



Lesson Directions Overview

Equipment List

- 1 ForceCourse[®] Frame
- 4 Buckets
- 4 Ropes

- 8 Pulleys
- 4 Sets of 6 Weighted Bags

Learning Objectives

- 1. Identify that a pulley is a simple machine designed to make work easier.
- 2. Understand three types of pulley systems and their effects on the force needed to lift a load.

Grade Levels: 2-12

Vocabulary Covered

- Force
- Work
- Simple Machine
- Pulley
- Mechanical Advantage
- Load

NGSS Topics Addressed

- Forces and Interactions
- Engineering Design

CCMS Topics Addressed

Measurement and Data