

December

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December 1 st :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Candy Canes	Activity 1	Candy Cane Rice Sensory Play	Sensory
		Place a bag of rice in a bowl/container. Put 5-6 little candy	Fine Motor Skills
		canes deep inside the rice. Now it's time to search! Find all the candy canes and count them at the end to make sure you've retrieved them all!	Counting
	Activity 2	Candy Cane Science Experiment	Following Directions
		Fill one bowl/cup with water and the one bowl/cup with	Science
		vinegar. Drop in your candy canes (one in the water cup and one in the vinegar cup) and wait ~5 minutes. Ask yourself "what's happening to the candy canes?" Wait another ~25	Fine Motor Skills
		minutes and ask yourself again "what's happening to the candy canes?" Congrats, little scientist!	Waiting
	Activity 3	I Spy Candy Canes!	Counting
		Candy canes come in all colors, flavors, and sizes! Use the	Colors
		provided worksheet to find and count all the candy canes according to their color!	Fine Motor Skills
December 2 nd :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Winter Clothes	Activity 1	Dress Up	Independence
		Challenge time! Go to your room and pick out an outfit that will keep you warm on a cold, December day. If you need help, you can always ask someone in your house!	
	Activity 2	What Do You Wear in the Snow?	Fine Motor Skills
		Using the provided worksheet, circle all the clothes you	Identification
		wear during the winter and when it snows. As a bonus, color all the winter clothes that you circled!	Arts and Crafts
	Activity 3	Winter Clothing Song	Attending to video/song
		Listen to the Winter Clothing Song and see everything we need to go outside in the snow and stay warm!	
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=c7s-Twed45g	



December 3 rd :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Penguin Parade	Activity 1	Listen to and follow along with the Be Brave Little Penguin read aloud:	Attending to the video/book
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f4TnDma78Oo	
	Activity 2	Practice the Penguin Pose:	Following Directions
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=V00_uC9eGRk	Yoga
			Gross Motor Skills
	Activity 3	Label the Penguin	Identification
		Using the provided worksheet, label the different parts of a	Writing
		penguin. If you need help, ask someone in your house for help or google "parts of a penguin"!	Research
December 4 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Polar Bear Plunge	Activity 1	Listen to the Polar Bear Polar Bear What Do You See? read aloud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ehoGdGokXfc	Attending to the video/book
	Activity 2	Handy Dandy Polar Bear	Arts and Crafts
		Using the craft template, make your hand sized polar bear!	Following Directions
		** **	Shapes
	Activity 3	Polar Bear Polar Bear, What Do I See?	Writing
		Google a picture of a Polar Bear. What do you see? Make a list of all the parts of a polar bear. I will give you the first	Research



		one, "two eyes"!	
December 7 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Nutcracker	Activity 1	Trace and Color	Tracing
		Using the provided worksheet, trace the word "Nutcracker"	Fine Motor Skills
		and then get creative to color in the picture!	Arts and Crafts
	Activity 2	N is for Nutcracker	Fine Motor Skills
		Using the provided worksheet, practice your lowercase and uppercase Ns! N is the first letter in Nutcracker.	Writing
	Activity 3	Listen to the Bea in the Nutcracker read aloud:	Attending to the
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Zzsy7KpiDdM	video/book

December 8 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Animals in	Activity 1	Listen to the Animals in Winter read aloud:	Attending to the
Winter		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eLDbjt_FiTM	video/book
	Activity 2	Winter Animal Search	Animal Identification
		With someone in your house, head in the backyard or	Gross Motor Skills
		front yard and search for a winter animal! Use what you	
		learned from the story to know what animals to look for!	
	Activity 3	Create Your "Animal" Tracks	Arts and Crafts
		Plenty of animals that leave footprints behind in the	Imaginative Play
		winter, including you! Using a sheet of paper and paint of	
		your choice, stick 2 fingers in the paint and leave little	
		fingerprints all over the paper. You can get creative and	
		come up with a story of where you were going when you	
		left your tracks behind!	
December 9 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Gingerbread	Activity 1	Watch the runaway Gingerbread Man:	Attending to the



