

# OCTE 2012 – Elementary Conference Workshops

## GRADE 2 | UNDERSTANDING STRUCTURES AND MECHANISMS MOVEMENT

### **RAMP BOWLING (SIMPLE MACHINES) DESIGN CHALLENGE**

#### OVERALL EXPECTATIONS

By the end of Grade 2, students will:

- investigate mechanisms that include simple machines and enable movement.

#### SPECIFIC EXPECTATIONS

##### 2. Developing Investigation and Communication Skills

By the end of Grade 2, students will:

2.1 follow established safety procedures during science and technology investigations (e.g., return tools to their designated area when they are done with them; carry tools and materials safely)

2.4 use technological problem-solving skills (see page 16), and knowledge and skills acquired from previous investigations, to design, build, and test a mechanism that includes one or more simple machines (e.g., a toy, a model vehicle) Sample guiding questions: What is the purpose of your mechanism? What simple machine(s) does it use? Explain how it does what it does. What kind of movement does it demonstrate? What were some of the challenges in designing and making your mechanism? Based on the tests you conducted, what might you change about your mechanism?

2.5 use appropriate science and technology vocabulary, including push, pull, beside, above, wheel, axle, and inclined plane, in oral and written communication

2.6 use a variety of forms (e.g., oral, written, graphic, multimedia) to communicate with different audiences and for a variety of purposes (e.g., orally explain to the class the process they followed in building a mechanism that includes one or more simple machines)

#### Learning Goals

- Students will follow established safety procedures during science and technology investigations (e.g., return tools to their designated area when they are done with them; carry tools and materials safely).
- Students will design and construct and test a device (toy) that includes one or more simple machines (in this case, a toy that makes use of a le inclined plane and roller).
- Students will use appropriate science and technology vocabulary, including push, pull, beside, above, lever, and inclined plane in oral and written communication.
- Students will use a variety of forms (e.g., oral, written, graphic, multimedia) to communicate with different audiences and for a variety of purposes (e.g., orally explain to the class the process they followed in building a mechanism that includes one or more simple machines).

#### Assessment and Evaluation

**For Assessment and Evaluation support, please see Appendix G.**

Check items you wish to evaluate during the completion of this unit. Skip items that do not apply to your current program needs.

You may differentiate your assessment by offering your students a variety of these items as “choices”, while making other items mandatory.

- Please see Appendix B for this unit’s assessment rubric (assessment of learning).
- Please see Appendix C for this unit's Grade Sheet (assessment of learning).
- Please see Appendix D for the Continuum for Technological Problem Solving rubric (assessment for/as learning).
- Please see Appendix E for the Assessment As Learning, Student Self-Assessment Log” (assessment as learning).
- Please see Appendix F for the Teacher's Record, Assessment For Learning sheet.

## Success Criteria

Knowledge and Understanding (K&U), please see "Appendix B" for corresponding evaluation items:

- the student acquired a knowledge of facts and terminology related to how energy is used in everyday life, as well as, used tools and materials safely and appropriately in building and testing a toy that uses more than one simple machine in its design (K&U, 1);
- the student understands content (e.g., concepts, ideas, and processes) that address his/her toy design (K&U, 2);

Thinking and Investigation (T&I), please see "Appendix B" for corresponding evaluation items:

- the student developed ideas, regarding potential solutions to his/her design challenge, and developed a suitable plan for solving it (T&I, 3);
- the student used processing skills and strategies (e.g., performing and recording, gathering evidence and data, observing, manipulating materials and using equipment safely, ... proving) to design and fabricate a toy that uses more than one simple machine in its design (T&I, 4);
- the student used critical/creative thinking processes, skills, and strategies to test her/his toy, and determine if her/his prototype met the design challenge requirements (T&I, 5).

Communication (Com. ), please see "Appendix B" for corresponding evaluation items:

- the student completed an oral, visual, or written report that was organized in a clear, logical manner, and included diagrams and models where appropriate (Com. 6);
- the student’s report accurately described the steps taken to solve the design challenge, as well as, the learning that he/she acquired from the unit; the student used an appropriate oral, and/or written form for the selected audience e.g., teacher, or teacher and classmates (Com. 7);
- the student included the correct use of scientific vocabulary and terminology (e.g., explore, investigate, design, energy, ...) in his/her report (Com. 8);

Application (App. ), please "Appendix B" for corresponding evaluation items:

- the student followed established safety practices for using tools, and materials (App. 9);

- the student listed beneficial aspects of his/her design regarding people, other living things, and the environment (App. 10);
- the student proposed courses of practical action that involved the use of her/his musical shaker (e.g., to help those in society who are looking for action toys that do not require electrical energy, and are easily transported and stored) (App. 11).

