

# Create

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## MAKER CHALLENGE STEAM

Makers are individuals who are using "stuff" to create "stuff".

Today you will participate in a maker challenge where you will use "stuff" you have at your disposal to make a mystery item!



### MAKER CHALLENGE

#### **SUPPLIES**

- A variety of materials, possible items include:
  - Tape (scotch, masking, painters, duct)
  - Glue (liquid, glue sticks, glue dots)
  - Scissors
  - Paper (wrapping, tissue, cardstock, lined, construction)
  - Cardboard
  - Foil
  - Crayons
  - Pipe cleaners
  - Play dough
- "Task cards" pre-cut (found below)

# CHALLENGE Making a Mystery Item!

- 1. You will need to gather 3 items to build something. Think about how you might make the items work together; will you need to resize the items or adhere them?
- 2. Take 5 minutes to gather your 3 items.
- 3. Once items are gathered reveal the "mystery item" by drawing a task card.
- 4. After you have looked at your task you may choose to keep all 3 items originally selected or switch one out for something else.
- 5. Once switching is done, create your item with the materials you have!

### **QUESTIONS**

- 1. If you could have known your task ahead of time, what three items would you have chosen instead?
- 2. How did the materials you selected work?
- 3. How did they not work?

### **MAKER CHALLENGE**

#### **TASK CARDS**

**TASK** 



Create a top that spins.

**TASK** 



Create a birdhouse.

**TASK** 



Create a pencil holder.

**TASK** 



Create a wind chime.

**TASK** 



Create a jewelry box.

**TASK** 



Create an arcade game.

**TASK** 



Create a bookend.

**TASK** 



Create a fan.