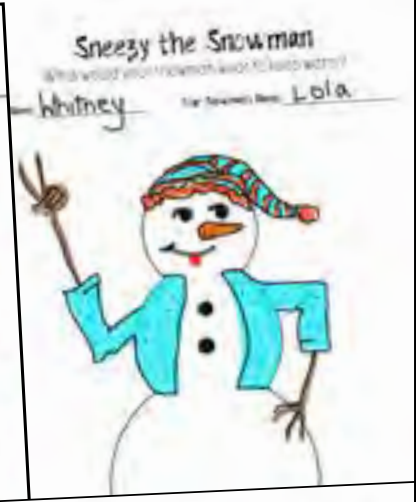


ART HOW TO GUIDES

WINTER ACTIVITIES ELEMENTARY ART



WINTER ACTIVITY SCENE

WINTER INSPIRATION

Follow the steps below to draw a winter scene. Include your favorite winter activity in it.

STEP ONE: Draw a tall object, such as a bare tree, above the bottom edge of your paper. Draw it off the top of your paper.

STEP TWO: Add more tall, winter details to fill up space. Place everything above the bottom edge of your paper. Think about other trees, snow falling, and similar. Look at the front for ideas.

STEP THREE: Add people or animals participating in the winter activity and in the background.

STEP FOUR: Draw a horizontal line that goes behind and above the bottom edge of your drawings. Leave it white for snow or add a colour if you want a non-snow scene. **TIP:** add curving lines to create hills.

STEP FIVE: Leave the sky blank or add a colour!

ENJOY your winter scene work of art!



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WINTER ACTIVITIES FOR ELEMENTARY ART DIRECTED DRAWING & INDEPENDENT GUIDES

ART ACTIVITY GUIDES



This lesson pack is geared towards elementary and early middle school age students.



No experience needed, students can independently follow the guide.



Use for fast finisher, sub plan, project warm up.



Color and colour spelling!

WHAT YOU GET

Bundle Pack Overview:

- ✔ Teacher notes (4 pages)
- ✔ Art guides with examples (12 pages)
- ✔ Sub plan & activity handouts (4 pages)
- ✔ Lesson plan (4 pages), 2 Demo videos
- ✔ Color and colour spelling



1. Fold a paper square in half to create a triangle.



2. Fold triangle in half again to create smaller triangle.

GEOMETRY

CUT SNOWFLAKES

HOW TO GUIDE

Follow the steps below to create multiple snowflake works of art that show positive and negative space.



STEP THREE: the paper is half again to create a smaller triangle.



CUT SNOWFLAKES TIPS FOR IMPLEMENTING

AGE GROUP

- This was designed with elementary art students in mind, but this can also be a fun activity for early middle school.
- Kindergarten to 1st grade can complete the activity with help.
- 2nd grade and up can follow the instructions and complete the activity independently.

IMPLEMENTATION TIPS

- For younger students use the simple activity guide, the bigger pictures and simple steps make this a good fit for K and 1st.
- For older students use the other cut snowflake guide. This includes more options and more in-depth written instructions students can read through. Middle school age students can try folding their paper more than 2 times to create more complex snowflakes. It will be harder to cut through this paper so

CUT SNOWFLAKE DESIGN ACTIVITY

SUPPLIES

- Square sheets of white paper
- Scissors

ACTIVITY

- Read through the cut snowflake guide.
 - Gather your supplies and start on your own snowflake design.
 - Once you complete one snowflake, make another! Experiment with your designs.
 - Place cut scraps in the trash or in the box on your table to throw away at the end of class.
- TIPS:**
- Fold your paper 2 times before you start cutting.
 - The non-folded edge will be the outside edge of the snowflake, you can cut any style design or shape on this edge.
 - The folded edges are the inside of your snowflake, DO NOT cut the folded edge all the way through or your snowflake will fall.



CUT SNOWFLAKE ACTIVITY

2 CUT SNOWFLAKE INSTRUCTIONS FOR DIFFERENT LEVELS,
TEACHER NOTES, ACTIVITY CHECKLIST, DEMO VIDEO

WINTER ACTIVITY SCENE

WINTER INSPIRATION

Draw a winter inspired landscape. Check out ideas to add to your landscape below.



BARE TREE: Use lines to draw a tree with no leaves. TIP: Use diagonal lines to draw the branches.



EVERGREEN: Stack triangles on top of each other going large to small to create an evergreen tree. Be sure to add a trunk!



LAMP POST: Draw a vertical line with a rectangle on top and a triangle on top of the rectangle. Add warm colors to look like light.



