

STEM incorporates the academic disciplines of *Science, Technology, Engineering, and Math*. In Lower School STEM classes, students work collaboratively in teams to solve Design Challenges and develop Engineering Skills. Perfect as an academic enrichment course, STEM allows students the opportunity to stretch their critical thinking abilities and problem-solving skills as they construct and test physical prototypes in a stress-free and supportive environment. Communication skills are nurtured throughout the cooperative process. What a fun and practical way to reinforce classroom learning!