

simple / parallel or half fold paper folded into equal halves.

gatefold
sides folding into a center fold.

letterfold / tri-fold
3 panels, right side folded into center, then left panel folded into center.


roll / barrel fold
more than 3 panels, right side continuously 'rolls' into center.

accordian fold
folds switch direction, creating a 'zig-zag' folds.
Maps are usually folded as accordian folds.