WINTER ANIMALS: Think about animals you see in snow or winter such as owls, cardinals, deer, foxes, porcupine, reindeer, polar bears, seals, and otters.



SNOWFLAKES: Draw crossing lines. Add shapes to create.



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ACTIVITY: As you add to your drawing think about your favorite winter activity to include.



STEP THREE: Add people or animals participating in the winter activity and in the background.



STEP FOUR: Draw a horizontal line that goes behind and above the bottom edge of your drawings. Leave it white for snow or add a color if you want a non-snow scene. TIP: add carving lines to create hills.



STEP FIVE: Leave the sky blank or add a color!

ENJOY your winter scene work of art!

WINTER ACTIVITY DRAWING

SUPPLIES:

- Paper
- Pencil
- Eraser
- Colored pencils, crayons, or markers

ACTIVITY:

- Read through the winter activity guide.
- Look at examples on the front for ideas to include.
- Look at steps on the back to bring those ideas to life.
- Draw your design on a separate sheet of paper.
- If you finish one drawing, start another.
- TIPS:

WINTER ACTIVITY LANDSCAPE

TIPS FOR IMPLEMENTING

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IMPLEMENTATION TIPS:

- Print one copy per table and laminate it for students to reference as needed. Have students work on a separate sheet of paper.
- Print one copy per student to read information and complete the activity on a separate sheet of paper.
- Use this activity with students as a practice at home activity.
- Use this activity as a practice for a bigger landscape scene.
- Use this activity as a practice for starting a bigger winter scene.

WINTER SCENE ACTIVITY

EXAMPLES ON THE FRONT, STEPS ON THE BACK

TEACHER NOTES, ACTIVITY CHECKLIST



Snowman Illustration
Creating Characters

Age Group: Kindergarten and up
Artist Exemplar: Stephen Gilpin, illustrator of *Sneezy the Snowman*
Book Read Along: *Sneezy the Snowman* by Maureen Wright
Big Idea: Creating Characters

Essential Questions:

- How can you develop a character?
- How does your snowman's appearance relate to his personality?
- What is your snowman's personality?

Who is your snowman?
Think about who your snowman is and fill out the information below.
This will help you decide how to design your snowman illustration.

Your snowman's name: _____
Your snowman's favorite color: _____
Your snowman's favorite activity: _____
Your snowman's favorite piece of clothing: _____
Your snowman's favorite animal: _____
Words you would use to describe your snowman? _____

Design a Snowman
Ideas for Decorating Your Snowman

Look at examples below to come up with ideas to decorate your snowman. Try adding your own spin to the ideas below, change the color, the pattern, or add something new. Make your snowman unique, just like you!

Eyes:

Noses:

Design a Snowman
What does your snowman look like?
Your Snowman's Name: _____

Name: _____

SNOWMAN DESIGN

LESSON PLAN, DECORATION REFERENCE, BRAINSTORM
ACTIVITY, SNOWMAN TEMPLATE, CHECKLIST

PATTERNED MITTEN

HOW TO GUIDE

Follow the steps below to create a one-of-a-kind mitten design.



SUPPLIES:

White paper, pencil, eraser, and colored pencils, markers, or crayons.



STEP ONE:

Place your hand in the middle of your paper. Keep your fingers close together, stick out your thumb. Trace around your hand. **TIP:** Don't trace around the tops of your fingertips, create a curving line above them.



STEP TWO:

Add two lines at the bottom of your mitten at your wrist to create the edge of your mitten.



PATTERNED MITTEN

PRACTICE

Add curving lines, like smiles, to the mitten below. Repeat lines, shapes, and colors to create patterns.



MITTEN DESIGN TIPS FOR IMPLEMENTING

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IMPLEMENTATION TIPS:

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 - Pass out the paper.
 - Have students follow the instructions.

