# Take & Make: Solar Oven — Instructions

Included in this kit: Instructions 10x10-inch box Aluminum foil I sheet black construction paper I sheet plastic wrap I wooden skewer I glue stick

#### Safety considerations

Adult supervision highly recommended during building of oven and when cooking. Do not touch hot surfaces or plates. Protect your hands from burns with an oven mitt.

<u>You will also need:</u> Tape A marker Sturdy scissors or box cutter

## Directions

- 1. Use your marker to draw a square in the center of the top of the box, leaving about an inch-wide margin around the edges. Use scissors or a box cutter to cut out the square.
- 2. Wrap the cardboard square in aluminum foil and glue the edges to keep the foil in place.
- 3. Open the box and glue the black construction paper to the bottom of the box.
- 4. On the inside of the lid, carefully glue a piece of plastic wrap over the opening.
- 5. Carefully close the lid of the box. Glue or tape the foil-covered square on one side of the top of the box as shown.
- 6. Use tape to attach a skewer to one side of the top of the box so that it will prop up the foil-covered square and hold it in place.

### For cooking, sunny days and at least 85°F are ideal

- 1. Place prepared ingredients inside the box on top of the black construction paper (use an oven-safe tray if desired). Close the lid so they are covered by the plastic wrap.
- 2. Make sure the foil-covered square is propped up over the plastic lid.
- 3. Place solar oven in the sun and wait for your snack to cook!

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# Take & Make: Solar Oven — Visual Directions

Step I



Step 3



Step 5



Step 2



Step 4



Step 6



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