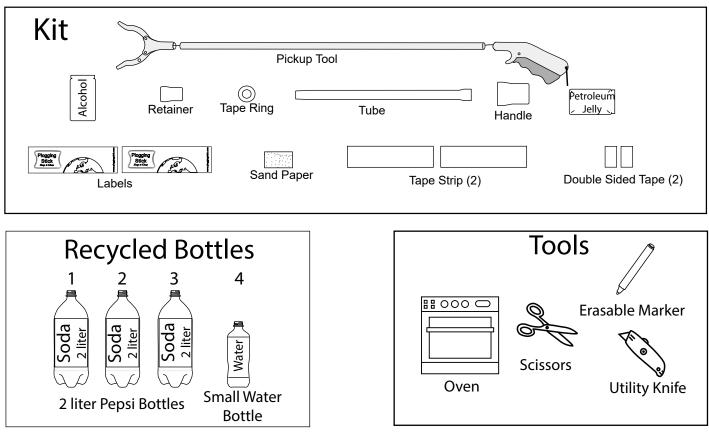
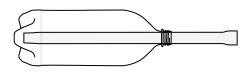
# Instructions



Before begining, make sure that the tube fits inside the bottles. See a list of acceptable bottles at the end of these instructions or on our website, ploggingstick.com



### **Prepare Bottles**

#### Step 1

Clean all four bottles by giving them a rinse with water.

#### Step 2

Slit labels on bottle 1 and 2 but do not completely remove labels.

#### Step 3 Heat oven to 170°F (77°C)

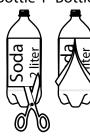
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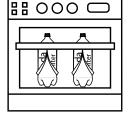
When the oven has reached temperature, place bottles 1 and 2 in the oven for 3 minutes. Don't worry! They will be fine on the wire rack.

#### Step 5

Remove the bottles from the oven and gently remove the labels without tearing them. Remove the labels slowly so that no plastic film is left on the bottle.

Bottle 1 Bottle 2



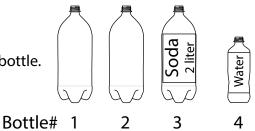


### Step 6

Apply petroleum jelly to the adhesive left behind on the bottles. Let the jelly sit for 1 minute and than wipe clean.

#### Step 7

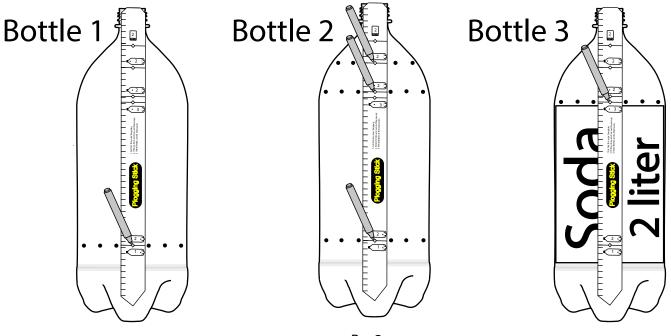
Use the alcohol pad to clean petroleum jelly off the bottle. You should now have bottles that look like this:



#### Mark Bottles The bottles will be marked where they are to be cut using the template. Step 1 Cut out template Step 2 Fold the template on the 5 lines and cut out each of the triangles as shown. Flogging Sick

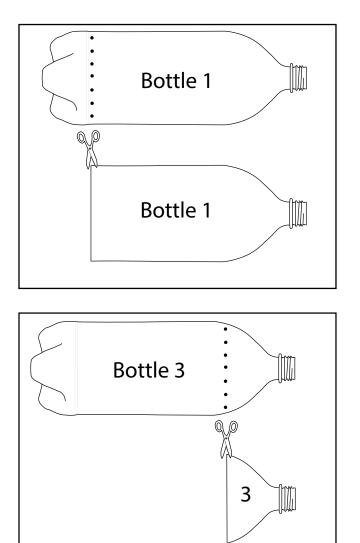
#### Step 3

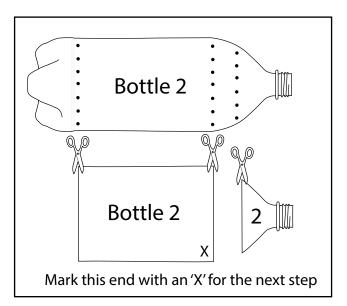
Mark where to cut bottles 1, 2 and 3 by making dots through the triangle holes using non-permanent marker .

