

# Juicy Bird Feeder

Create a delicious summer treat for the birds in your backyard with this free life science activity for kids.

## **You will need:**

- Half a navel orange
- 2 36" pieces of string
- Plastic needle
- Knitting needle

## **Instructions:**

- Thread the plastic needle with one of the strings.
- Pierce the orange with the threaded needle and push it all the way to the other side. Make sure the needle is about halfway down from the top of the orange.
- The orange should now be in the middle part of the string.
- Repeat the process with the other piece of string by inserting it at a point 90 degrees from the first point of insertion.
- The orange should be the middle point for all four strings.
- Tie all the strings together and poke the knitting needle from one end of the knot to the other. Your bird feeder is ready to be feasted upon.
- Just find a good tree branch to hang it.