## Curriculum Connections and Additional Assessment Opportunities

Language:

- Oral Communication, Overall Expectation 2 (select from expectations 2.3, 2.4, and 2.7);
- Writing, Overall Expectations 2, and 3 (select from expectations 2.1, 2.4, and 3.3);

## Materials and Tools List

### Tools

<p>Hand Tool Version:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• CSA approved safety glasses/goggles, one pair per person (parent volunteers included),</li> <li>• a first aid kit (please see your Board's Health and Safety Regulations if one is being purchased for your classroom),</li> <li>• an approved eyewash station containing approved eyewash fluid that has not reached its expiry time limit after decanting, or an installed eyewash system;</li> <li>• rulers, one per project;</li> <li>• basic hacksaws ( junior saws), or coping saws, minimum one for every 3 projects (local hardware stores, <a href="http://www.kidder.ca">www.kidder.ca</a> or <a href="http://www.busybeetools.com">www.busybeetools.com</a>),</li> <li>• bench hooks, minimum one for every 3 projects (<a href="http://www.kidder.ca">www.kidder.ca</a>),</li> <li>• 3" C-clamps, minimum one for every 3 projects (local hardware stores, <a href="http://www.kidder.ca">www.kidder.ca</a> or <a href="http://www.busybeetools.com">www.busybeetools.com</a>)</li> <li>• sand paper, medium to fine grit, 1 sheet for every 5 projects;.</li> </ul>	<p>No Hand Tools Version:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scissors, one pair for every three projects (students may supply their own).</li> </ul>
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### Materials

<p>Hand Tool Version:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 1/2" x 1/2" x 24" basswood wood strips, two per project,</li> <li>• one golf ball per project,</li> <li>• <b><i>send home a note in advance of this activity asking caregivers to collect and send in items from the list below;</i></b></li> <li>• small plastic containers (e.g., liquid yogurt containers, 500 ml water bottles),</li> <li>• <b>or</b> 4" - 6" (10 cm - 15 cm) pieces of cardboard tubing, 3-5 per project for use as bowling pins,</li> <li>• glue, about 250 ml for the class.</li> </ul>	<p>No Hand Tools Version:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• one golf ball per project,</li> <li>• <b><i>send home a note in advance of this activity asking caregivers to collect and send in items from the list below;</i></b></li> <li>• cardboard tubes (preferably the length of a plastic wrap tube or longer), <b>or</b> cereal boxes, 1 per project,</li> <li>• small plastic containers (e.g., liquid yogurt containers, 500 ml water bottles), <b>or</b> 4" - 6" (10 cm - 15 cm) pieces of cardboard tubing, 3-5 per project for use as bowling pins,</li> <li>• glue, about 250 ml for the class.</li> </ul>
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## Internet Resources to Get You Started (always stay on the main page)

- An explanation of simple machines  
[http://www.sciencetech.technomuses.ca/english/schoolzone/Info\\_Simple\\_Machines.cfm#wedge](http://www.sciencetech.technomuses.ca/english/schoolzone/Info_Simple_Machines.cfm#wedge)
- Learn360 is licenced through the Ministry of Education (See OSAPAC). If you do not have a username and login, please contact your Board's information services department and request one. Here is another explanation of what simple machines are and do.  
<http://www.learn360.com/ShowVideo.aspx?ID=132365>

## Background Knowledge

Be sure to locate your Board's safety policy and documentation procedures. Train your students in the use of the saws, clamps, and bench hooks, (following your Board's requirements) and document this instruction accordingly.

See "Appendix H: Samples" for pictures of student work.

This activity makes use of two simple machines. The first is the lever. The golf ball ramp is raised at one end while the other end acts as a pivot point (fulcrum) as it rests on the floor, or tabletop. This setup is known as a Class 2 lever. The second simple machine is the inclined plane. Once the ramp is in positions the golf ball is released and rolled down the ramp as the student tries to knock over their bowling pins.