MITTEN DESIGN ACTIVITY

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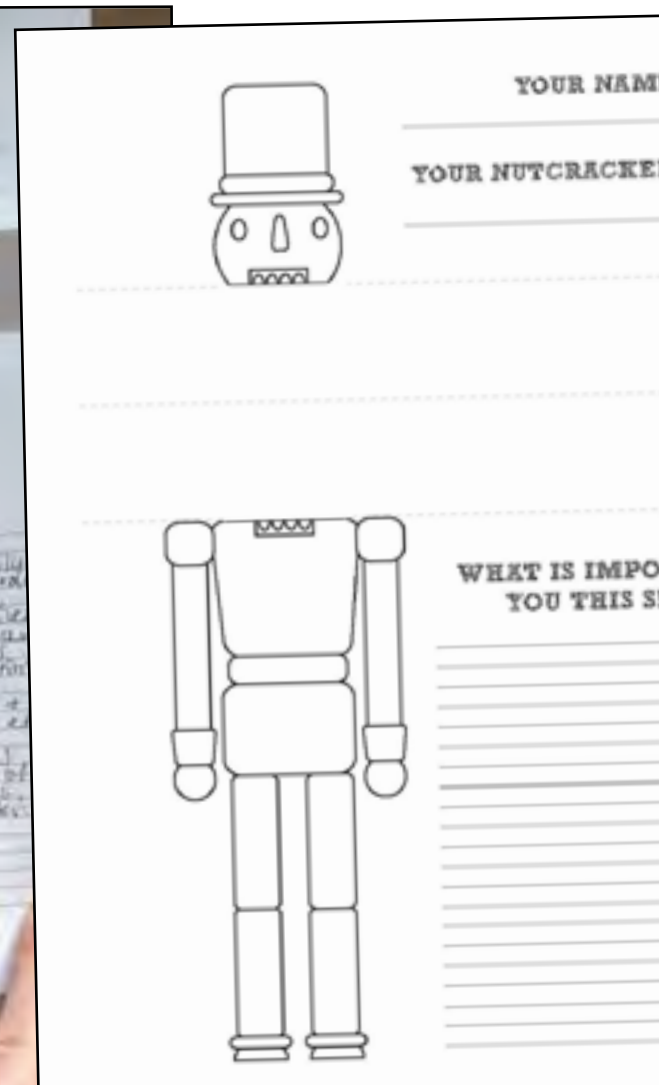
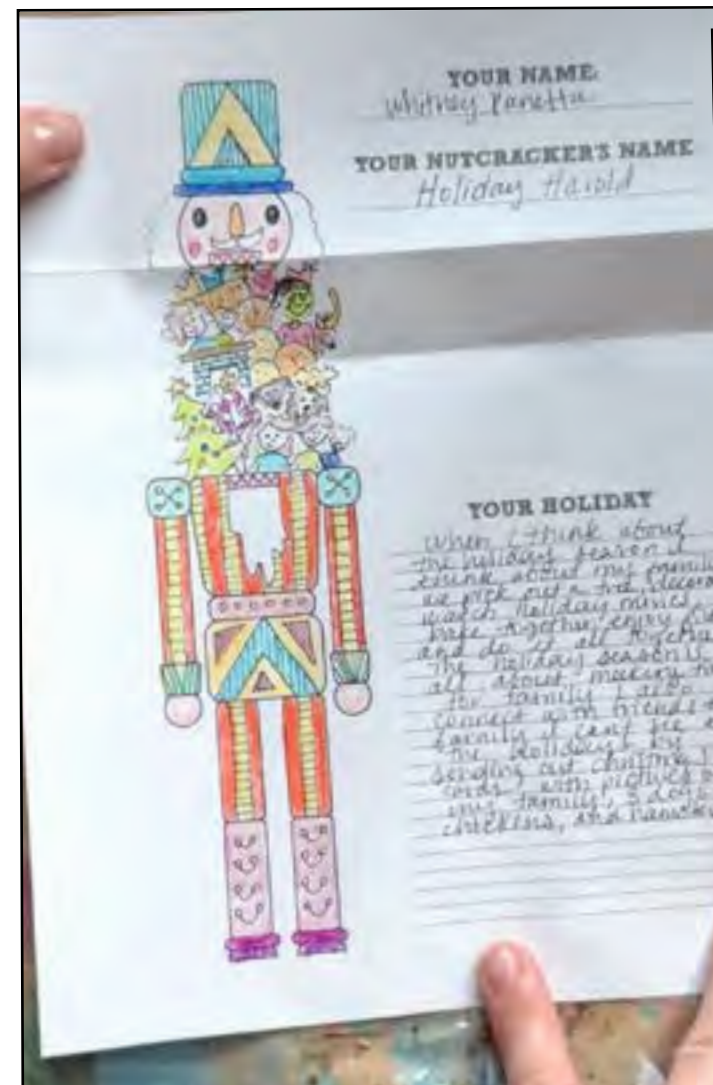
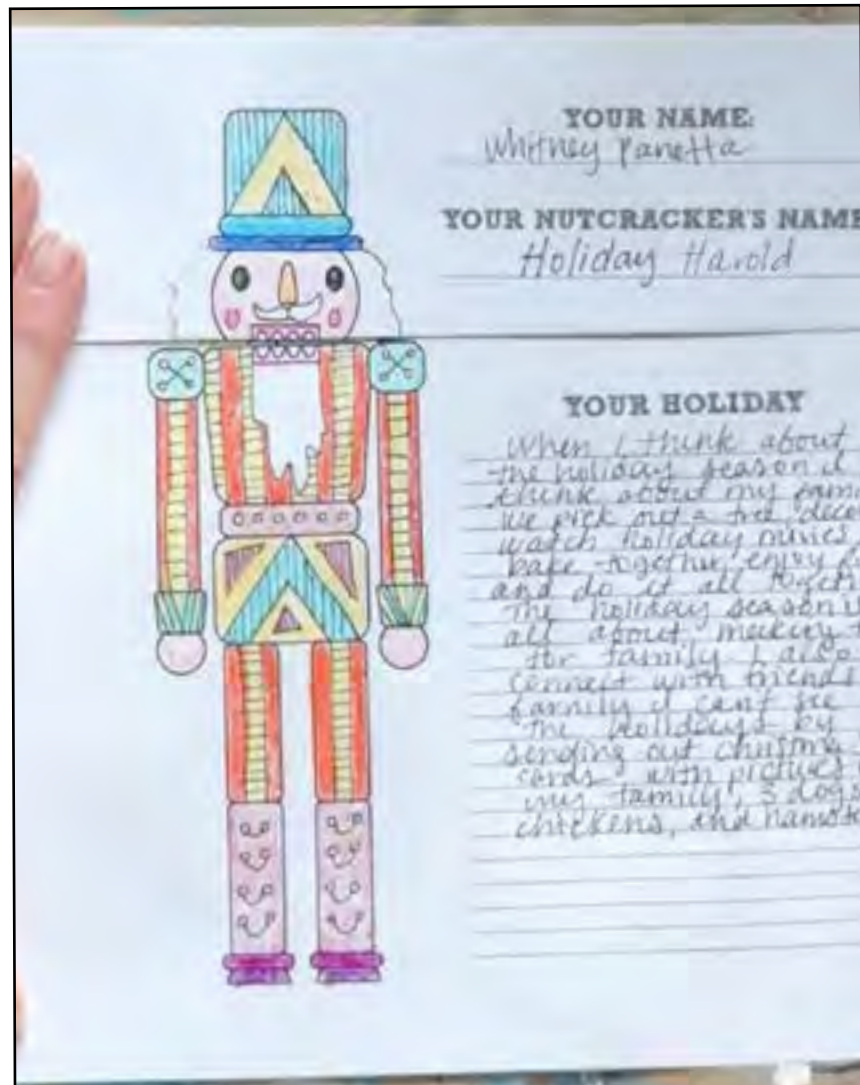
- Paper
- Pencil
- Eraser
- Colored pencils, crayons, or markers