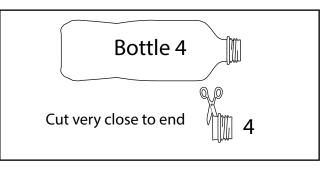


### **Cut Bottles**

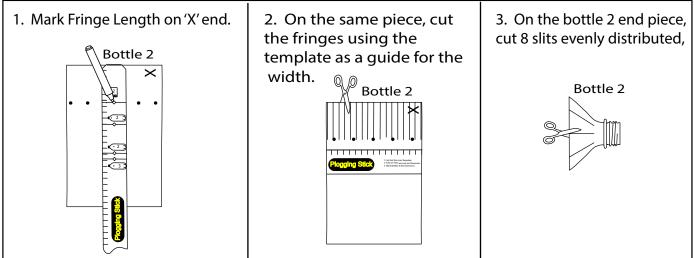
Use marks as a guide to cut straight lines. Remove marks after cutting with alcohol wipe if necessary.







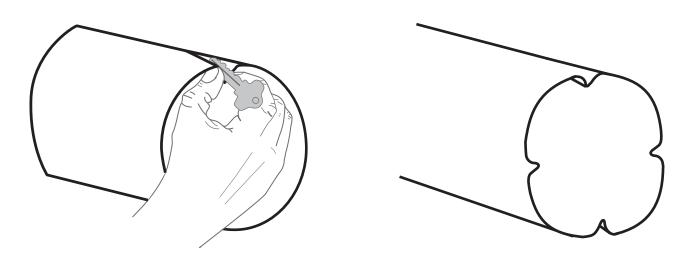
### Additional Cuts for Bottle 2



### Assemble

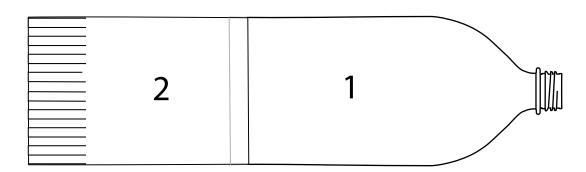
#### Step 1

Crimp the end of bottle 1 in four places as shown using a key. Do not cut, only fold.



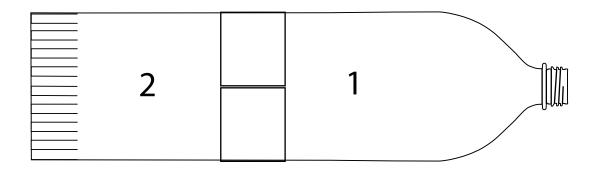
#### Step 2

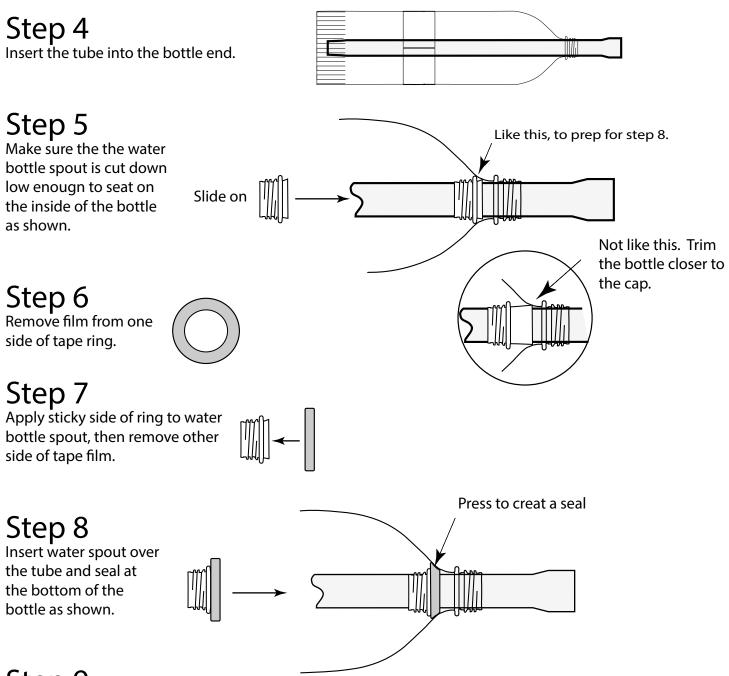
Slide bottle 1 into bottle 2 about a 1/2 inch (13 mm). If you have trouble fitting it in, increase the crimps.