A case can be made for designating the golf ball as a roller; however, it is not a true wheel and axle.

## Activity Description

### **Design Challenge:**

Teachers and students work collaboratively to identify an environmental challenge regarding the use of cardboard and plastic. Using their background knowledge of the types of simple machines, the group will then collaborate on a solution by suggesting ways to make a toy that uses two simple machines and includes the use of plastic bottles and/or cardboard tubes. From there the teacher will narrow down the choices to the type and number suited to the group's capabilities. In this case the focus will be on reusing small plastic bottles and/or cardboard tubes to make golf ball bowling ramp game.

### **Minds On/Hands On**

1. Whole class project or hand out copies of Appendix A: Simple Machines, and Appendix E: Assessment As Learning, Student Assessment Log.
2. Small groups, ask students to discuss what they see and what they can remember about the six kinds of simple machines.
3. Whole class, discuss what the class can remember about simple machines, and clarify as needed.
4. Whole class, inform your students that coming activity will help them to keep some plastic bottles and/or cardboard tubes out of garbage piles, and it will challenge them to use what they know about simple machines to make a toy.

## Action

1. Teacher introduces the design challenge and has the materials and tools on display. A sample introduction is as follows:
  - a. Now we understand what the different types of simple machines are. Today we are going to think of ideas that will help to keep some of these plastic bottles and cardboard tubes out of the garbage by using them to make a toy that uses at least two simple machines. The two simple machines we will be using are the lever and inclined plane.
  - b. After receiving instructions and clarification, students fill out item A on the Student Self-Assessment Log (Appendix E).
2. Teacher informs students that they are to turn and talk to see what kinds of "two machine" toys they can think of building using the tools and materials provided. This is followed by a whole class discussion of the ideas generated. Students complete item B on the Student Self-Assessment Log.
3. Teacher leads a whole class discussion that narrows the choices down to those that reflect a ball and ramp design. Teacher further narrows the options based on the tools and materials available, and the students' capabilities. In the case of this activity, students are lead to the ramp bowling option. Students complete item C on the Student Self-Assessment Log.
4. Teacher reviews, or provides instruction on, Learning Skills related to this type of task (e.g., safety, problem solving, collaboration, and responsibility).
5. Teacher leads discussion/brainstorming session on what makes a good ramp bowling game (co-constructs success criteria) and records items that reflect the curriculum goals. Students complete item E on the Student Self-Assessment Log.
6. Students select either the cardboard ramp design, or the wood strip ramp design, then they select the materials they will use for their bowling pins (plastic containers/bottles and/or cardboard tubes). Students create a set of plans (labeled pictures and oral description) for making a ramp-bowling toy using the tools and materials available. Teacher reviews plans feasibility, and the inclusion of two simple machines. Students with approved plans move on to the next step. Students then complete item D on the Student Self-Assessment Log.
7. Students follow their plans to fabricate their ramp-bowling toys. Students complete item F on the Student Self-Assessment Log.
8. Teacher reviews/discusses the two types of machines (lever and inclined plane) and how they work together in the ramp bowling game (e.g., the lever is used when the ramp is raised with the front touching the ground while lifting the golf ball, the inclined plane is used when the golf ball is released and sent down the ramp).
9. Students test their ramp-bowling toy and determine if it solves the design challenge as required.
10. Teacher supports students as they record observations and results, as they carry out their tests. Students complete items G and H on the Student Self-Assessment Log.

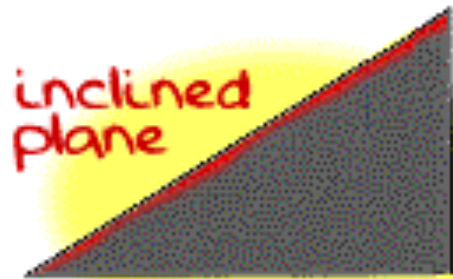
11. If improvements are necessary, and if time permits, students should redesign their prototype and re-test it to determine if the changes were successful.
12. Students, make note of all final observations and insights, then begin working on their reports.