House		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hsEorBffl3o	video
	Activity 2	Gingerbread Tracing	Tracing
		Using the provided worksheet, use the gingerbread strips	Letters
		to trace your letters! Attached are letters A through D, feel free to do some or all of the tracing!	Fine Motor Skills
	Activity 3	Build Your Own Gingerbread House	Fine Motor Skills
		Using the craft template, build your own gingerbread	Arts and Crafts
		house! Feel free to follow the craft template or using crayons/markers/colored pencils to draw your gingerbread	Following Directions
		house. Get creative! Hang up your beautiful house in your	Creativity
		room to decorate for the holiday season!	Greativity
December 10 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Candle Light	Activity 1	"Camping Out"	Imaginative Play
		Let's go camping! Ask the people in your house for a	
		flashlight or two. When it gets dark out, head upstairs to	
		your room and turn your lights out. Turn on your	
		flashlight(s) and pretend to look at the stars. Enjoy your	
		night of camping!	
	Activity 2	Listen to the Winter Candle read aloud:	Attending to the
			video/book
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=muMzzQOFTIA	



			
		Using the craft template, create your own holiday candle	Arts and Crafts
		to add some "light" to your house.	Following Directions
December 11 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Winter Walk	Activity 1	The 5 Senses of Winter	Gross Motor Skills
		Using the provided worksheet, go on a walk outside or go into your yard and search for everything on the list. The list includes items you can see, hear, smell, and feel, so make sure your senses are ready!	Observation
	Activity 2	Watch Happy Feet on any platform it is available.	Attending to movie
	Activity 3	Winter Walk	Gross Motor Skills
		With a trusted adult in your house, get dressed in clothes	
		that will keep you warm and head out! Walk around your	
		neighborhood and get some nice, cool, winter fresh air!	
December 14 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Book:	Activity 1	Listen to the Here Comes Jack Frost read aloud:	Attending to the
Here Comes Jack Frost		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=_LxCJQI-J14	video/book
	Activity 2	Create Your Own Frost Scene	Arts and Crafts
		Now that you have read Here Comes Jack Frost, it's time to create your own frost scene! On a blank piece of white	Fine Motor Skills
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		paper, draw your design with a white crayon. Once your	
		design is complete, paint your paper blue (be sure to paint	
		over your "frost")! Here is an example!	
	Activity 3	"Snow" Writing	Fine Motor Skills
		Pour salt aka "snow" onto a tray or plate. Practice writing your name, your ABCs, your numbers, and more with your pointer finger!	Writing
December 15 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Book: Holly's Red Boots	Activity 1	Listen to the Holly's Red Boots read aloud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QLPdDzYMHx4	Attending to the video/book
	Activity 2	Search for All the Red Things	Color Identification
		Holly could not find her red boots, so she looked all over the house for all of the red things! Now it's your turn. Search around your house for all your red items and who knows, maybe you will find red boots too!	Gross Motor Skills
	Activity 3	Snow Boots	Gross Motor Skills
		Is there snow outside? Or just some crunchy leaves? Throw on your boots and head outside! There is so much fun to have outside, so be like Holly, find your boots, and get outside!	
December 16 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Book: A Loud Winter's	Activity 1	Listen to the A Loud Winter's Nap read aloud:	Attending to the video/book
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YRXoZjmk5LM	



Nap	Activity 2	Sleepy Tortoise	Arts and Crafts
		Now that we have listen to A Loud Winter's Nap and we know how much tortoise needs his sleep, let's try not to wake him! Using the worksheet provided, color your tortoise without waking him up!	
	Activity 3	Walk Like a Tortoise	Gross Motor Skills
		Now that you have colored our tortoise friend without waking him up, let's pretend to be the tortoise. They move slowly, so get down on all fours and sloooooowly walk/crawl around the room like a tortoise until you find a new place to nap.	Imaginative Play
December 17 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Book: The Mitten	Activity 1	Listen to The Mitten read aloud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QA6ukHm9etg	Attending to the video/book
	Activity 2	Trace the Lines	Writing
		Using the provided worksheet, lead the animals to the mitten by showing them the way! Using a pencil/crayon/marker/colored pencil trace the line until you hit the mitten.	Fine Motor Skills
	Activity 3	Design Your Own Mitten	Creativity
		Using the provided worksheet, draw and/or paste pictures into your own mitten! Get creative with what you put inside. Will it be your family? Your pet? You favorite animal or toy? It's up to you!	Writing Arts and Crafts
December 18 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Book: Sneezy the Snowman	Activity 1	Listen to the Sneezy the Snowman read aloud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5eBXQN7Iv2A	Attending to the video/book
	Activity 2	Sneezy the Snowman's Word Search	Fine Motor Skills



