Build a Cranberry Scoop
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Cranberry scoops were once used at Double Trouble Village to hand harvest cranberries off the vine. The cranberries were poured from the scoop into boxes and taken to the sorting and packing house, where the good berries were separated from bad berries and bits of vine that would get caught in the scoop. The good cranberries were then packaged and shipped to market.

Instructions:

1. Cut along solid black lines with scissors to cut out scoop and handle. Cut around cranberries and vines.

2. Fold along dotted lines so that the dotted lines show on the outside.

3. Place a small amount of glue or tape on shaded area of scoop back tabs and press inside to form box.

4. Place a little glue or tape on each of the shaded areas on the handle and press onto the shaded square areas of scoop top.