## Activity 1: Juice Box Boats

These cute boats make second use of juice boxes that may be getting ready to go in the trash. Wash them out and get ready for a fun activity.

Materials

Clean, empty juice boxes (such as Welch’s or Mott’s)

Cardstock (any color)

Tape (Scotch and duct (in any color or multiple colors))

Scissors

Straw of the juice box

Instructions

1. Cut triangles out of the stock paper. You can cut one larger than the other to make your boat more colorful.
2. If you have two triangles, tape one on top of the other. Tape the sail to the juice box straw using Scotch tape.
3. This may step may require assistance. Poke a hole in one of the wide sides of the juice box with a pair of scissors.
4. Poke the straw through the hole and tape around it to keep it in place.
5. Tape the hole at the top of the juice box so water doesn’t get in and cause your boat to sink. If you want, cover the entire box in colored duct tape to customize your boat.

Once you are done making your boat, it is ready to float. Use a plastic bin filled with water or a kiddie pool.

Adapted from [Hands on as we grow](https://handsonaswegrow.com/boat-craft-kids-juice-boxes/).