



A Destination Imagination Instant Challenge is a great way to help children develop 21<sup>st</sup> century skills in the 4Cs: creativity, communication, collaboration, and critical thinking. Join your child in solving this Challenge or encourage a group of friends or siblings to tackle it!

**Focus:** Innovation and design process, technical design and construction, improvisational acting.

An island is usually land surrounded by water on all sides. Sometimes an island is something that looks like an island because it's isolated and surrounded by something other than water. A raised area in a parking lot or street can be an island. These islands are surrounded by pavement. It is possible to be stranded on an island! Getting off an island when you are stranded means you need a plan!



## Challenge

Your task is to create a map of an island and then show how you can get off the island.

**Part 1:** Use only the materials below to create a map of an island. Your map should show what surrounds your island and what keeps you stranded on the island. Be creative with your map and your island.

**Part 2:** Create a video (or a skit) for family or friends showing what causes you to be stranded on the island. Also show your creative plan for getting off the island. Include your map in your video (or skit).



## Materials

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| <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Paper Plates       | <input type="checkbox"/> 6 Chenille Sticks (Pipe Cleaners) | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Straws         |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Paper Cups         | <input type="checkbox"/> 5 Sheets of Colored Paper         | <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Craft Sticks   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Sheet of Newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> 3 Plastic Spoons                  | <input type="checkbox"/> 2 Rubber Bands   |
| <input type="checkbox"/> 4 Mailing Labels     | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Pair of Scissors                | <input type="checkbox"/> 1 Box of Markers |

The scissors and markers may not be damaged and may not be part of the map.



## Reflection Questions

- What makes your map creative?
- What makes your plan for leaving the island creative?
- What material was used in the most creative way?
- What was the best part of your video presentation (or skit)?