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		Our new friend Sneezy the Snowman sneezed and blew his	
		words all over the place. Using the provided worksheet	
		and the word bank, find all the words Sneezy lost.	
	Activity 3	Melted Snowman Craft	Arts and Crafts
		Following the craft template, make your own melted	Following Directions
		snowman. Feel free to add your own personalization to it!	
December 21 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Let it Snow, Let	Activity 1	Listen and dance to Let it Snow! Let it Snow! Let it Snow!:	Attending to the
it Snow, Let it Snow!		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=KZy86Zli31A	video/song
	Activity 2	Snowstorm In a Jar	Science Experiment
		If there is no snow outside, let's create some ourselves!	Following Directions
		Following the craft template, make your snowstorm in a	NAZ - Alba - A
		jar and let it snow, let it snow, let it snow!!	Weather



	Activity 3	Watch the Peppa Pig Snow episode: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RbKPdwBOPF8	Attending to video/show
December 22 nd :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Building a Snowman	Activity 1	Roll-A-Snowman Using the provided worksheet, create your snowman! If	Cooperation Following directions
		you don't have a physical dice use the following website. https://www.random.org/dice/	Fine Motor Skills
	Activity 2	Listen and dance to Do You Want to Build a Snowman?: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=TeQ_TTyLGMs	Attending to video/show
	Activity 3	Marshmallow Snowman Time for a treat! To make your marshmallow snowman you'll need a graham cracker base, icing (for "glue"), 2 marshmallows, 2 pretzel sticks, 4-5 chocolate chips, and a candy corn! After you build it, ask if you can eat it!	Following Directions Fine Motor Skills
December 23 rd :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Sledding	Activity 1	Listen to the Ten on the Sled read aloud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=j42SIL_uugM	Attending to the video/book



	Activity 2	I'm on the Sled!	Imaginative Play
		Now that you have read Ten on the Sled, now it's time for you to get on the sled! Borrow a pillow or blanket from someone in your house, put it on the floor, sit on it, and hold on! Pretend you're sledding down a huge hill! If you want ten on the sled too, use your stuffed animals and toys!	
	Activity 3	Color the Sled	Arts and Crafts
		Using the provided worksheet, color the sled and the two friends riding it!	Fine Motor Skills
December 24 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Reindeer	Activity 1	Reindeer Feed	Following Directions
		Oh no! A reindeer is expected to come by your house today and they like certain foods! Make them some reindeer feed to feel welcome! Mix together honey nut and chocolate Chex mix, peanut butter filled pretzels, holiday colored M&Ms, and roasted peanuts! Leave it out for some reindeer to enjoy, but also try it yourself to make sure it tastes good! (Switch out certain treats for others if there's an allergy).	Cooking
	Activity 2	Listen to the A Day in the Life of Reindeers read aloud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-PNK2plaZp4	Attending to the video/book
	Activity 3	Practice the Deer pose: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=4_EP-K0hCUM	Gross Motor Skills Following Directions
December 25 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Winter Wonderland	Activity 1	Winter Bingo Using the provided worksheet, grab some bingo chips and the people in your house and play!	Fine Motor Skills



	Activity 2	Listen and dance to Winter Wonderland:	Attending to the
	7.00, =		video/song
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3SGjRzjJsYc	
	Activity 3	Winter Wonderland I Spy	Counting
		Using the provided worksheet, find and count how many	Fine Motor Skills
		snowman, hot chocolate, has, marshmallows, snowflakes,	
		mittens, penguins, snow pile, sled, and shovels are on the page.	
December 28 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Snowflakes	Activity 1	Listen to The Little Snowflake read aloud:	Attending to the
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RG8qfJSeDu8	video/book
	Activity 2	The Beautiful Snowflake	Arts and Crafts
		Using the provided worksheet, color your snowflake any	Creativity
		color you'd like, get creative! When you are done hang it	
		in your room for some winter decoration!	
	Activity 3	Winter Glitter Snowflake	Arts and Crafts
		Following the craft template, make your beautiful glitter	Fine Motor Skills
		snowflake. Not many people get to keep a snowflake, you	
		are so lucky!	
December 29 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Igloos	Activity 1	Listen to the Curious George Builds an Igloo read aloud:	Attending to the
		https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=D1FFhzAKMaQ	video/book
	Activity 2	I is for Igloo	Arts and Crafts
		Following the craft template, create your I made out of an	Letter Identification
		"Igloo".	Fine Motor Skills
			Cutting



