## Week 8, Frog Rocket

Measurements can be tricky and practice is the only way to get better at reading them. Leap frog rockets are a fun way to compete with siblings and practice reading measurements.

## What You Need:

- Printable Frogs
- Disposable drinking straw
- Scotch tape
- Scissors
- Glue
- Ruler or tape measure



## **Directions:**

- 1. Measure one end of your drinking straw and mark it at 2 ½ inches
- 2. Cut at the 2 ½ in mark all the way through the straw
- 3. Tape one end of the 2 ½ in straw closed
- 4. Position the frog so the head is at the end you taped closed, then tape or glue your cut out frog to the piece of straw that is  $2 \frac{1}{2}$  inches
- 5. If you used glue, wait until it is dry.
- 6. Mark your starting line
- 7. Place the frog straw on the end of the longer piece of straw and blow into the open end
- 8. See how far your frog can go and then measure from the starting line to the landing zone.
- 9. Repeat to see just how far your frog will go!

Don't forget to upload a short video of you measuring your frog's distance to social media with **#futurerosies** to enter the contest!