

The Life Cycle of the Butterfly

Butterfly lays egg on a leaf, hatches into a caterpillar/larva, eats, changes into a cocoon/chrysalis/pupa, metamorphoses, becomes a butterfly.

Leaf - Cut two
 Glue onto top of the glove and palm of glove

Glue puppet pieces to top of glove, to be able to fold fingers to remove puppet.



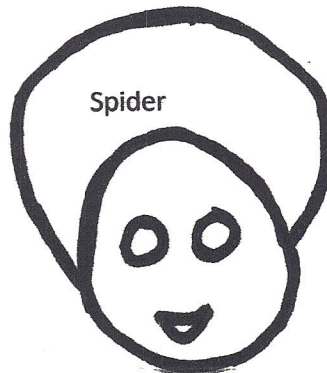
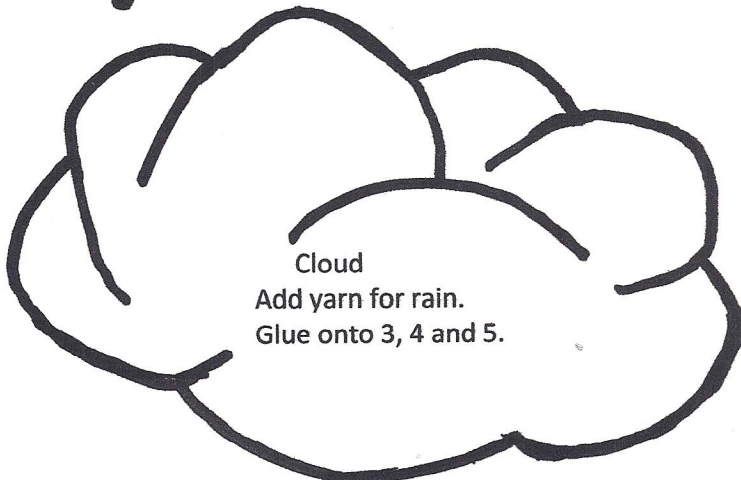
The Itsy Bitsy Spider

The itsy bitsy spider went up the water spout.
 Down came the rain and washed the spider out.
 Out came the sun and dried up all the rain,
 And the itsy bitsy spider went up the spout again.

The Water Cycle

Condensation: The water vapor in the air condenses into a cloud.
 Precipitation: The cloud is full of water and it rains (or snow, hail)
 Collection: The water collects in puddles, lakes, rivers, oceans.
 Evaporation: The sun's warmth evaporates the water into vapor.

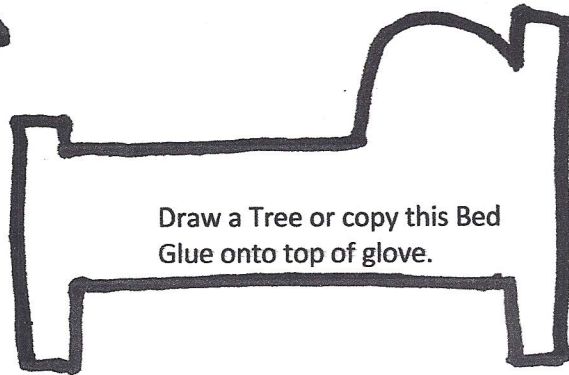
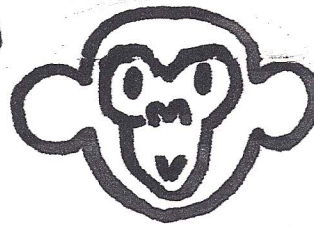
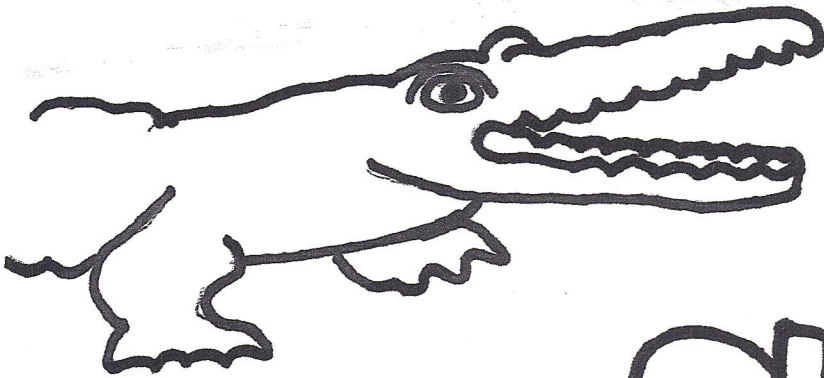
Main Character: Spider
 Goal: To climb up the water spout
 Problem: Rain washed the spider out
 Solution: Sun dried up the rain



Add eight yarn legs.
 Glue onto 2.

Cut 5 monkey heads. Glue onto the top of each finger and thumb.

Glue mother onto the palm of the glove.
Or Glue a Crocodile onto palm of glove.



Draw a Tree or copy this Bed
Glue onto top of glove.

