



SCIENCE FOR THE YOUNGEST

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- inspire students to find their own solutions

By mimicing a 'real world' project we try to give our students an engaging way to understand that there are often more than one solution to a problem and that every task in a project is equally important if we want to reach the desired result.

When you as the teacher takes on an observing role, not acting as the expert, you inspire the students to find their own solutions rather than giving them a correct answer.

Since the materials used are inexpensive you get a lot of experimenting for your money without digging a huge hole in your budget.



Examples of tasks included in the project.

- Make sketches
- Construct blueprints in scale
- Experiment with recipes
- Bake sturdy parts
- Assemble from instructions
- Decorate

There are many solutions to a problem and every step in a project is equally important.