

Make a compass

Materials needed:

Plastic lid (from a mayonnaise or peanut butter jar)

A slice of cork or a lid from a plastic milk jug

A needle

A bar magnet

Water

1. Rub the needle in one direction against the bar magnet about 75 times. This turns the needle into a magnet!
2. Pour some water into the plastic lid
3. Place the cork slice/milk jug lid in the water
4. Carefully place the needle across the middle of the cork/lid.
5. After the needle “settles” it will point north

Tah Dah!! You have a compass!!

