

# STEAM newsetten

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Are you looking for something fun and educational to do at home? Check out these library recommended STEAM activities, programs, podcasts and more!

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#### STEAM JOKE OF THE WEEK

I'm reading a book on antigravity. It's so good I can't put it down.



## SCIENCE

Flower Experiment for Kids (Grades K-5) – Grab some white flowers and change them into rainbow flowers! Also learn about plants and flowers and how they grow.

Magic Milk (Grades 2–6) – Magic Milk? Grab a few household supplies and have a blast with this chemistry activity.

# TECHNOLOGY

<u>DIY Robot Hand (Grades 4–8)</u> – Break into the world of robotics with this super neat DIY Robot Hand engineering activity.

Map Skills for Kids: Planning a Route (Grades 2-5) – Take a break from Google Maps, find your way around the world by planning a route on a traditional map, and build map skills

#### FNGINFFRING

<u>Straw Rocket Engineering Challenge (Grades 2–6)</u> – Grab some paper, straws, and tape and get started on this simple but super fun straw rocket challenge.

<u>Build an Aircraft Engineering Challenge (Grades 5-8)</u> – Into airplanes? Do this challenge to get started on a custom built aircraft.

### ART

<u>Skittles Rainbows (Grades K-6)</u> – Fun and tasty?! Have fun doing this activity and have a snack at the same time!

Kid Made Chromatography (Grades 4-9) – This activity combines art and science together. Make something beautiful while doing a fun science experiment.

#### MATH 134

**We're Going on a Math Hunt (Grades 3–6)** – Make math fun by organizing a math hunt. Who knew math could be so awesome!

Nerf Gun Math (Grades 4–8) – Shoot and add! Try out this fun summer outdoor activity using beanbags, baseballs, and water balloons.

#### & M O R E

Ask Dr. Universe (Grades K+) – A place where kids can ask questions and get the answer from Dr. Universe. This week: "How are Vaccines Made?"

<u>TED-Ed (Grades 5+)</u> – Inquisitive about the world? TED-ed is an all-topics educational YouTube channel for kids. Get watching!