

# Snowman Craft

## Needed Materials:

Construction Paper (Black for hat, White for snowman head, orange for the nose, and optional color for background)

Glue

Scissors

## Additional materials, if desired:

Cotton Balls

Coloring materials (markers, colored pencils, crayons)

Paint

Glitter

Buttons

Googly Eyes

Pipe cleaner

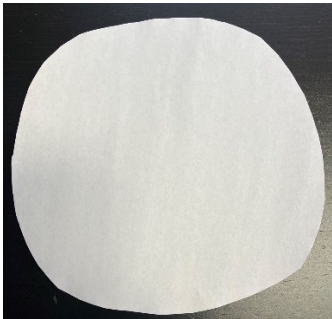
## Examples:



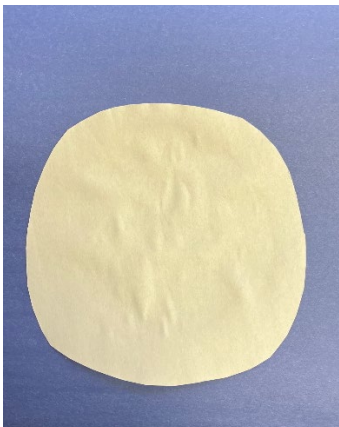
## Step-by-step directions - Snowman



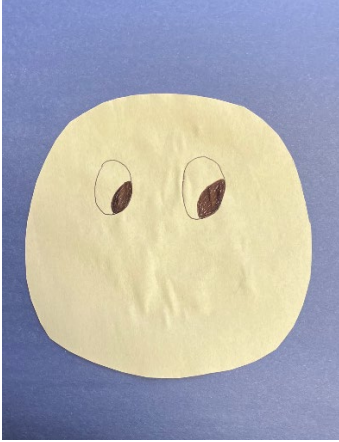
1. Cut a circle using white construction paper.



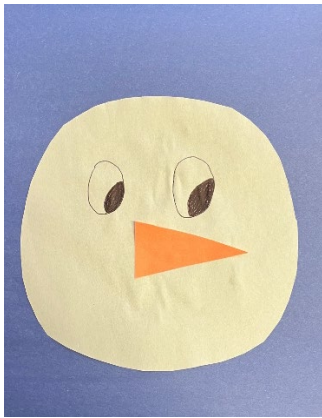
2. Glue circle to a sheet of construction paper. The background can be any color of your choosing.



3. Draw two eyes using a crayon or marker



4. Create the nose, by cutting an orange triangle and glue it to the middle of the snowman's face.



5. Use paper to cut 4-5 black circles or draw black circles to create the mouth.



6. To make the hat, cut 1 large rectangle and 1 thin, longer rectangle for the bottom piece. Glue them together to make a hat.



7. Have fun and make it your own!



## Here's how this activity supports your child's development:

### Fine Motor (Strengthening the muscles in your child's hands)

- Cutting
- Gluing
- Coloring

### Communication (Building the tools for language dialogue between caregiver and child)

- Describing the colors and textures of materials
- Providing new vocabulary like: snowman, circle, cut, eyes, hat, nose, glue, crayons, etc.
- Talking through the actions of completing the activity
- Relating it back to winter, cold, and snow
- Reflecting on time spent together

### Personal-Social (How your child relates to you and their world)

- Completing the activity together and engaging in quality time

Problem Solving (Using their thinking to find solutions in their world)

- Determining where the eye's, nose and hat are placed
- Allowing child to explore the materials

Winter Themed Books

