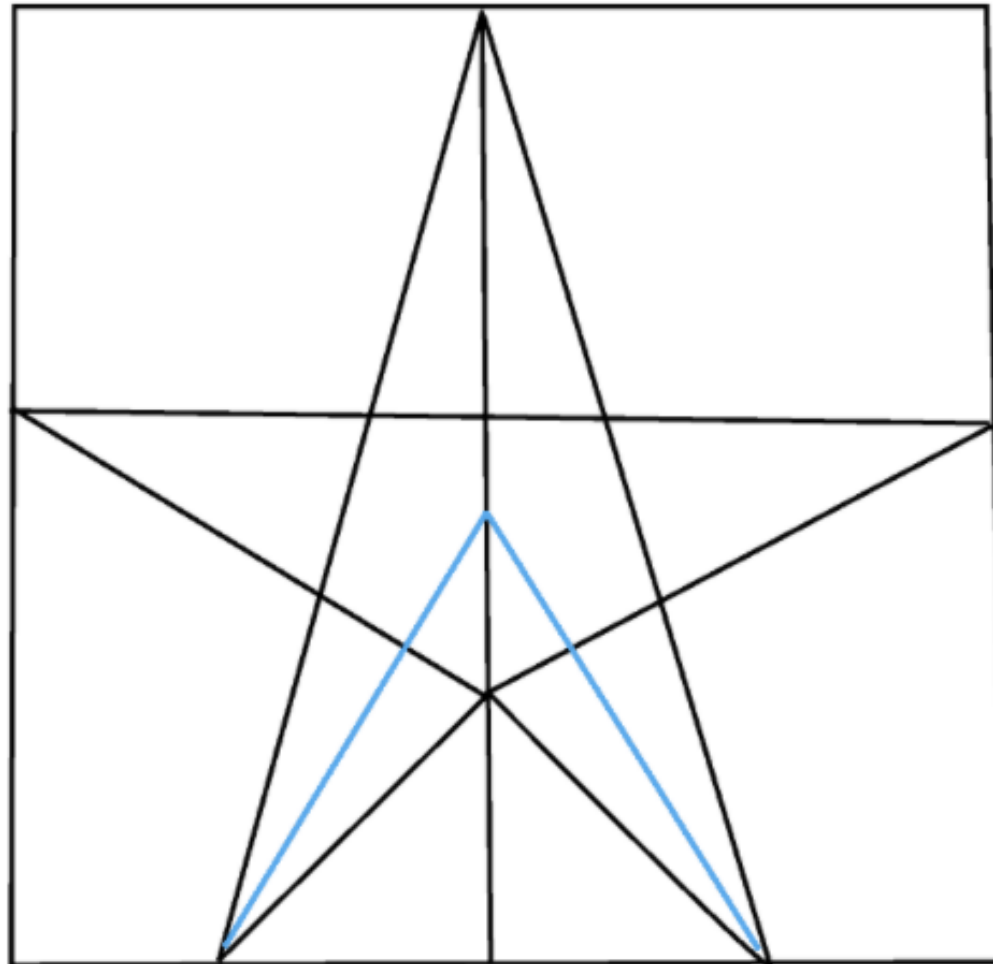
Draw a vertical line down the middle of the square. From the same point, draw a line on each side of the first. These lines will meet the bottom of the square between the first line and the square's sides.



