

## **Foosbox**

### **Materials needed:**

- Shoe box (or a small box 4 1/2 inches tall, 8 inches wide, and 13 inches long)
- A scissor/ Fiskars soft grip detail knife
- Four 12 inches wooden dowels
- A ping pong ball
- Two different color sharpies
- 10 clothespins
- A measuring ruler

### **Activity Instructions:**

Start off by making measurements between the four wooden dowels and the shoe box (separate each wooden dowel 2 ½ inches from the top corner of the box). Move the four wooden dowels down and mark the holes (1 ½ inches down from the top of the box). Use the cutting tool to make holes. Attach each wooden dowel in the cut holes.

Draw out the goal measurements on each side (2 inches in from each bottom corner, up 2 ½ inches, then connect both sides together). Carefully make the cut.

Last step adds the clothespins onto the wooden dowel (two clothespins on the first wooden dowel, three clothespins on the two middle wooden dowels, and two clothespins on the last wooden dowel). Pick two color and color the end of the wooden dowels (color first wood dowel and the third wood dowel/color second wood dowel and fourth wood dowel)

**Optional:** Decorate the box

### **Explanation:**

The FoosBox is cheap homemade game that can bring enjoy and excitement to whomever plays it. Like foosball, each player will use the handle on the side to hit the ball into the goal.

The player who score the most goals is the winner.

