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- The objective of the Paper Tower is for teams to build the tallest freestanding tower using only paper and masking tape.
- This activity is about StrengthsFinder. It is easy and helpful activity to see your strengths.
Materials you need to set this up

• Paper or any discarded paper from the recycling bin.
• Tape for each group.
• Divide each group into teams of 6 to 8 people.
Instructions
- planning, executing, and discussion

• Divide each group into teams of 6 to 8 people.
• Each group will get a few number sheets of paper and tape.

• Planning
  • Each group has 5 to 10 minutes to “design” their structure, but cannot touch the paper or tape during this time.

• Executing
  • Each team has 15 minutes for construction of their tower.

• I will have the countdown timer up on the projector screen.
  • https://www.online-stopwatch.com/countdown-timer/

• Discussion
  • At the conclusion of the activity, allow for 10-15 minutes to debrief as a group.
Benefits of this Activity

• It is quick activity and provides enough opportunity to see some talent behaviors.
• It has three distinct phases: planning, executing, and discussion (after you are finished). You will see different people “shine” at different points.
Suggested Debrief Questions – work alone

• What did you notice during the planning vs. execution stages?
• Who stood out? Why?
• What obstacles did you run into? How did you deal with them?
• Could you see any strengths at work?

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