



LEARNING OBJECTIVES:

To work with determination and perseverance to collaboratively solve a problem.

Script:

“In today’s lesson we will be looking at how we can work together to solve a problem and at how sometimes we need to keep going in order to be successful. The challenge in your table groups today is to create the highest structure that you possibly can, using spaghetti and marshmallows.” You could set a height for the children to reach e.g. 1 metre. Demonstrate to the children how to construct a simple cuboid using the resources.

Character Coaching

Guidance:

How can you encourage others in your group to keep trying?

Meaningful Praise:

Thank you for encouraging ___ to keep going during the activity.

Suggested Resources:

Packets of marshmallows, packets of spaghetti, etc..

Suggested Activities:

The children work in groups to create the highest building structure as possible.

Plenary:

Teacher to assess the height of each structure and whether they have met the target.

Correction:

What is a kinder way to say that to encourage ___ to keep going?

