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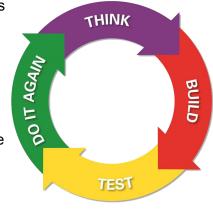
Engineering Design Process

Think, Build, Test, Do It Again

That's the process engineers use when they tackle a problem.

Engineers don't have official rules telling them to follow this set of steps. But, over time they've learned that they get the best results this way.

They **think** and brainstorm about a problem and factors they have to consider to solve it. They come up with an idea and **build** a prototype. They **test** the prototype. And, then they **repeat** the process to improve their results.



It Takes a Lot of Back and Forth

Engineers often **move back and forth within the loop**, repeating two steps over and over again before moving forward. It's a key to engineering success. Sometimes, engineers will focus on one specific step, and when complete, pass the project off to another team with a different skill set.

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Geometry: 2D Shapes

Scientific Concept: Mathematics

Recommended Ages: 5 to 10

Scientific Practice: Geometrics, perimeter, area

What to know about this kit:

Kids can practice fine motor skills while exploring concepts of geometry such as perimeter, area, polygons, and more.

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