

Lesson 18



Area: Take Responsibility

Title: **Make It Work I**

Objective: Students will participate in a group to create an imaginary machine.

Materials: None.

- Activity:**
1. Arrange students into 3-4 groups (depending on the size of the class).
 2. Assign one of the following “machine” descriptions to each group.
 - A machine that packages something.
 - A machine that produces something to eat.
 - A machine that picks up objects.
 - A machine that travels.
 3. Give the following guidelines:
 - Every person in the group must have a role and responsibility in making the machine function.
 - No props or materials will be provided – students may use their own belongings and resources they choose.
 - Groups have the rest of the class time to create their machines. Each machine will be asked to “perform” for 30-60 seconds in front of the class during the next lesson.
 - Option: Each machine should have sound effects

Closure: Check in with each group to see that they are ready for class presentations.