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Mitten

Animals



A BOOK COMPANION FOR

The Mitten



• 57 pages • craft • 3 levels

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Read the same book every day. Do one activity a day. Pull the page and go.



Best in January — week 4 of a preschool circle-time year.

This week

- ☐ Read *The Mitten* (any version of the folktale) at circle time every day this week. Children love the repeat, and each day they join in more.
- ☐ After the story, do that day's activity. Every student page has one short direction and a picture, so a paraprofessional can run it too.
- ☐ Teach the core word **hot** all week: point to it on the talker or core board every time it comes up in the story.
- ☐ Cutting pages are built for small hands: five or more big pieces, lined up so every cut is one straight line. Pre-cut them for students who are not cutting yet.
- ☐ Sorting, counting, letters and writing come in three levels, marked with a small shape so children do not compare:
 - starting (errorless matching), ■ building, ▲ ready for more.
- ☐ Print the color pages, or use the ink-saver pages at the back on a photocopier.

DAY	AFTER THE READ-ALOUD	ALSO PRACTICING
Day 1	Sort: animal or not? (3 levels)	cutting straight lines, gluing, sorting
Day 2	Count the gloves and glue or write the number (3 levels)	counting 1–5, 6–10
Day 3	Letter M: find it, match it, or hear it (3 levels); trace or write	letter M, beginning sound, pencil grip
Day 4	Warm up after playing in the snow: put the steps in order.	life skill: warming up safely, first/next/then/last
Day 5	Book craft: color a big mitten and tuck six animals in to get warm.	cutting straight lines, gluing, following steps

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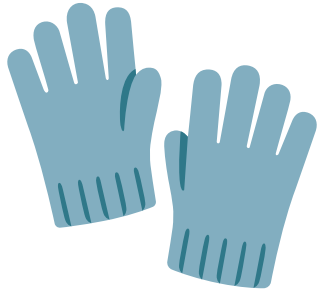


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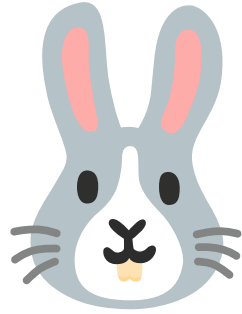
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NAME IT!

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gloves



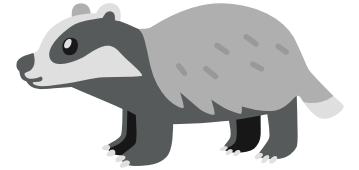
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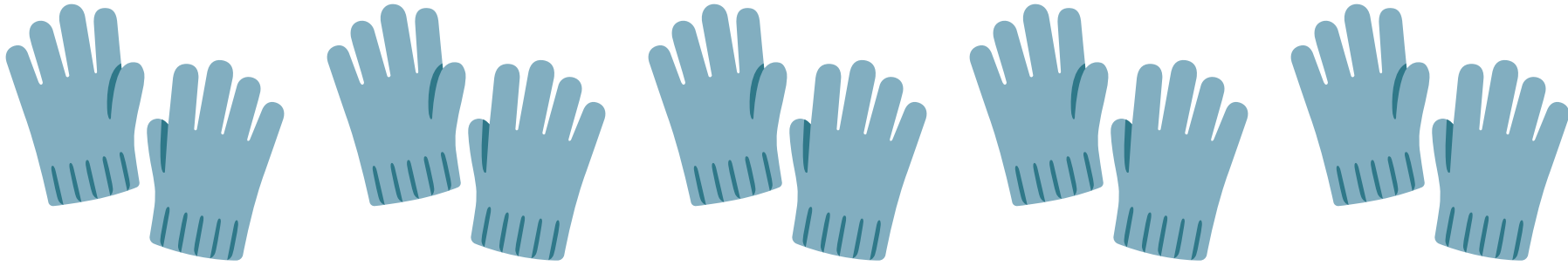
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snow

HOW MANY? TAP THE NUMBER!

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4

5

6

FIND EVERY M AND m!

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Mm is for mouse

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