

Beaten



The Problem

Granny is scared of electric mixers, but she gets tired when she uses a whisk to beat eggs for pancakes or cake mixes. Is there a better way for Granny to beat eggs?

Can you help Jack and Jill come up with a solution?

Student Worksheet

Design Brief

Design and make a hand mixer:

- · that is easy to hold and use
- that really works
- with beaters that spin much faster than the handle you turn
- in which the beaters are at least 10 cm (≈ 4 in) away from the nearest part of your hand

1. Make a sketch of the idea you designed and made.



Sweeper



Flywheeler





Principle models building instructions booklet for gears and pulleys

2. Label the three most important parts, explaining how they work.

3. Suggest three improvements.