Make a Pinwheel

Steps

1. Cut along the solid lines of the pinwheel pattern. Then cut along the dashed lines stopping at the center circle. **Safety:** Scissors and pushpins are sharp!

2. Put a pushpin through the four dots and the center circle. Then put it into the eraser of a pencil.

3. **Observe** Blow lightly on the pinwheel. Then blow hard on it. Observe what happens.

Think and Share

1. **Infer** What made the pinwheel spin?

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2. How did the pinwheel move differently each time you blew? Tell why.

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Investigate More!

**Experiment** Plan and try other ways to make the pinwheel spin. Observe how fast it spins each time. Share your results.