



# Make a Twig boat

## What you will need:

Twigs and branches

Masking taper, or twine

A large leaf



## Instructions

1. Choose your sticks- they need to be straight and mostly same length, lay them out to make a raft.
2. Tape your sticks together at each end or tie together using twine
3. Stick an upright twig in the middle and secure a large leaf.
4. Sail your boat. Does it float?

Extra challenge! Can you add some cargo? Load small pebbles, butts or berries onto them – do they still float or do they sink with the added weight?

Perhaps have a race with others. Did particular twigs or designs work better?

When you've finished, remember to take your string and any craft materials home with you to protect the natural environment.