



FUN THINGS TO DO AT HOME

PAPER FOOTBALL



Objective: Get the paper football into the end zone. Try to get it to balance on the edge of the table.

Materials:

- A couple different kinds of paper, such as: copy paper, construction paper, notebook paper- any sort of paper you can get your hands on
- Masking tape
- Tape measure
- Scissors
- Markers/crayons
- Table top

Directions:

1. Create and decorate a football out of each kind of paper. Directions on how to fold the football can be found here via [Scholastic](#).
2. Using the masking tape mark a starting line at one end of the table and the end zone at the other end.
3. At the starting line flick the footballs you created one-by-one and mark where they land. Measure how far they traveled from the start line.
4. Think about what you could do to make the footballs go farther or fly straighter. Is there a different paper you could use? Could you fold it tighter or looser? Can you hold the football a different way during kickoff? Are there any other changes to help your football go farther and fly straighter?
5. Make the adjustments to your footballs and try again. What combination made your football go farther and be more accurate? How far did it go?
6. Once you have the best football play against a friend - directions can be found here via [Fiki Sports](#).
7. Film your best football kickoff and share with The Patriots Hall of Fame presented by Raytheon on [Twitter](#) using #TheHall or on [Instagram](#) using #patriotshall

Type of Paper	Length of Travel	Fly Straight? Yes or no?