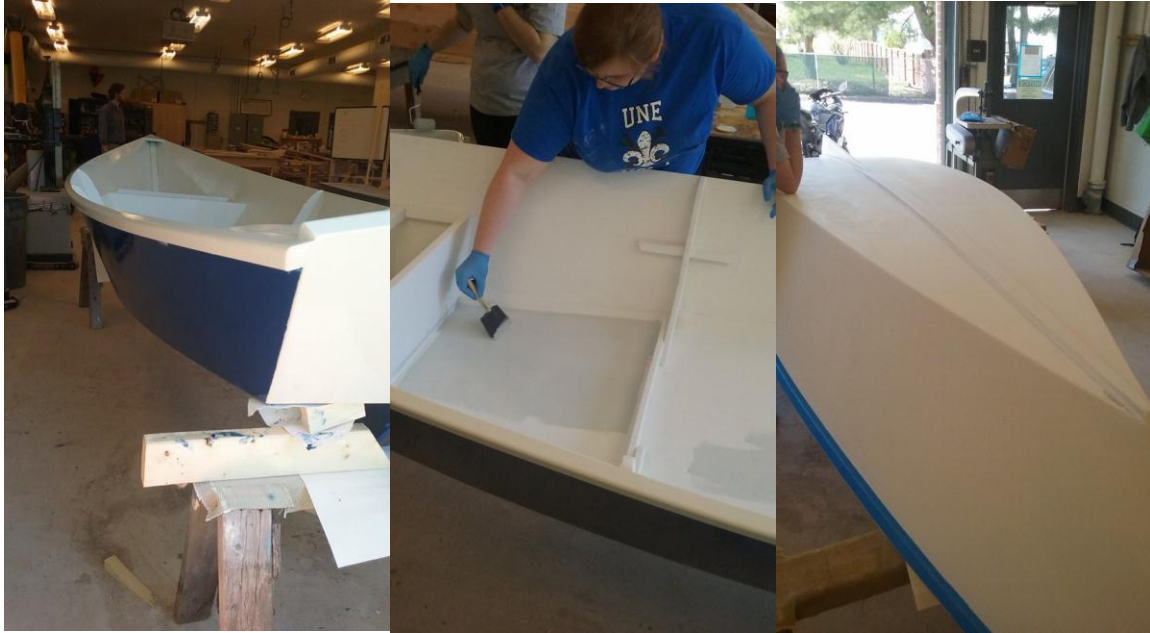


“Waiting to do the second coat is the worst, it’s like watching paint dry.”



Last week in class, the girls banded together to take on the task of painting. We started off by sanding the primer to make sure the surface was smooth. We were careful around the corners so we didn't take off the primer. We then vacuumed up any dust that was created before wiping all surfaces with a cloth and some denatured alcohol. Then we taped along the rub rails so we could later paint them gray. We then started on the bottom of the boat which we agreed last week would be a dark blue. Once that was complete we sort-of clumsily flipped the boat over with only minor casualties. We started painting the inside and quickly realized that this was a messy task. Regardless of the strong smell from the paint, we succeeded in our task for the day. Next week we will touch up any spots we may have missed and will add another coat of paint.