

Build A Boat **That** Floats!

Design and build a boat that will keep goat and chicken afloat.

You will need:

- Boat building materials, such as clay, tinfoil, craft sticks, toothpicks, paper, cork
- A container of water
- Goat and Chicken

What to do:

- 1. Experiment with the building materials by testing them in water.
- 2. Decide what materials you will use to build your boat.
- 3. Build a boat: see if it floats
- 4. Test the boat to see if it will float with Chicken aboard.
- 5. Test to see if the boat will float while holding both Chicken and Goat.
- 6. Make changes to your design to improve how the boat works.
- 7. Keep testing and making changes until you are pleased.

Activity inspired by *What Floats In A Moat* by Lynne Berry.