#### Step 3

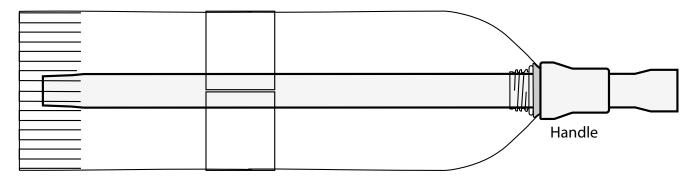
Wrap the two strips of tape around bottle1 and bottle 2 to attach them.

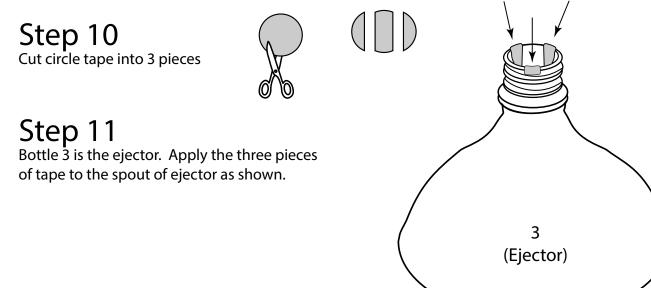




#### Step 9

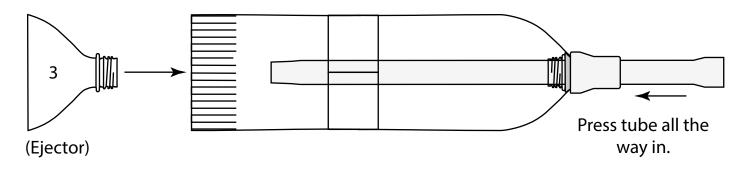
Remove the tube from the bottle and snap on the handle. Re-insert the tube as far as it will go.





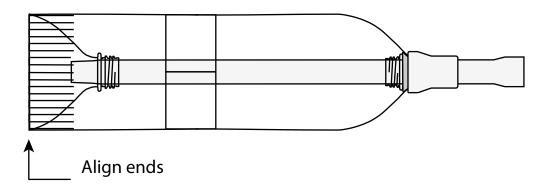
#### Step 12

Insert the tube all the way into the bottlw and then slide the ejector onto the tube.

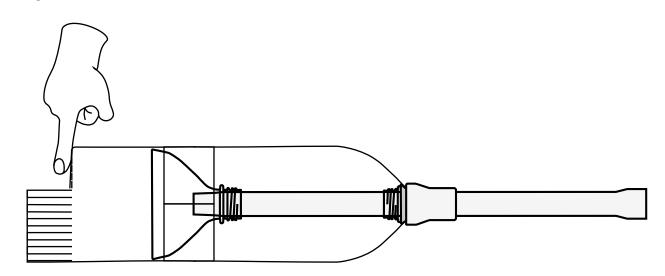


#### Step 13

Insert Ejector on to the tube. Align the end of the Ejector with the container end as shown.

