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# MAKE-BELIEVE GINGERBREAD HOUSE!

This gingerbread house doesn't need an oven or frosting, and it won't get stale. All you need is your imagination and a bunch of stickers to make this yummy looking house!

#### Supplies in kit

- 1 coloring template of a door, windows, and a chimney
- 1 paper bag
- 2 striped straws

### What you'll need from home

- glue stick
- a sheet of newspaper or other paper that can be scrunched up
- scissors

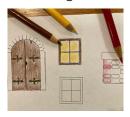


- 1 sheet of mixed color stickers plus strips of tiny colored stickers
- 1 white paper roof
- 1 cotton ball

 color markers, pencils, or crayons if you would like to add more decoration to your creation!

#### **Directions**

1. Color and cut out the door, windows, and chimney, then glue them to the front of the bag. Now the fun begins! Using the stickers and straws, you can make a delicious looking house. Don't forget to save some stickers for the snowy roof!







2. When you have decorated your house, gently open the bag and add a scrunched up piece of newspaper. This will make it possible for the house to stand up. Close the top of the bag

by folding it on the pre-creased area.







3. Add glue to the top fold of the roof and add the straw. Then glue the roof to the top edge of the folded bag. Pinch to secure it to the bag.







4. Glue a tuft of cotton to the back of the chimney, and glue the chimney to the roof. Now it's a home sweet home!





### **BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS**

The Gingerbread Man Loose in the School by Laura Murray
The Gingerbread Man Loose in the Zoo by Laura Murray
The Gingerbread Man by Jim Aylesworth
Hansel and Gretel by Cynthia Rylant
Ginger Bear by Mini Grey



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