

Monday AM

Christmas Joke Teller

- Paper
- Textas
- Pencils

1. Fold the paper into a chatterbox
2. Get the children to draw Christmas themed pictures on the front ie. Santa, Christmas tree, presents, reindeers.
3. On the inside write numbers.
4. On the inside, write Christmas themed jokes ie. what do you call an elf who sings? A wrapper

Note: use the link for extra jokes or templates to print out if needed.



Christmas Bingo

- Google Christmas bingo printable and print off some bingo sheets
- Pencils/textas

1. Call out the picture and get the children to cross off the picture if they have it on their page.
2. The first to cross off a whole row calls out bingo.



Monday PM

Pom Pom Christmas Tree

- Pom Pom
- Craft Stick
- Cardboard Piece
- Construction paper
- Red Ribbon
- Acrylic Paint (Gold)
- Gem Stickers | Buttons | Sequin
- Glue

1. Cut out a triangle shape from a green construction paper and glue it on a craft stick.
2. Cover the triangle paper with pom-poms. Alternatively, you can hot glue the pom-poms directly in the shape of a triangular tree instead of gluing them on a paper.
3. Decorate the tree with jewel stickers or buttons or sequins if you like
4. Cut out a star shape from cardboard or coffee sleeves and color it with golden paint
5. After the paint dries, glue it on the top of the tree
6. Lastly, glue a red ribbon at the back to hang the ornament



Monday-Friday

(note: we need photos of all kids the week before printed out)

- 3 popsicle sticks per child
- brown card stock
- Yellow glittery card stock
- A piece of twine, approximately 6" long
- Hot glue gun
- Scissors and a craft/utility knife
- craft glue
- Tiny pom poms
- Sparkly pipe cleaners
- Jingle Bells
- Rhinestones
- Buttons
- Glitter
- Photos (of kids)



1. Cut out a star from the glittery card stock
2. Cut the last inch off the 3rd popsicle stick
3. Add 2 drops of hot glue to the ends of the short popsicle stick
4. Then position the 2 long sticks to form a triangle, take a piece of twine and place the 2 ends of the twine at the tip of the triangle and hot glue them together
5. Using craft glue decorate the front and add on the star
6. Cut a small rectangle of brown paper and glue to the bottom of the tree.
7. Trace the outside lines of the triangle onto the kids photo and cut it out
8. Stick the photo to the the back of the tree.

Tuesday AM

Christmas Tree Thumbprint Art

- White paper
- Coloured paper
- Lead pencils
- Scissors
- Tape
- Paint- Christmas colours

1. Make a Christmas tree template from the coloured paper. Fold the paper in half and draw half of the Christmas tree.
2. Cut along the lines to make a complete Christmas tree shape.
3. Tape the Christmas tree down on the paper.
4. Now start painting, dip one finger into the paint and start making fingerprints.
5. Do them along the edge first. Then make scattered fingerprints around the paper.
6. After you have finished the finger prints, peel up the Christmas tree.

Note: if the kids don't want to use their fingers, you can use the back of the paintbrush.



Lego Challenges

Build the tallest structure you can that has moving parts.

Make some Legos that you can wear.

Create a Lego piece that can float.

Use 2 x 2 bricks only to make your own creation.

Make your favorite movie character.

Build your own tools and even a box for them.

Copy a famous landmark.

Planets don't have to be round! Make a planet.

Create a birdhouse, birds are extra.

Design and build your own minifig playground.

Make letters for your name, initials or favorite word.

Build your favorite ocean creature.

Design a type of "aircraft," something that would fly.

Fill two cups of random sized bricks and see what you can build with them.

Create a monster-scary or funny, or goofy.

Arrgh! Any pirate related item goes.

Make a marble maze.

Go mono-chromatic! Use just one color of bricks.

Be yourself! Make a self-portrait.

Pick out 30 bricks only and build away!

Make your favorite beverage (glass of milk? lemonade?)

Dinosaurs or dragons, take your pick.

Recreate your favorite movie scene.

Make your favorite animal.

Be an inventor and make your own invention.

Create your own "board game" with playing pieces.

Have your minifigs cross a bridge that you make.

Vroom! Build a vehicle you can race with a friend.

Choo choo! Make a train with tracks.

Show state pride. Make a symbol from your state.

Make a character from your favorite book.

Design and build a flag for your own country.

Tuesday PM

Pipe cleaner candy canes

- 1 package (25 pc.) green chenille pipe cleaners, 12" x 6mm
- 1 package pony beads — red, 6×9 mm
- 1 package pony beads — white, 6×9 mm

1. Use wire cutters or old scissors to cut the pipe cleaners in half.
2. Slide one bead to the end of a pipe cleaner, turning the end around the bead to keep it in place. Alternate red and white beads until the pipe cleaner is full.
3. Turn the end around the last bead. Bend into a candy cane shape and hang on your tree.



