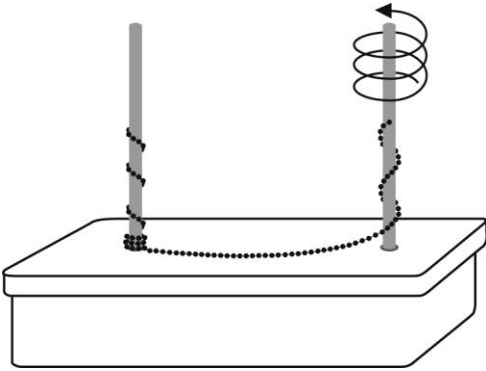


TASK 35 - TWISTER



Twister is considered an “open ended” task since it has no clear ending point for the student. The purpose of the task is to wind the beaded chain around a dowel by pulling it from either the other dowel or through an opening from beneath the lid. The visual effect of moving the chain is intended to motivate the student to make this transfer. The teacher can encourage the use of both hands when moving the chain from left to right and visa versa. Also, encourage using the fingertips and not the entire hand when spinning the dowels. In the end, let the success of the student be your guide.

NOTE: If the chain is being pulled from beneath the lid, it may help cue the student as to when s/he has reached the end, by coloring the last several beads a bright color.

CAUTION: The dowels are set freely into the installed plastic canisters, allowing each to turn easily. They can be removed and could serve as a danger to the student and those around him/her if swung or thrown. Please supervise at all times and be alert to end the activity if it is not being used as intended.

CONTENTS:

- (1) Shoebox base
- (1) Shoebox lid
- (2) plastic canisters
- (2) 1/2"x12" dowels
- (1) 3' section beaded chain
- (2) bell clips