	Activity 3	Igloo Fort Time to build your igloo. While you're building remember the ice is cold, so you should wear your gloves or blow on your hands to keep them warm! When your igloo fort is built, head inside, relax, and admire your hard work!	Imaginative Play
December 30 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Frozen	Activity 1	Watch Frozen or Frozen 2 on any platform they are available.	Attending to the movie
	Activity 2	Frozen Patterns	Pattern
		Using the provided worksheet, cut out the Frozen characters, look at each pattern, and paste the characters where they come next!	Fine Motor Skills
	Activity 3	Fill In the Elsa Using the provided worksheet, use a pencil to color in all the dots on Elsa.	Fine Motor Skills
December 31 th :	Activities	Activity Item	Skill
Ringing in the New Year	Activity 1	Listen to the Night Before New Year's read aloud: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=b7KYTfTDlyk	Attending to the video/book
	Activity 2	2020 Time Capsule	Thoughtfulness
		Using the worksheet provided and an adult in your house, fill out your 2020 time capsule! Write down your favorite things, what you want to do next year, your school, and	Gratitude Writing

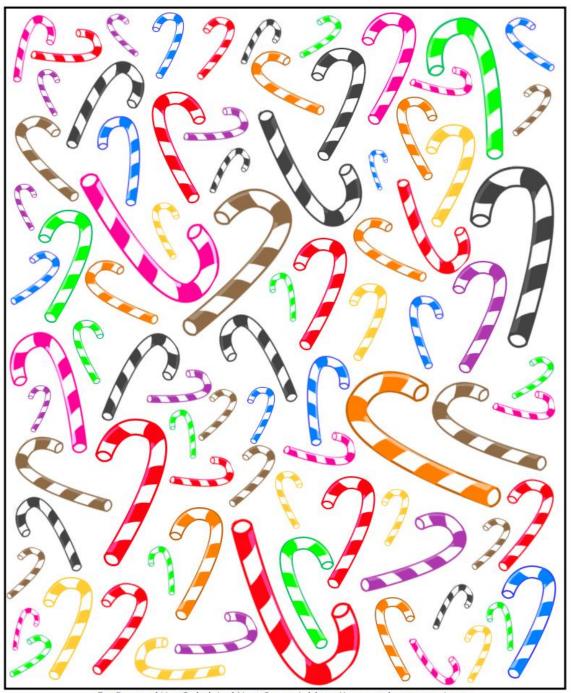


	much more so you don't forget what this year brought you!	Fine Motor Skills
Activity 3	New Year's Eve Practice	Waiting
	Just like our new friends in the book we read, let's practice our WOO's and cheers to prepare for the new year! Count down from 10 (10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1!!!!) and show all your excitement for 2021! Then see if you can make it until midnight to celebrate!!!	Counting

These are suggested activities for your children. You know your child best and if the activities do not match your child's skill level or interest it is our recommendation that you do not do the activities. Your child should be supervised by a responsible adult for all activities to ensure their safety.



I SPY: CANDY CANES



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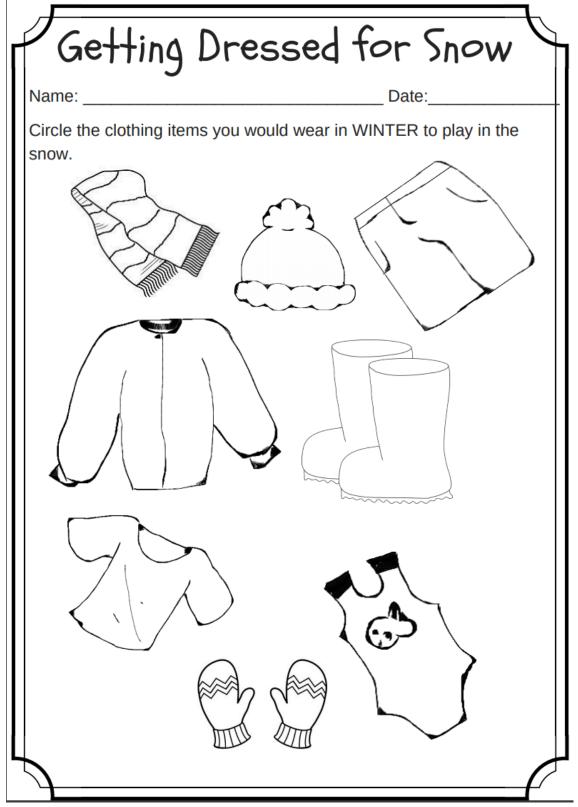


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Write down the number of each item that you found.

