



Design and Test a Parachute



Recycle plastic bags and old material.



You will need:



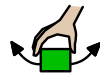
A plastic bag or light material



Scissors



String




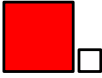

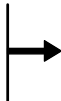
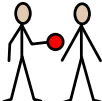

A small object to use as the weight. A little action







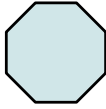
figure would be perfect.

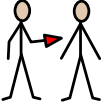



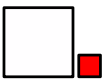

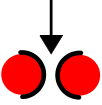

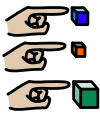
Instructions:


1.  a  large  square  from  your  plastic bag or


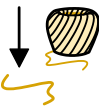

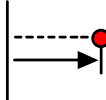
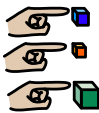
  
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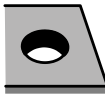
2.  You can  cut  the edges so it  looks like  an octagon

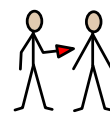
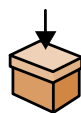
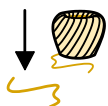
 if you want to.

3.  Cut a  small  whole  near the  edge of  each

  
side.

4.  Attach  pieces of string of the  same  length to  each

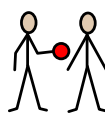
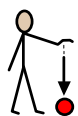
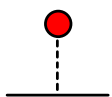
  
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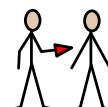
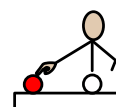
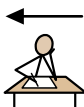
5. Tie the pieces of string to the object you are



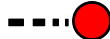
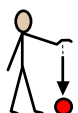
using as a weight.



6. Find a high spot to drop your parachute and



test how well it worked - remember that you



want it to drop as slow as possible.