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Temporary Fuel Line for Testing Purposes

If you've got your gas tank off but still want to test run your engine, run a temporary line to the carb from a test reservoir mounted higher than the carb to let gravity feed the carb.



This is an oil / fuel mixing syringe for 2 cycle engines that can be purchased for under \$5 at most automotive departments and parts stores. ¹⁾

You'll need a 1/4" hose clamp and app. 3 feet 1/4" fuel line. Drill a small hole in both the top and bottom flange of the mixer to prevent vacuum / suction problems. ²⁾

Press one end of the fuel line onto the fuel mixer, tighten the hose clamp around it and the other end to your carb inlet. ³⁾

Fill the mixer with gas, tap the line to get the air bubbles out, insert the plunger, and hang the round end over the front brake lever. Works like a charm, no mess, and you can run the engine for several minutes while freeing up one of your hands. ⁴⁾



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