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Black	
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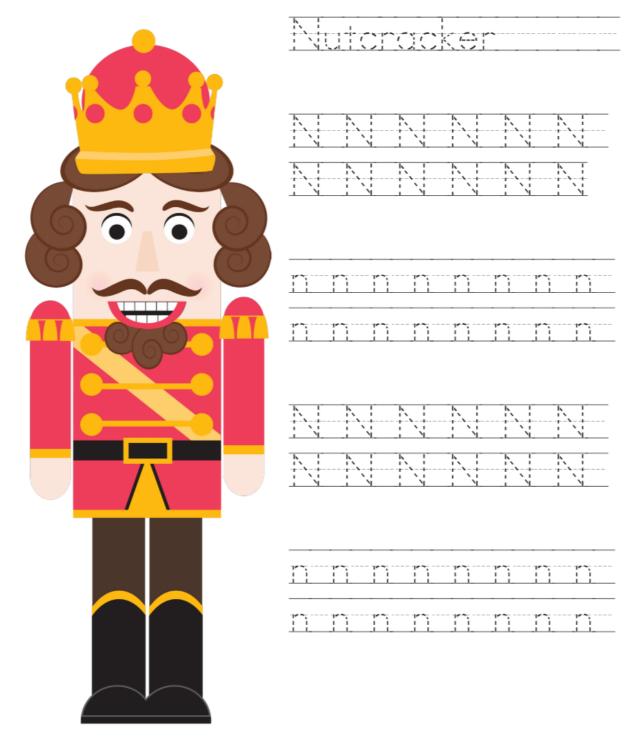
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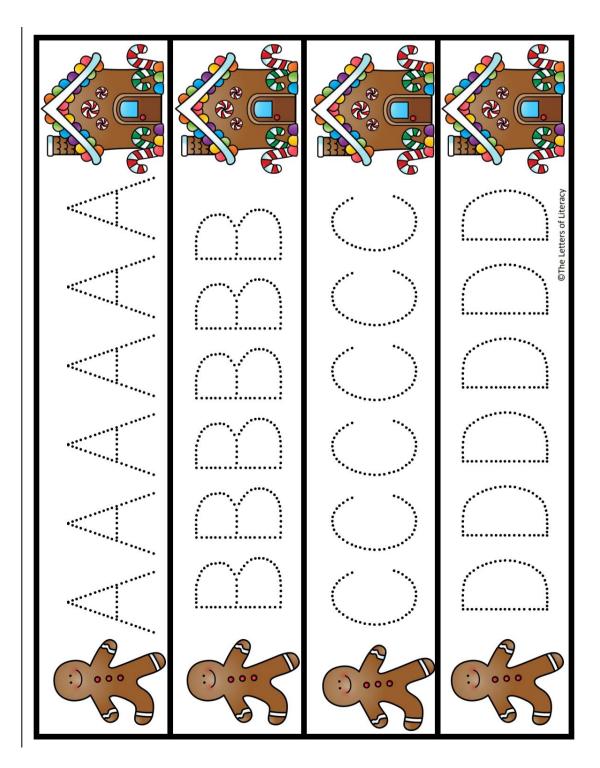
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N is for Nutcracker









