



# Building a Snowman

## Ages 2 years—3 years

**Objective:** The child builds early math skills by seeing and hearing shapes and uses creativity in making a snowman craft.

### Materials needed:

Build a snowman (printable)

Scissors

White or Blue sheet of paper

Glue

### Procedures

1. Have your child sit at a small table.
2. Before hand, cut out all of the snowman shape pieces from the printable sheet.
3. You are going to hold up each shape one at a time to show your child, say the name of the shape, and then ask your child to repeat the shapes name after you. Do this for every piece.
4. After the snowman shapes have been taught and said, have your child build the snowman the way they see it (do not tell or do it for them). Ask them where they think the pieces belong, refer to their own face for help guiding and teaching.



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5. You will have to help with gluing as necessary.
6. Encourage your child to create the snowman putting it together on the sheet of paper.

### Milestones to meet:

The child learns about shapes after seeing and hearing the names of them; the child can repeat or say the shapes names. The child uses fine-motor skills and creativity to create a snowman craft.

### Evaluation:

Did this lesson work for your child? Why or why not?