Five Little Monkeys Jumping on the Bed

Five little monkeys jumping on the bed. One fell off and bumped his head. Mama called the doctor and the doctor said, "No more monkeys jumping on the bed!" (continue with four, three, two and one)

Five Little Monkeys Teasing Mr. Crocodile

Five little monkeys sitting in a tree, Teasing Mr. Crocodile, "You can't catch me." "You can't catch me." Along came Mr. Crocodile, Quiet as can be. SNAP! (continue with four, three, two, and one)

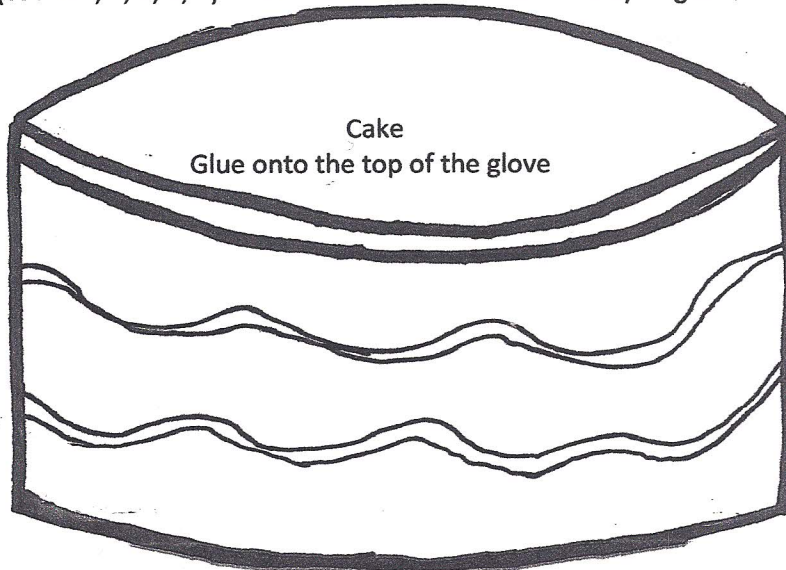
A Birthday

Today is (child's name)'s birthday. Let's make her/him a cake.

Mix and stir, stir and mix, and into the oven to bake.

Here's our cake so nice and round, we frost it pink (or another color) and white.

We put (count 1, 2, 3, 4, 5) candles on it to make the birthday bright.



Candle
Cut 5 candles.
Glue onto the
top of each
finger, and higher
onto the thumb.

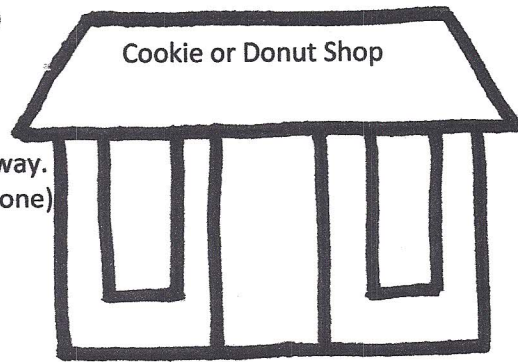




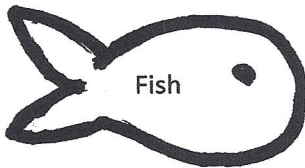
Cut 5, glue onto the top of the fingers.

Five Cookies (Donuts)

Five little cookies in the cookie shop
Shining bright with sugar on top
Along comes (child's name) with
money (or a coin value) to pay.
He/she buys a cookie and takes it away.
(continue with four, three, two and one)



Glue puppet pieces onto top of glove to be able to fold fingers to remove puppet from the story.

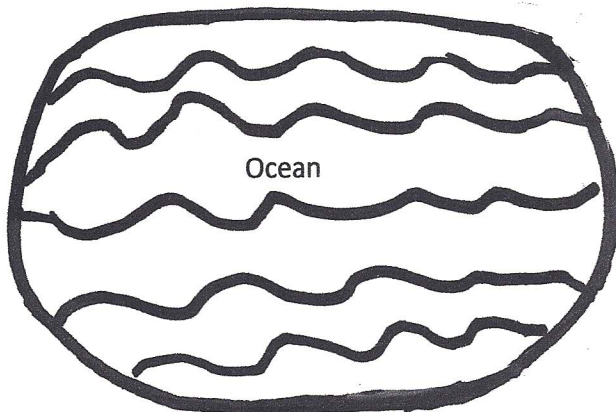


Cut 10 fish. Glue onto front and back of tops of fingers and thumb. Glue each fish tails together.

Five Little Fishes

Five little fishes swimming in the ocean (or sea)
This fish said, "The ocean is warm." (wiggle each fish as it speaks)
This fish said, "The ocean is deep."
This fish said, "The ocean is salty."
This fish said, "The ocean is big."
This fish said, "I see a ship."
The fishing boat comes. (Turn glove to show top)
The line goes splash.
All the little fishes swim away in a flash! (Fold in fingers)

(As each fish speaks, ask the children to finish the sentence with their own words to describe the ocean)



Glue ocean onto palm of glove.

