

Ann's Creative Corner

Project #825: Construction with Boxes!

- Provide various sizes of boxes. These can be large cardboard boxes, medium sized packaging boxes as well as smaller boxes such as tissue paper boxes, card boxes etc.
- Provide some paper towel cylinders.
- With some strong tape, your family or group of children may tape the boxes together to create a house, car, building, wagon, or any idea they choose.
- When you are done your taping of the boxes, think about adding some "Wheels" if they are making a vehicle.
- These could be made by using paper plates. Tape or glue these onto your creation!
- If your creation would like to have cylinders such as for tailpipes, you may like to tape some on the structure. Cutting a hole into the stronger cardboard would be helpful and secure the cylinders in place.
- Try using some shiny paper such as tinfoil to be light reflective.
- Try using various colours of cellophane paper for things such as the lights and windows of your structure.

Activity: View construction zones in your area. Walk and talk and note the signage for the building. There are many safety zones and keep out signage. Also you may notice First Aid areas. Some Supervisors and Construction Staff may be available to talk to..