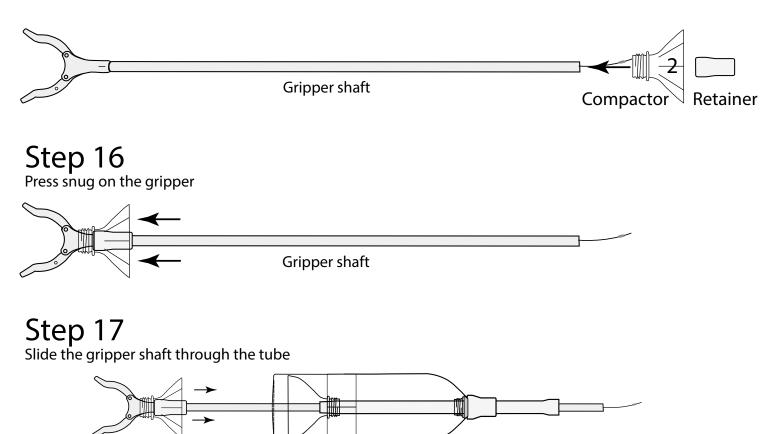


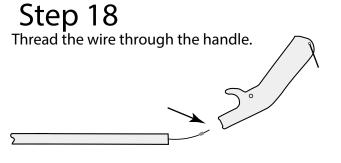
#### Step 14 Bend all the fringes flat.

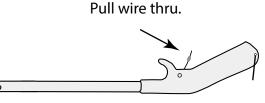


#### Step 15

Slide bottle 2 spout (compactor) over the gripper shaft and press on the gripper with the retainer.

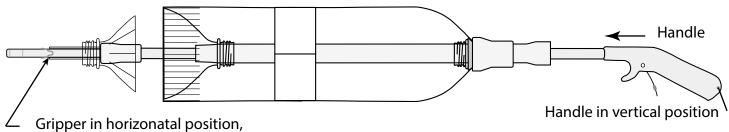






#### Step 19

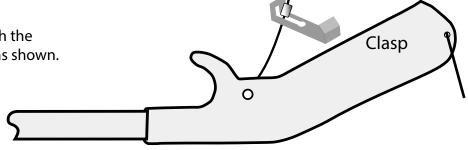
Orient the handle relative to the gripper (Right hand position shown). Press handle onto Gripper Shaft.



 Gripper in horizonatal position, Finger on this side.

#### Step 20

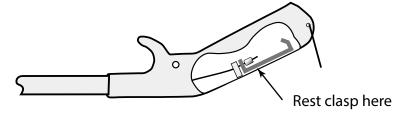
Thread the wire through the slot of the metal clasp as shown.



#### Step 21

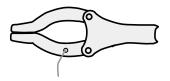
Pinch the gripper closed and lay the metal clasp inside the handle as shown.

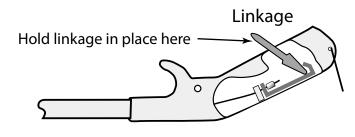




#### Step 22

Place the Linkage as shown and hold in place for next step.

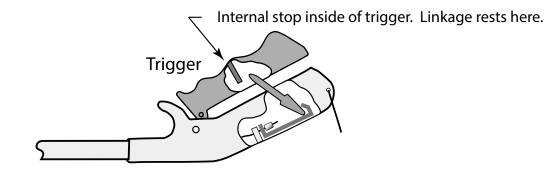






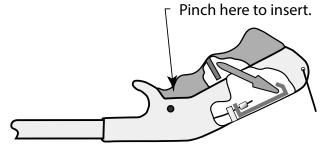
#### Step 23

Place trigger as shown with linkage resting against internal stop.



#### Step 24

Hold the trigger in place and pinch the sides of the trigger at the pins and insert trigger into the handle until the pins snap into the holes.



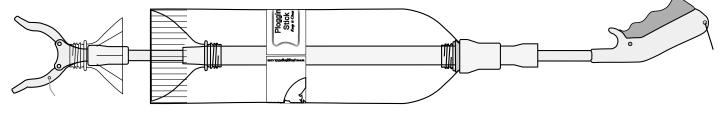
Check the operation of the gripper by pressing the trigger. If it is not working, see trouble shooting section at the end of these instructions.

#### Step 25

Apply the two labels with double sided tape applied to the ends of the labels.



Wrap the labels around the bottle and press on the tape. Congratulations you are finished!



### **Trouble Shooting**

#### Trigger not working correctly

If the assembly of the trigger did not work correctly. Remove the trigger and reset the linkage and clasp. To remove the trigger, insert two forks on each side of the trigger where the pins are. Dislodge the pins with the forks while pulling the trigger out.

#### Tube does not fit in bottle

If the tube does not fit or slide easily in the bottle, you may have an un-approved bottle. See the list for bottles that fit the tube. Pepsi is the most common and is the right size.