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Frustration & Problem Solving

Some of them, at the beginning of the club, may get really frustrated if something doesn't work. That's true of the circuits. When it doesn't light up, it can be really frustrating. But teaching kids that this is what scientists do, this is what engineers do. Things don't always work. You make a prototype. Sometimes it's a complete failure and then you try again.

I think that's another skill that that translates well into the classroom where some of our kids get really frustrated when things don't go their way, but it's just kind of going back and trying again, or sometimes even abandoning something and moving on to something else can be really important and really good for the kids.