

Season 3, Episode 7: Pirate Day



Plan a secret hideout, meet an okapi, dance without touching the ground. Welcome to CAMP TV—a half-hour day camp experience in your living room! Head counselor Zachary Noah Piser and his new co-counselor, Mia Weinberger, guide “campers” as they learn through play. Content partners include the Children’s Museum of the Arts, Memphis Zoo, Mister C, New Victory Theater, Pilobolus, Story Pirates.

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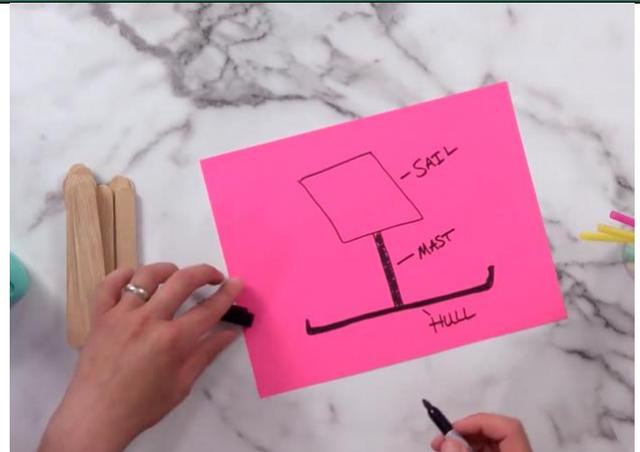
Sailboat

Materials List:

- paper
- straws
- tape
- popsicle sticks
- fan

Instructions:

1. Create a design for your sailboat with a sail, a mast, and a hull



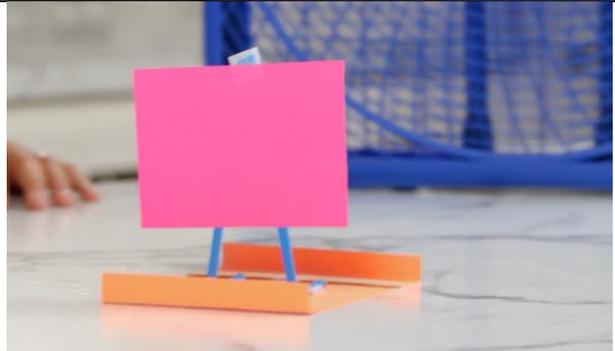
2. Use a piece of paper to create a flat hull to allow your boat to sail across a smooth tabletop. Use two straws to create a triangular shaped mast, then use tape to attach the mast to the hull. Attach another piece of paper to the mast to create a sail.



3. You might also want to tape a few popsicle sticks to the hull to add some additional weight so that the sailboat doesn't tip over.



4. Clean up your space, set down your boat, and turn on a fan! Experiment with different designs and see what might happen if you change the shape of your sail or the height of your mast.



Activity courtesy of Mister C



Newspaper Hat

Materials List:

- newspaper
- tape
- markers

Instructions:

1. First, take your newspaper and lay it out sideways.



2. Take the top left corner and bring it to the middle of the newspaper, forming a triangle shape.



3. Then, do the same on the other side.





4. Fold the bottom part up.



5. Flip the hat over and fold the other side up.



6. If you want, you can add some tape so it all sticks together. You can also decorate it any way you'd like!





Number Jump

Materials List:

- paper
- marker
- dice

Instructions:

1. Write the numbers 1-20 on pieces of paper, one number on each piece. Lay out the numbers on the floor starting with 1. Put some numbers closer together, and some further apart (but not too far apart that it's unsafe to jump from one to the next).



2. To play, roll the dice then move that number of times along your number path, counting out loud as you go. Then, roll again and keep counting from where you landed.



3. See how many rolls it takes you to get from one side of the room to the other. If you want to make it more challenging, try skip counting or hopping on one foot!





Witch's Cauldron Prints

Materials List:

- small bowl
- warm water
- dish soap
- food coloring
- straw
- paper

Instructions:

1. Begin by filling the bowl halfway with warm water.



2. Add a large squeeze of dish soap and a large squeeze of food coloring.



3. Stir with a straw until all the ingredients are mixed.



4. Use your straw to blow bubbles into the mixture. Be careful to blow out, not breathe in!



5. Once the bubbles begin to go over the edge of the bowl, take a piece of paper and press it into the bubbles. The bubbles will leave their mark on the paper as they pop.



6. You can repeat this process with different colors and layers until you have a beautiful print!



Activity courtesy of Children's Museum of the Arts