### **Consolidation**

13. In groups, students discuss what went well with their designs and tests, what changes were made, why they were needed, and what they would do differently if given another opportunity. This material should be added to the students' reports. Students complete items I - J on the Student Self-Assessment Log.
14. In groups, students discuss/debate how their ramp bowling toys are good for them in some ways, as well as how they might be bad for them in others. Students complete item K on the Student Self-Assessment Log.
15. Students, create an oral report that is supported by a labeled drawing or drawings and written sentences to explain what the design challenge was, and how successfully they solved it. Students should strive to include as many vocabulary words as possible (e.g., push, pull, beside, above, lever, and inclined plane). Students complete item M on the Student Self-Assessment Log.
16. Students, present an oral report that is supported by a labeled drawing or drawings and written sentences to explain what the design challenge was, and how successfully they solved it. Students complete item L on the Student Self-Assessment Log.

Appendix A: Simple Machines

# Simple Machines



## Appendix B: Assessment Rubric (Assessment Of Learning)

This rubric was developed from the <u>Ontario Curriculum Grades 1-8 Science and Technology, Revised 2007</u> document.				
	Level 1	Level 2	Level 3	Level 4
<b>Knowledge and Understanding (K&amp;U)</b> – Subject-specific content acquired in each grade (knowledge), and the comprehension of its meaning and significance (understanding)				
	The Student:			
1. Knowledge of content (e.g., facts and terminology related to structures; safe use of tools and materials)	demonstrates limited knowledge of content	demonstrates some knowledge of content	demonstrates considerable knowledge of content	demonstrates thorough knowledge of content
2. Understanding of content (e.g., concepts, ideas, and processes involving structures)	demonstrates limited understanding of content	demonstrates some understanding of content	demonstrates considerable understanding of content	demonstrates thorough understanding of content
<b>Thinking and Investigation (T&amp;I)</b> – The use of critical and creative thinking skills and inquiry problem solving skills and/or processes				
	The Student:			
3. Use of initiating and planning skills and strategies (e.g. identifying the problem and developing plans)	uses initiating and planning skills and strategies with limited effectiveness	uses initiating and planning skills and strategies with some effectiveness	uses initiating and planning skills and strategies with considerable effectiveness	uses initiating and planning skills and strategies with a high degree of effectiveness
4. Use of processing skills and strategies (e.g., performing and recording, gathering evidence... data, observing, manipulating materials and using equipment safely, ... proving) to design and fabricate a ramp-bowling toy	uses processing skills and strategies with limited effectiveness	uses processing skills and strategies with some effectiveness	uses processing skills and strategies with considerable effectiveness	uses processing skills and strategies with a high degree of effectiveness
5. Use of critical/creative thinking processes, skills, and strategies (e.g., analysing, interpreting, problem solving, evaluating, forming and justifying conclusions on the basis of evidence) to complete a fair test to determine if the prototype meets the design requirements for this task	uses critical/creative thinking processes, skills, and strategies with limited effectiveness	uses critical/creative thinking processes, skills, and strategies with some effectiveness	uses critical/creative thinking processes, skills, and strategies with considerable effectiveness	uses critical/creative thinking processes, skills, and strategies with a high degree of effectiveness
<b>Communication (Com.)</b> – The conveying of meaning through various forms				
	The student:			
6. Expression and organization of ideas and information in oral, visual, and/or written forms (complete a report that is organized in a clear, logical	expresses and organizes ideas and information with limited effectiveness	expresses and organizes ideas and information with some effectiveness	expresses and organizes ideas and information with considerable	expresses and organizes ideas and information with a high