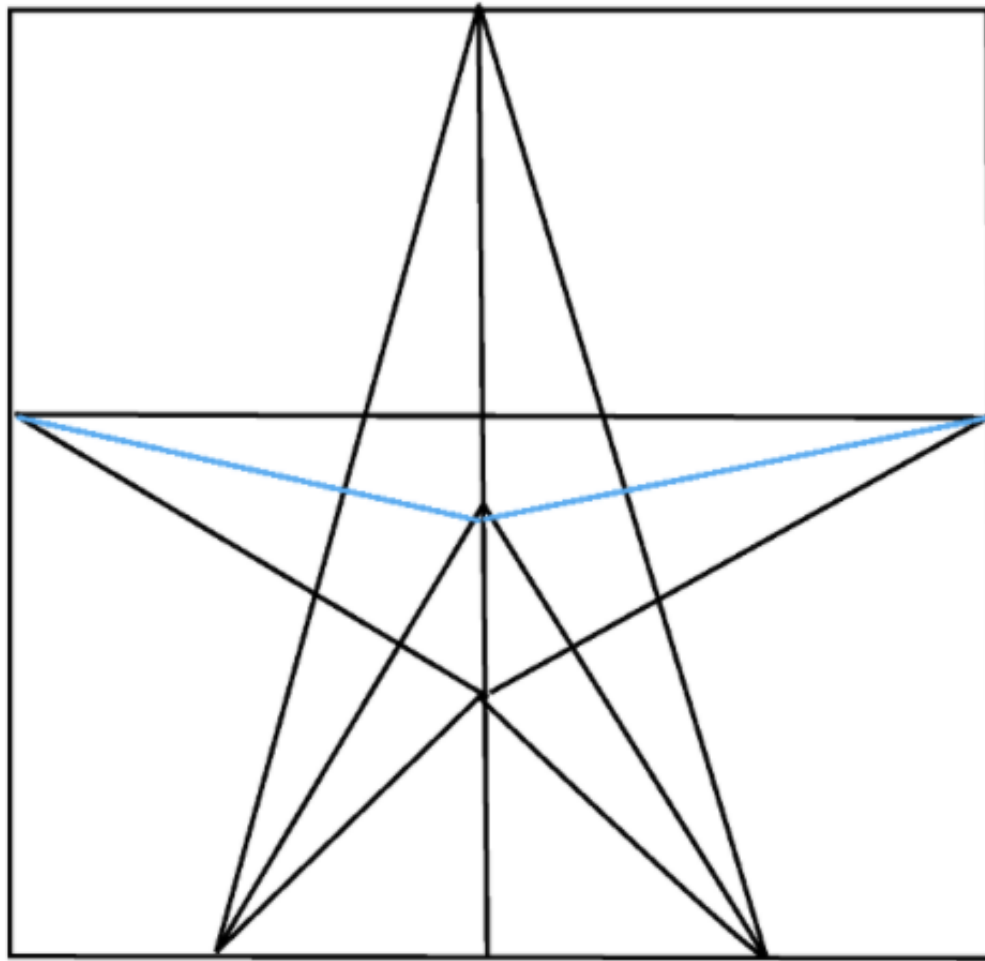
Draw a straight, horizontal line across the middle of the square. From each end of this line, extend a straight line downward and towards the center vertical line. These lines will meet the vertical line halfway between the horizontal line and the bottom of the square.



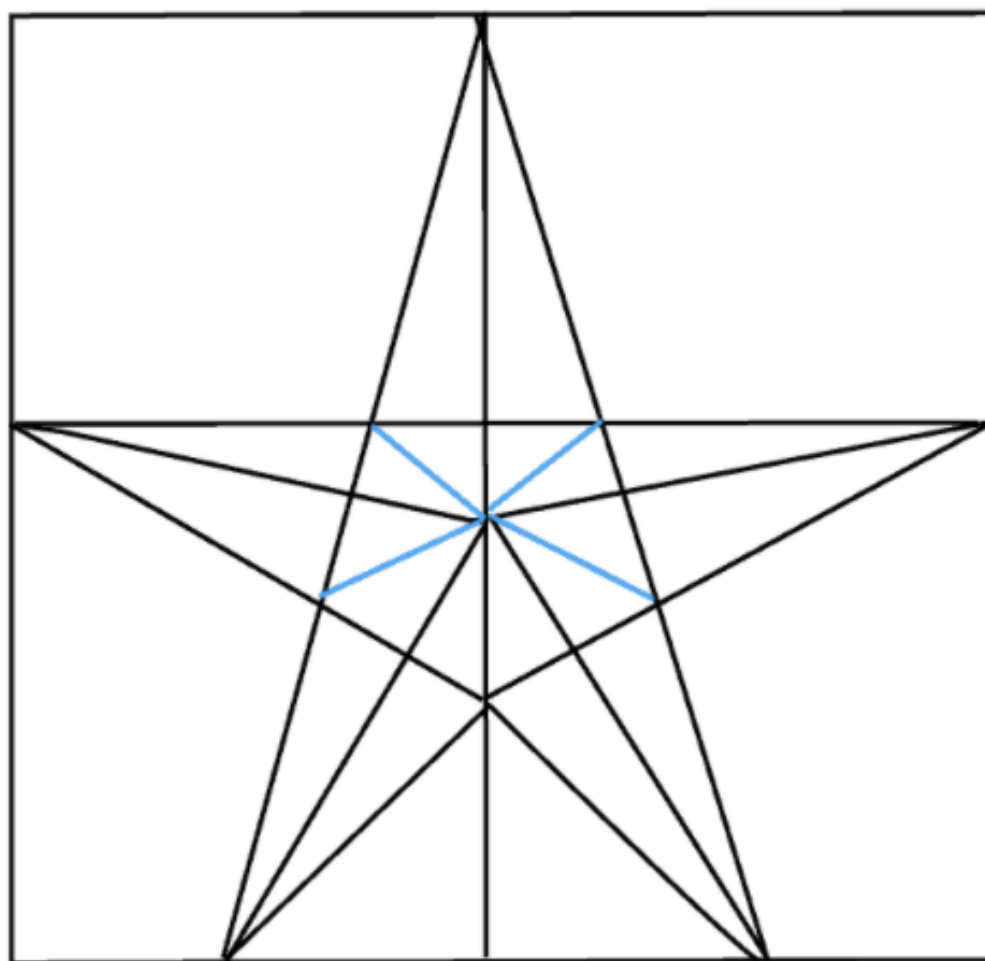
From the point where the previous lines converged, draw two more lines. These lines will meet the bottom of the square at the same point as the nearly vertical lines.