Winter Scavenger Hunt

To Find



Twig



Pine Needle



Pine Cone



Moss

To Look For



Animal Tracks



A Bird Flying



Clouds



Berries



A Frozen Puddle



A Tree That Has Lost Its Leaves



An Evergreen Tree



An Icicle



Winter Scavenger Hunt

To Listen For



Birds Chirping



The Wind



A Frozen Tree Crackling



Water Dripping From A Branch

To Smell



Bark



Cedar



Snow



Pine

To Feel



Chilly Cheeks



Tree Bark



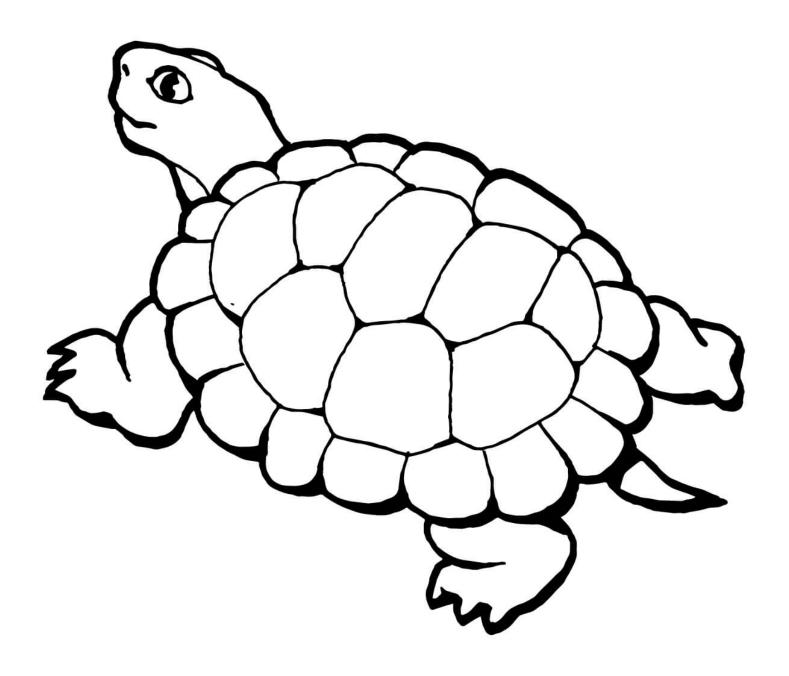
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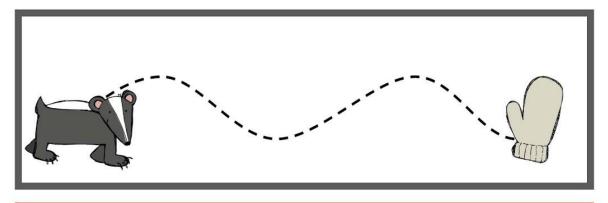
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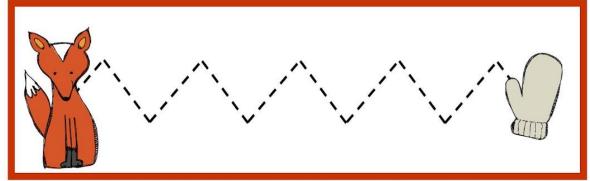


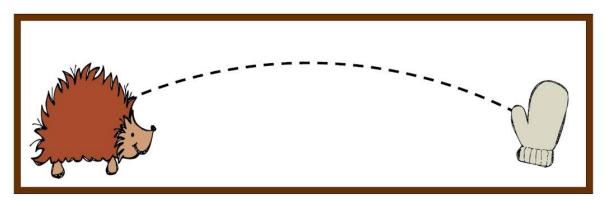




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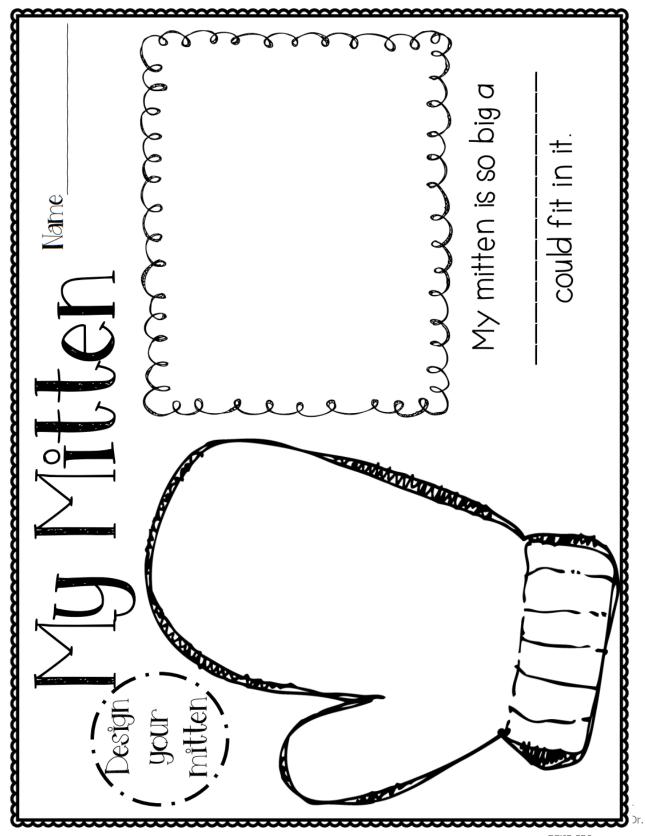