manner and includes diagrams and models where appropriate)			effectiveness	degree of effectiveness
7. Communication for different audiences and purposes in oral, visual, and/or written forms (accurately describe the learning that he/she acquired from this unit and use an appropriate form for the selected audience, e.g., teacher, or teacher and classmates)	communicates for different audiences and purposes with limited effectiveness	communicates for different audiences and purposes with some effectiveness	communicates for different audiences and purposes with considerable effectiveness	communicates for different audiences and purposes with a high degree of effectiveness
8. Use of conventions, vocabulary, and terminology (e.g., push, pull, beside, above, lever, and inclined plane) in oral, visual, and/or written forms	uses conventions, vocabulary, and terminology with limited effectiveness	uses conventions, vocabulary, and terminology with some effectiveness	uses conventions, vocabulary, and terminology with considerable effectiveness	uses conventions, vocabulary, and terminology with a high degree of effectiveness
<b>Application (App.)</b> – The use of knowledge and skills to make connections within and between various contexts				
	The student:			
9. Application of knowledge and skills (e.g., concepts and processes, use of equipment and technology, investigation skills) in familiar contexts	applies knowledge and skills in familiar contexts with limited effectiveness	applies knowledge and skills in familiar contexts with some effectiveness	applies knowledge and skills in familiar contexts with considerable effectiveness	applies knowledge and skills in familiar contexts with a high degree of effectiveness
10. Making connections between society, science, technology, and the environment regarding the design solution selected and its impacts on people, other living things, and the environment	connects science, technology, society, and the environment with limited effectiveness	connects science, technology, society, and the environment with some effectiveness	connects science, technology, society, and the environment with considerable effectiveness	connects science, technology, society, and the environment with a high degree of effectiveness
11. Proposing courses of practical action to deal with problems relating to science, technology, society, and the environment (e.g., to help those in society who are looking for action toys that do not require electrical energy, and are easily transported and stored)	proposes courses of practical action of limited effectiveness	proposes courses of practical action of some effectiveness	proposes courses of practical action of considerable effectiveness	proposes highly effective courses of practical action



**Appendix D: Assessment For Learning  
Continuum For Technological Problem Solving**

**Targets for Grades 1-3 are in the  
Beginning to Exploring range.**

<b>Beginning &gt; Exploring &gt; Emerging &gt; Competent &gt; Proficient</b>			
<b>Initiating and Planning</b>			
<b>The student:</b>			
<b>(A)</b> recognizes a practical problem in a given context	identifies practical problems to solve in the immediate environment	identifies practical problems to solve in the local community	identifies practical problems to solve
<b>(B)</b> with support (e.g., as a class or in small groups), brainstorms possible solutions to a practical problem	with support (e.g., as a class or in small groups), generates a list of possible solutions to a practical problem and determines which are realistic in the classroom and/or the real world	identifies possible solutions to a practical problem and explains how each might solve the problem	identifies possible solutions to a practical problem and prioritizes them with regard to their potential for solving the problem
<b>(C)</b> with support (e.g., as a class or in small groups), selects one possible solution to implement	selects a possible solution to implement	selects a possible solution to implement, and provides reasons for the choice	selects a possible solution, and provides reasons for the choice that take into account considerations such as function, aesthetics, environmental impact
<b>(D)</b> with support (e.g., as a class or in small groups), makes a simple plan to carry out the solution	makes a simple plan (individually or in small groups), including simple drawings and/or diagrams, to carry out the solution	outlines (individually or in small groups) the steps of a plan, including labeled drawings and/or diagrams, to solve the problem	outlines in detail, including technical drawings and/or diagrams, each step of a plan to solve the problem
<b>(E)</b> with support (e.g., as a class or in small groups), establishes a limited number of criteria for evaluating proposed solutions to the problem	with support (e.g., as a class or in small groups), establishes a limited number of criteria for evaluating proposed solutions to the problem	contributes to establishing general criteria for evaluating objects or devices designed to solve the problem	contributes to establishing general criteria for evaluating objects or devices designed to solve
<b>Performing and Recording</b>			
<b>The student:</b>			
<b>(F)</b> with support (e.g., as a class or in small groups), carries out the pre-determined plan	with support (e.g., as a class or in small groups), carries out the pre-determined plan	carries out the pre-determined plan (individually or in pairs or small groups)	carries out the pre-determined plan
<b>(G)</b> with support, designs, builds, and tests (on the basis of pre-determined criteria) a	with support, designs, builds, and tests (on the basis of pre-	designs, builds, and tests (on the basis of pre-determined	designs, builds, and tests (on the basis of pre-determined

