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MOUSE IN A MITTEN!

Every mouse should have a mitten to curl up in on a chilly winter night. You can make a colorful mitten for this little mouse using both crayons and watercolors!



Supplies in kit

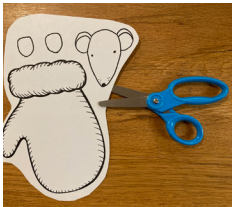
- mitten and mouse template
- piece of string

What you'll need from home

- scissors
- glue stick or liquid school glue
- crayons
- watercolor paints
- hole puncher

Directions

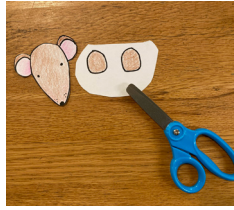
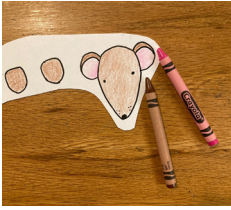
1. Cut apart the mitten from the mouse. Before cutting out the mitten, color a pattern onto the mitten with your crayons. Be sure to press down hard with the crayon when making your pattern and leave plenty of white spaces as pictured. The more colors the better!



2. Using your watercolors, choose a color to the paint the mitten. The paint will fill the white spaces and leave the waxy crayon colors showing through! Set the mitten aside to dry.



3. While the mitten is drying color the mouse and its paws and cut them out.



4. When the mitten is dry, cut it out and punch a hole on each side of the cuff as pictured.



5. Glue on the mouse's paws and head. Finally, attach the string and the little mouse in a mitten can become part of your winter holiday decor!



BOOK RECOMMENDATIONS

Cinderella and a Mouse Called Fred by Deborah Hopkinson
Red House, Tree House, Itty Bitty Brown Mouse by Jane Godwin
The Wolf, the Duck, and the Mouse by Mac Barnett
The Mouse Mansion by Karina Schaapman
Welcome Home, Mouse by Elisa Kleven



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