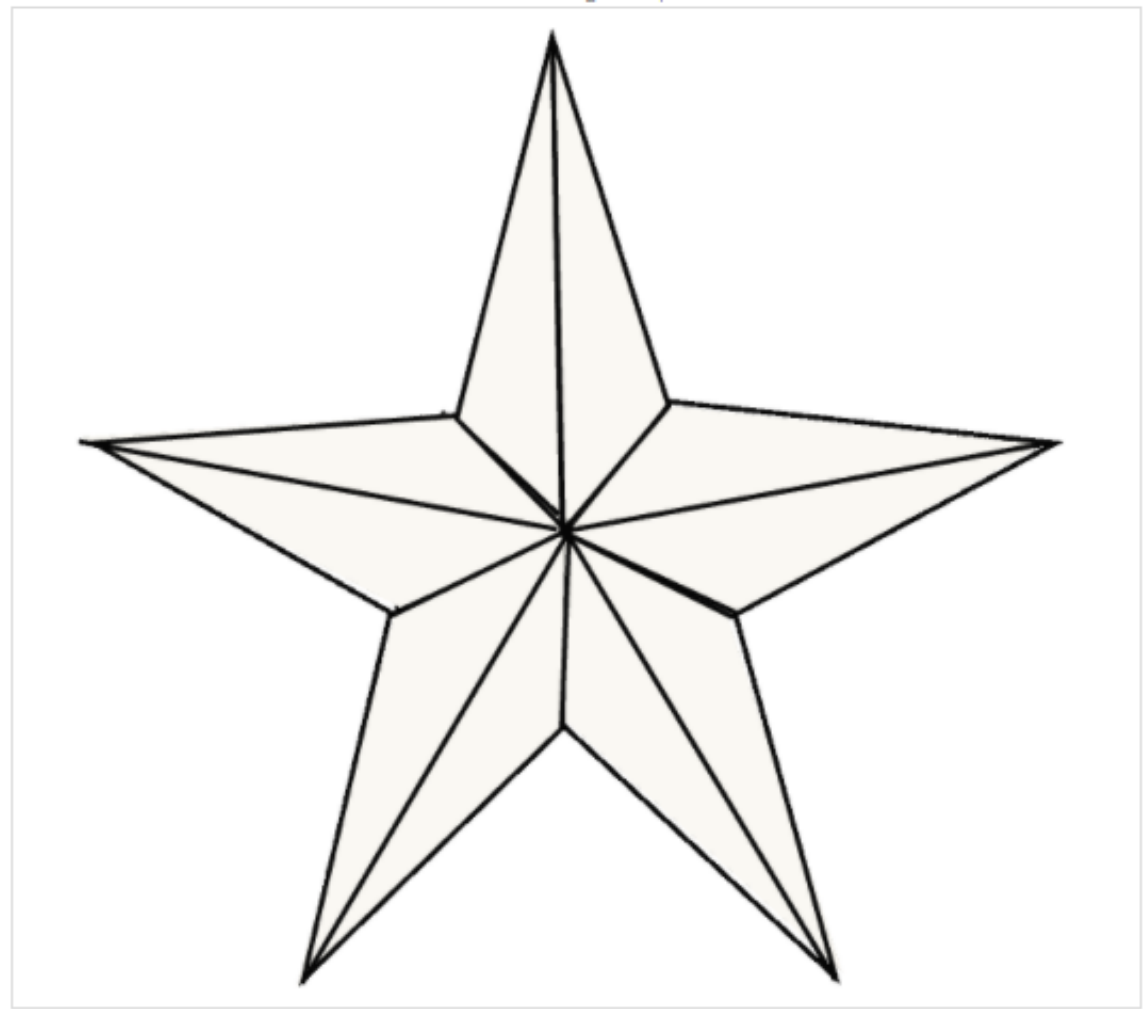
From the star's bottom two points, draw two straight lines that will converge at the star's center.



