## Making Boxes and finding the Area:

In this problem we will use sheets of squared paper and use them to make little boxes without lids.

1) Draw a square measuring $15 \mathrm{~cm} \times 15 \mathrm{~cm}$.
2) Measure 2 cm in from each side and draw another square measuring $11 \mathrm{~cm} \times 11 \mathrm{~cm}$.

3) Cut the bottom line in each corner between the two squares.
4) Fold up the sides and stick to make your box.
5) What size is the base of your box?
6) How high are the sides?
7) What is its area?
8) Use another piece of squared paper and draw a shape $12 \mathrm{~cm} \times 12 \mathrm{~cm}$ with the inside box $10 \mathrm{~cm} \times 10 \mathrm{~cm}$


Follow the same instructions and make another box.
9) What size is the base of your box?
11) How high are the sides?
12) What is its area?
13) Now make a rectangular box measuring $18 \mathrm{~cm} \times 10 \mathrm{~cm}$ on the outside and $16 \mathrm{~cm} \times 8 \mathrm{~cm}$.
14) What size is the base of your box?
15) How high are the sides?
16) What is its area?

Self-Evaluation:


I think this because;

