

Doodle Lou's

Air-Powered Balloon Boat

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MATERIALS:

- A 9" x 6" Styrofoam Tray
- A permanent marker
- A sharpened Pencil
- 4" piece of plastic straw
- 3" of Duct tape
- A Balloon

DIRECTIONS:

1. Print the page and cut out the boat pattern.
2. Wash and dry the Styrofoam tray.
3. Using a permanent marker, trace the boat shape on the Styrofoam tray.
4. Using a sharpened pencil, poke a 145 degree angle in the boat shape at the black dot.
5. Slip one end of the straw into the neck of the balloon.
6. Using about 3" of duct tape, tape the balloon to the straw making sure the joint is air tight.
7. Insert the Balloon/Straw into the angled hole.
8. Blow up the balloon through the open end of the straw. Pinch the straw end shut.
9. Lower the boat into water and release your fingers on the straw. Watch it go !