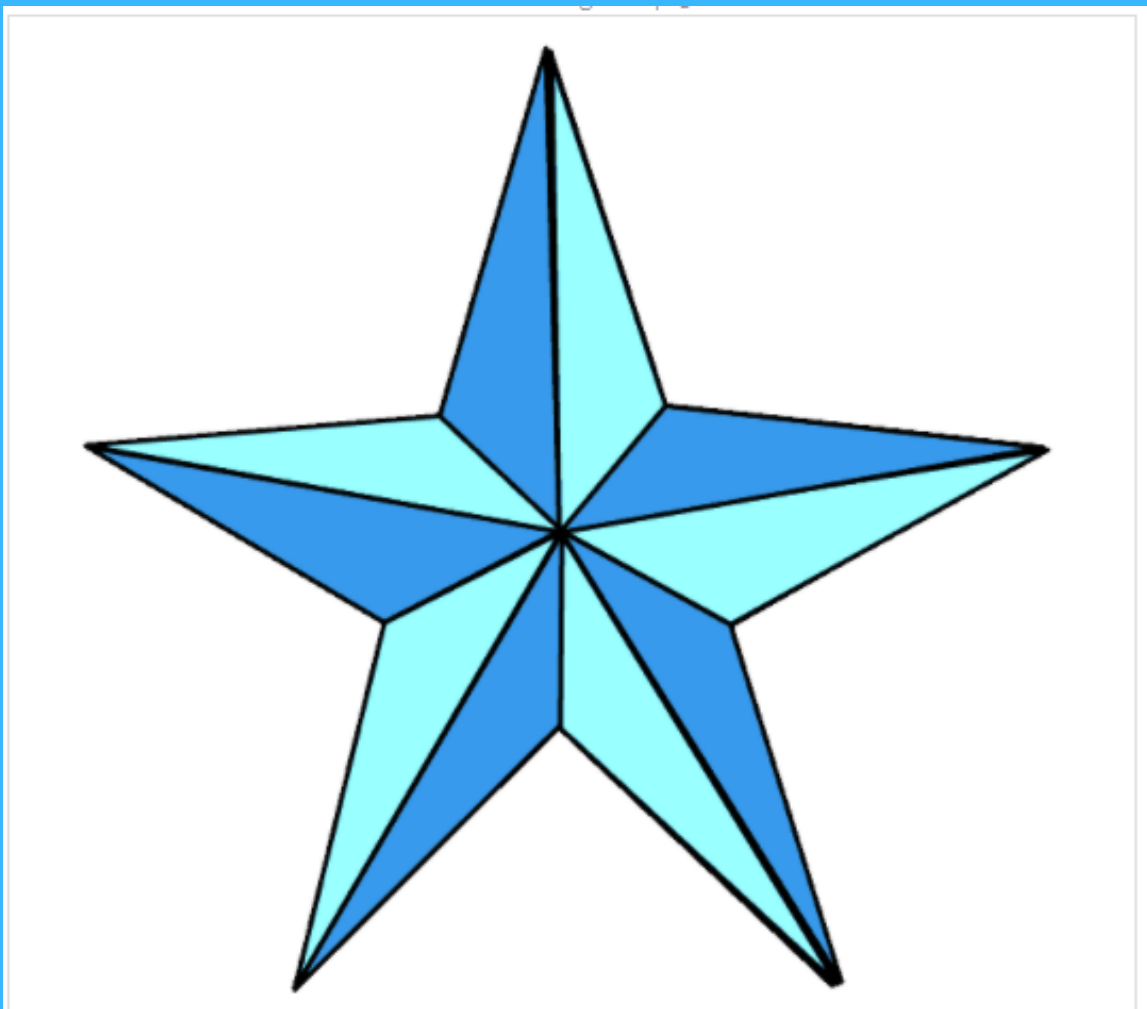
From the star's two side points, draw two straight lines that converge at the star's center.



Draw straight lines from each point of the interior inverted pentagon to the star's center.



Erase the guide lines - both those within the star and the original square.



Color your star. Using two different shades to color the star in an alternating pattern will enhance the star's three dimensional effect.