# Butterfly Feeder

#### Need:

String or wire

Plastic Square (Either a small low sided container or an ice-cream lid works well)

Overripe fruit (Oranges, apples, watermelon and banana work well) Decorations (felts, ribbon, paint, artificial flowers, pompoms ect)

### How to:

In your container or lid make 4 holes - 1 in each corner.

Thread through your sting or wire so that all sides are equal.

Make sure that when it hangs its balanced and one side isn't hanging lower than the others.

Find a small tree or shrub branch by flowers to test hanging your feeder.

Once you've tested it, you can decorate it.

Then it's ready to use.

Just hang it up and add your overripe fruit. Sit back and watch and wait.

## Tips:

If your fruit starts to go dry add some orange juice to keep the fruit from drying out as fast.

## **Questions:**

How many species of butterfly did you see?

Do different types of butterfly's prefer different kinds of fruit?

How many butterfly's in total came to your feeder?

How many butterflies can you see feeding on your plate at once?

