Miss Tara’s Learning at Home Activity

Sock Snow Bunny

How to Make

Materials:

- Sock
- Rice
- Two rubber bands
- Fabric strip or ribbon
- Scissors
- Black and pink markers
- Cotton balls

Directions:

1. Fill a sock to the heel with rice.
2. Put one rubber band where the rice ends and another rubber band 1/3 of the way down over the rice to separate the head from the body.
3. Cut right down the middle of the sock that does not contain rice to form two ears. Round off the ends with the scissors.
4. Tie fabric or ribbon around the snow bunny’s neck to make a scarf.
5. Draw the snow bunny’s nose with the pink marker and the eyes and whiskers with the black marker.
6. Put cotton around the bottom of the snow bunny to mimic snow.
Miss Debbie’s Learning at Home Activity

Math Snow Globe

Related Math Lesson Airs January 26, 2021 on WQLN PBS

How to Make

Materials:

• Paper plate (or paper circle),
• Scissors, marker/crayon,
• *Cotton balls
• Optional: glue and crayons

* or small pieces of paper wadded up into little snowball pieces

Directions: Fold the paper in half and cut off large corners at the fold line. Open the paper and cut the page in half on the fold.

Your Snow Globe: You will now have 2 “bases” to the snow globe. You can write numbers on the front and the back of each piece. You can make as many of these bases as you need, depending on how many numbers you are practicing. Now, you and your child get to have fun decorating the plate by drawing a picture of a fun, snowy scene.

When You’re Done: Place one of the numbered bases below the paper plate and have the child put the matching number of cotton balls on the plate (don’t glue them down yet). Continue changing the bottom number as much the child would like to play and practice. When finished, choose one base to glue to the bottom of the plate, and the child can glue that number of cotton balls to the plate and can hang it up for display!

A Fun Way to Practice Numbers

Using a cookie sheet or a plate, add salt to the tray to act as snow. You can add some blue glitter or sprinkles if you’d like. Then, show the child the number and have him/her practice writing it in the salt. If your child doesn’t like the feel of the salt on his/her finger, you can always have them write it using the eraser side of a pencil. Have fun!

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Miss Heather’s Learning at Home Activity
Two Ingredient Homemade Snow

How to Make

We are going to make our own snow today. You may need help from a grown up to help you with this to get the measurements to make this snow. It’s an easy two ingredient snow and it is so fun and smells so good. My students always love when we make this and it’s one of my favorite winter sensory activities. It is so simple and so quick to make. The snow feels so smooth, smells good, and it is cool to the touch.

Materials:

• ½ cup of white hair conditioner
• 2 ½ cup of baking soda
• A large bowl for mixing

Optional: Add some glitter to make it sparkle like snow.

Directions:

1. Mix all ingredients together until well-blended and a moldable texture is achieved.
2. Add little animals and/or a toy snowplow.
3. Add a spoon to use as a shovel.

You will have hours of fun using your imagination!
Miss Angela’s Learning at Home Activity
My Neighborhood in the Snow

How to Make

Materials:
• Paper  
  (preferably not white; and different colors)
• Markers
• Scissors
• Glue
• Something white for snowflakes  
  (chalk, crayon, paint, glitter glue, et cetera)

Directions:

• Cut out triangles and/or squares for the buildings.
• Cut out triangles for the roofs.
• Glue the shapes onto a piece of paper.
• Cut out smaller squares and rectangles to be windows and doors OR you can draw these on.
• Add your snowflakes.
• Other options are to add cars, people, and trees.

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Miss Julie’s Learning at Home Activity
Making Snow at Your House

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How to Make

1. Let’s talk about what snow is like. Go through all the descriptive words. (White, cold, sometimes crunchy, sometimes soft, at times will fall apart but other times it will pack together to make things like a snowball).
2. Talk about and show the ingredients needed.
3. Make the snow in the consistency that you think would work to make a snowball.
4. Build things with your snow!

Ingredients:

1. 1 cup of baking soda
2. 1 cup of shaving cream
3. A little water

Directions:

1. Mix 1 cup of baking soda with one cup of shaving cream in a large bowl. Mix with a fork.
2. Add a few drops of water until the mixture takes on a snow-like appearance.
3. You may need to add a little more baking soda and water until you get the consistency you need.
4. This does not stain or ruin surfaces. To contain the mess, you can use cookie sheets to have fun making things with the homemade snow.

Here’s Another Idea

Take a white sock and stuff another sock inside of it to form a ball and use it to have a safe snowball fight inside!

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