Wednesday AM

Pom Pom Making

- **Wool**
- **Scissors**
- **Forks**

1. **Wrap the wool around the prongs of the fork about 50 times. Make sure you leave a slight gap at the bottom of the prongs as this will be needed in step 2.**
2. **Once the wool has been wrapped around the fork, trim it so it is no longer attached to the ball of wool. Then cut a piece of the same colour wool about 20cm long. Thread the end of this wool in between the two middle fork prongs underneath where you wrapped the wool in step 1.**
3. **Bring the end of the piece of wool that is behind the fork through the middle two prongs at the top and then tie in a knot with the other end of the wool. Make sure this knot is tied tightly as it will be what holds your pom pom together. Tie in a double knot to hold it in place.**
4. **Gently slide the wool off of the fork, then cut the loops on either side.**
5. **Trim the ends of the wool to make the pom pom more of a rounded circular shape.**
6. **If you want to hang your pom pom or attach it to something, make sure you leave the end of the wool that you tied the pom pom together with uncut. If you want the pom pom to be loose then trim this along with the other ends of the wool.**



Wednesday PM

Christmas tree

- [Paper plate](#) (1 per tree)
 - [Clear tape](#)
 - [Green paint](#)
 - Glue (either [school glue](#), pva glue, or [Tacky Glue](#))
 - [Multicolored pom poms](#)*
1. Cut out $\frac{1}{4}$ of the paper plate
 2. Roll the paper plate into a cone and secure using tape or staples
 3. Paint the cone green
 4. Decorate by glueing pom poms and drawing tinsel and lights with texters.



Thursday AM

Christmas Colouring In

- Pencils
- Textas

1. Print off Christmas colouring ins
2. Get the children to colour them in.
3. If they want they could also do free drawing of Christmas themed pictures.



Christmas Musical Chairs

- **Chairs**
- **Speaker**
- **Christmas music**

1. **Set up normal musical chairs.**
2. **Use Christmas theme music to play musical chairs.**

Thursday PM

- popsicle sticks (4 sticks per snowflake)
- hot glue gun and glue sticks
- white glue
- sequins, buttons, glitter, or jewels
- [texters](#)
- [string](#)

1. Optional: pre hot glue the 4 craft sticks together
2. Either glue with the kids or use the premade snowflake shape
3. Colour in the paddlepop sticks using texters or paint
4. 1 stick at a time add craft glue and then add decorations
5. Repeat til decorated
6. Optional: tie a bit of string around the top of the snowflake (could hot glue to the back)



Friday AM

Playdough

- 2 cups plain flour
 - 2 tablespoons vegetable oil
 - ½ cup salt
 - 2 tables cream of tatar
 - 1 to 1.5 cups of boiling water
 - Food colouring
1. Mix the flour, salt, cream of tartar and oil in a large mixing bowl
 2. Add food colouring TO the boiling water then into the dry ingredients
 3. Stir continuously until it becomes a sticky, combined dough
 4. Allow it to cool down then take it out of the bowl and knead it vigorously for a couple of minutes until all of the stickiness has gone. * This is the most important part of the process, so keep at it until it's the perfect consistency!*
 5. If it remains a little sticky then add a touch more flour until just right



Christmas Find A Words

- Find Christmas themed find a words online. Print them off and get the children to complete them.

 **Christmas Word Search** 

c	h	r	i	s	t	m	a	s	s
t	o	s	d	t	r	e	e	u	t
w	l	a	m	a	a	s	v	l	o
i	e	c	a	l	t	t	h	i	c
n	g	k	r	e	n	n	g	g	k
k	n	h	a	s	a	e	i	h	i
l	a	i	t	n	s	s	e	t	n
e	g	u	s	i	o	e	l	s	g
g	l	i	t	t	e	r	s	z	m
f	r	u	d	o	l	p	h	l	l

tinsel	presents
sack	Santa
lights	tree
Rudolph	sleigh
glitter	Christmas
angel	twinkle
stocking	star

 

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Friday PM

- Colored cardstock (in light blue, green, brown and multicolor)
 - Elmer's Glue
 - Shaving cream
 - Paintbrush
 - Scissors
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- Make the homemade puffy paint by mixing equal parts



PUFFY PAINT

shaving cream and Elmer's glue in a bowl. An 1/8 cup of each was more than enough to cover 2 snowglobes. You'll know it's the perfect consistency when it looks like marshmallow fluff.

2. Cut out the pieces such as the tree, the baubles, the star and the base.
3. Use a small hole punch (I used a .5" one) to make ornaments from colored cardstock to use on the tree.
4. Glue the large blue circle behind the brown base to make the snowglobe.
5. Position the green triangles to make the pine tree and add the ornaments and star to the top.
6. Use your paintbrush to brush on puffy paint snow onto the bottom of the snowglobe.
7. Dab the puffy paint all over the snowglobe to make snow flurries.
8. Let dry completely.