device or an object to solve the problem	determined criteria) a device or an object to solve the problem	criteria) a device or an object to solve the problem	criteria) a device or an object to solve the problem
<b>(H)</b> records results using pictures and/or tally charts	records results in a variety of ways, such as sentences, simple drawings, diagrams, and/or charts, and/or charts	records results in a variety of ways, such as sentences, drawings, labelled diagrams, graphs	records results in a variety of ways, such as sentences, technical drawings, labeled diagrams, graphs, and/or charts
<b>Analyzing and Interpreting</b>			
<b>The student:</b>			
<b>(I)</b> with support, identifies how well the chosen solution solved the practical problem, using the pre-determined criteria	identifies how well the chosen solution solved the practical problem, using the pre-determined criteria	explains how well the chosen solution solved the practical problem, and suggests possible changes to the criteria and the solution	explains how well the chosen solution solved the practical problem, using qualitative and/or quantitative data, and suggests possible changes to the criteria and the solution
<b>(J)</b> with support, suggests something that might be changed about the solution to the problem identifies some things that could be done differently to improve the solution to the problem	identifies and explains what changes could be made to the plan and how to improve the solution to the problem, and gives reasons for the changes	identifies and explains what changes could be made to the plan and the testing process, and how to improve the solution to the problem, and gives reasons for the changes	identifies and explains what changes could be made to the plan and the testing process, and how to improve the solution to the problem, and gives reasons for the changes
<b>(K)</b>	identifies some possible beneficial and non-beneficial impacts of the chosen solution for himself/herself or others	identifies the effects of the chosen solution on himself/herself, others, and/or the environment, considering things such as cost, materials, time, and/or space	identifies the effects of the chosen solution on himself/herself, others, and/or the environment, considering things such as cost, materials, time, and/or space, and suggests ways in which undesirable effects could be lessened or eliminated
<b>Communicating</b>			
<b>The student:</b>			
<b>(L)</b> describes orally, and/or using drawings, pictures, and/or simple sentences, the problem and how he or she solved it	describes orally, and/or using drawings, pictures, and/or simple sentences, the problem and how he or she solved it	describes orally, and using labelled drawings and diagrams, charts, graphs, and/or written descriptions, the problem and how he or she solved it	describes orally, and using labelled drawings and diagrams, charts, graphs, and/or written descriptions, the problem and how he or she solved it
<b>(M)</b> uses grade-appropriate science and technology vocabulary correctly	uses grade-appropriate science and technology vocabulary correctly	uses grade-appropriate science and technology vocabulary correctly	uses grade-appropriate science and technology vocabulary correctly

## Appendix E: Assessment As Learning, Student Self-Assessment Log

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_ Class: \_\_\_\_\_

These descriptors reflect skills that have reached the Beginning/Exploring levels on the "Continuum for Technological Problem-Solving Skills."

Circle the correct thumb to let your teacher know how you are doing.



I'm doing great!



I'm doing okay.



I need some help with this.

A. I know what problem I have to solve.



H. I can use sentences and drawings to show you how my toy/game works.



B. With some help, I can share ideas for a toy/game that will solve the problem.



I. I can tell you what is good about my toy/game, and if it solved the problem



C. With some help, I can pick a good idea for a toy/game that will solve the problem.



J. I can tell you something that will make my toy/game better.



D. With some help, I can tell you my plan and make a drawing of the toy/game I will build.



K. I can tell you some things about my toy/game that are good for me, and some things about it that may not be good for me.



E. With some help, I understand what will make a good toy/game.



L. I can tell you about the design problem and how my toy/game solved it by talking, using pictures I have drawn, and sentences I have written.



F. With some help, I can follow my plan.



M. I can use the science words we have learned such as push, pull, beside, above, lever, and inclined plane.



G. With some help, I can design build and test my toy/game.



Parent/Guardian's Review

1. Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



## Appendix G: Support for Assessment and Evaluation

### Assessment as/for/of Learning

It is the goal of the OCTE Elementary Committee to support their members in the development of these skills. This year the focus is on providing feedback (assessment for and as learning) using the Ministry's "Continuum for Technological Problem Solving Skills" (Science and Technology Grades 1-8, pp. 17-18) Please note that only the Ministry's "Achievement Chart -- Science and Technology, Grades 1-8" (Science and Technology Grades 1-8, pp. 26-27) is to be used for assessment of learning.

