

Talking Duck

Judge: Preparation:

- Set a large table with room for team members to stand on all sides of the table
- Place the following materials on the table
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• 2 sheets white paper	• 4 sheets different color paper	• 1 pair scissors
• 2 address labels	• 2 paper clips	• 5 cotton balls
• 1 1" sq of clay	• 2 foam cups	• 3 markers (3 colors)
• 3 straws	• 24" piece of string	• 12" piece of yarn

Judge Instructions:

(Judge: When team members enter the room, tell them)

This is a verbal hands-on problem. You have 1 minute to select the five team members who will compete. The others must sit in these seats and watch or be escorted from the room. They may not assist in solving the problem and may not talk.

(Judge: After 5 Team Members Chosen and seated, Read all the instructions, repeat, then Start the Time)

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Presentation(90sec)

- You will have 90 seconds for your presentation to the Judges

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