

# The Egg Challenge

## The Challenge . . .

A raw egg is suspended 1 metre above the ground by a string. Your Patrol has to build a structure to catch the egg, and safely transport it to the ground in 30 minutes time when the string is cut. No member of your Patrol may touch the egg at any point, nor should your solution be for a Scout to hold a sheet of paper under the egg (rolled, folder or otherwise)

At the end of the challenge, your Patrol will have been successful if the egg is still whole, and there is no more than a single sheet of paper between the egg and the ground.

## Equipment . . .

In order to complete the challenge, you have access to the following equipment:

- 10 sheets of A4 paper
- String
- Scissors
- Glue
- Sticky tape

## Scoring . . .

The challenge will be scored, and prizes awarded to the winning patrol. The scoring for the challenge is as follows:

Not breaking the egg	5 points
Successfully transporting the egg to the ground	5 points
Your patrol working together as a team	20 points