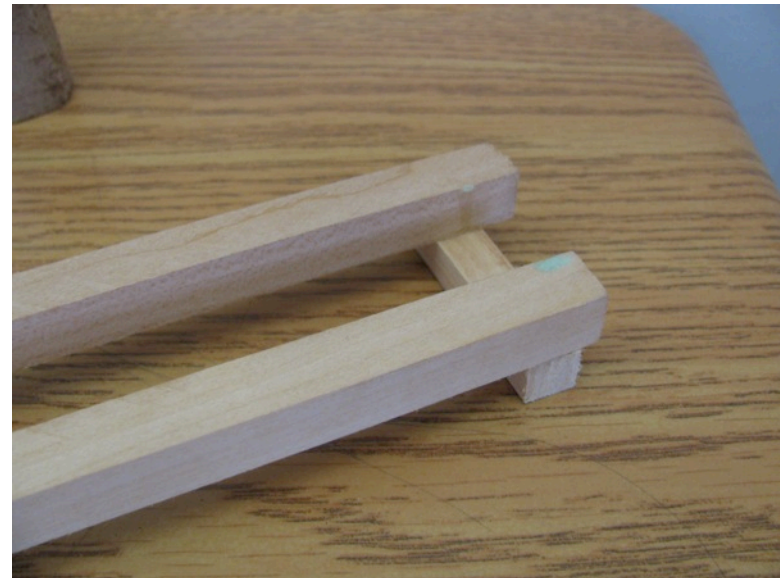
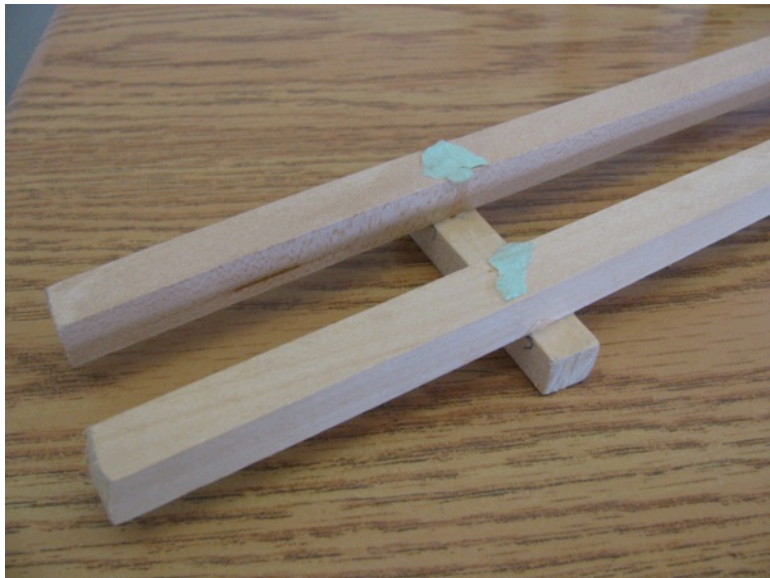
A summary of the three forms of assessment addressed in the Ministry of Education's Growing Success (2010) document is as follows:

- assessment for learning involves generating feedback about your students' progress that is shared with them before assessing for report card grades;
- assessment of learning is when you generate marks/levels for your report cards;
- assessment as learning, when developed fully, is when students provide their own feedback and assessment (peer and/or self) regarding their learning; students use this information to set learning goals, and to select appropriate learning strategies for their success.

Here are some suggestions to support the implementation of "Assessment as Learning" in your program; they are as follows:

1. Provide your students with a copy of "Appendix E: Assessment as Learning, Student Self-Assessment Log" and refer to applicable statements (see statements A-M) for discussion, before each of these items are addressed.
2. Ensure that the learning goal for each item is clearly understood by your students. Use student friendly language wherever possible.
3. Provide opportunities for self/peer assessment (move from structured to student directed as your students develop this skill).
4. Discuss or refer to successful and unsuccessful work (exemplars, or student generated materials) to provide benchmarks for your students' self/peer assessments.
5. Collect and review your students' "Assessment as Learning, Student Self Assessment Log." Make note of who needs additional support. Schedule time for these students into your next lesson (or provide opportunities for extra help, if possible).
6. Use your students' self/peer assessments to determine if a task requires modification to support successful learning.
7. Refer to pp. 27-36 in the Growing Success document for complete details. Reference: Ontario. Ministry of Education. (2010). *Growing Success: Assessment, Evaluation, and Reporting in Ontario Schools, First Edition, Covering Grades 1-12*. Toronto: Author. ISBN 978-1-4435-2284-7 (Print), ISBN 978-1-4435-2285-4 (PDF) (Rev.), ISBN 978-1-4435-2286-1 (TXT), © Queen's Printer for Ontario.

Appendix H: Samples



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