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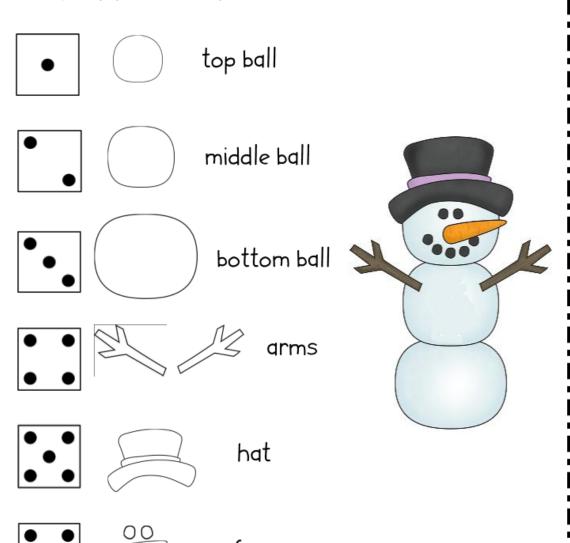






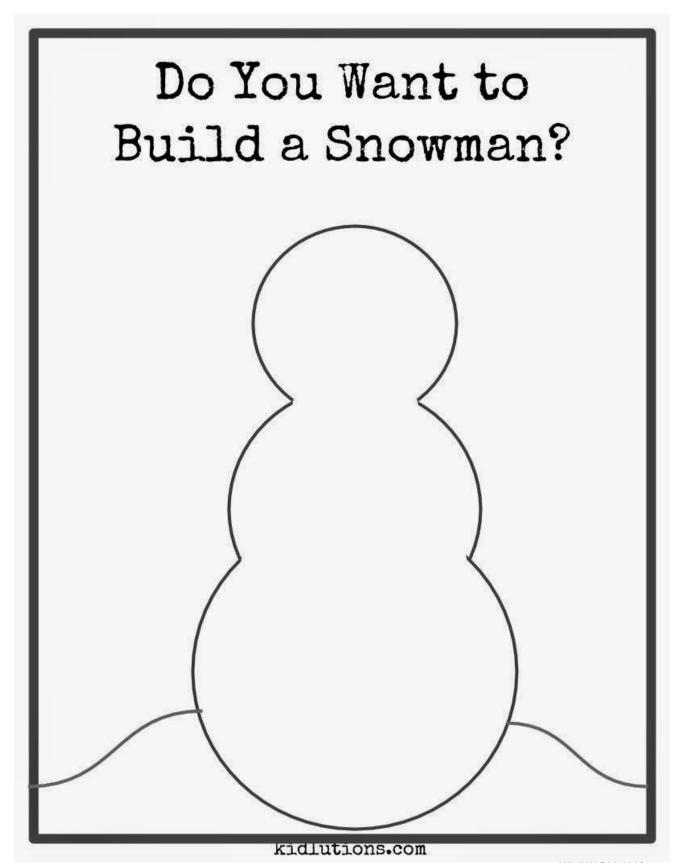
Roll - A - Snowman

Roll the die. Look at the number and draw that part of the snowman on your paper. The first person to draw the entire snowman wins!



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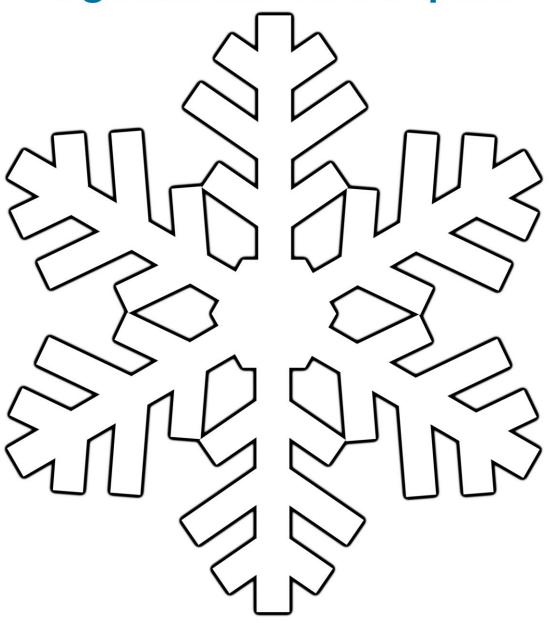




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Large Snowflake Template



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Patterns: Cutout the squares and complete the patterns







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