ACTIVITY:

- Read through the mitten design guide.
- Look at the steps and examples on the front.
- Trace your hand, or use the template, to create your own mitten design on the back or on a separate sheet of paper.
- Use colored pencils, markers, or crayons to create stripes.
- Add patterns inside the stripes.
- Create variety.
- Use different colors and shapes to create patterns.

MITTEN DESIGN

INFORMATION ON THE FRONT, PRACTICE SPACE ON THE BACK, 2 BACK OPTIONS, NOTES, ACTIVITY CHECKLIST



NUTCRACKER DESIGN

INFORMATION ON THE FRONT, PRACTICE SPACE ON THE BACK, TEACHER NOTES, DEMO VIDEO, ACTIVITY CHECKLIST

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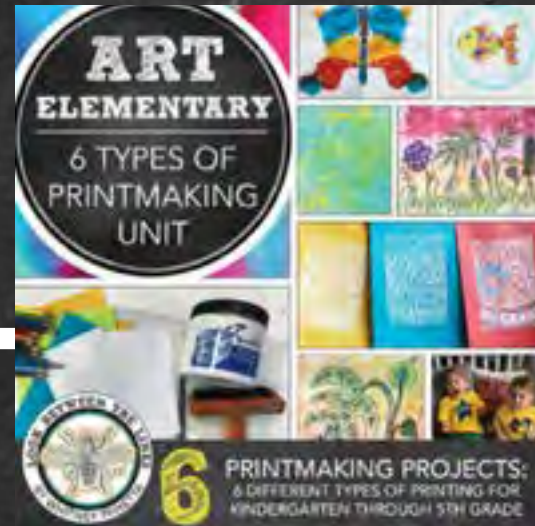
"Fabulous resource! It is right to the point and I love the worksheet that goes along with it for practice."

-Samantha B.



"Loved this! The students had so much fun and were completely engaged." -Cynthia S.

CHECK OUT MORE PRODUCTS:



Check out more projects for elementary through high school students.

Grab early finishers for those quick artists or an entire curriculum so you can focus on teaching.

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