

KIDZ ROCK PRESCHOOL HOME ACTIVITY

DECEMBER 13



HEY FAMILIES,

Our Bible story, today, was about Mary and Joseph traveling all the way to Bethlehem before Baby Jesus was born. Do you remember what happened when Mary and Joseph got to Bethlehem? The only place left for them to sleep was a stable where animals stay. And that's where a very special baby was born. Who was it? Jesus!

PRAY TOGETHER!

"Dear God, this is such a special time of year because Jesus is special, and it's His birthday! Thank You for loving us so much that You gave us Your Son, Jesus. Help us celebrate Him every day! We love You, God. In Jesus' name, amen."

ACTIVITY 1: JESUS IN THE MANGER

What You Need: : “Baby Face” and “Jesus In the Manger”

Activity Pages; paper roll; yellow paper; raffia; dessert size paper plates; tape; pen; and glue sticks;

What You Do:

Cut out the activity pages. Ask the children to stick the “Jesus In the Manger” label on the back of their plate then flip over. Encourage children to tear pieces of the yellow paper and glue to their plate. Roll the blue paper into a tube and tape to secure. Glue the paper roll to the yellow paper. Add “Baby Face” sticker to the paper roll.

What You Say:

Before the Activity: “Where did we learn that Baby Jesus was born? (Pause.) That’s right, Baby Jesus was born in a stable where the animals stayed. When Jesus was born, Mary wrapped him up and laid him in a manger.”

During the Activity: “Let’s make a picture of Baby Jesus in the manger. First, add your sticker to the back of your plate then flip it over. (Pause.) Now, tear the yellow paper into strips and glue it to your plate. (Pause.) This will be the hay that Baby Jesus laid on in the manger. Roll the blue piece of paper and tape the ends together like this. (Demonstrate.) Glue the blue paper roll on top of the yellow paper.

(Pause.) Add the face sticker. (Pause.) This is Baby Jesus. The most special baby was born! Happy Birthday, Jesus! Let’s say it together. Happy Birthday, Jesus!” (Repeat.)

ACTIVITY PAGES



ACTIVITY 2: ANGEL DANCING

What You Need: “Charades” Activity Page, cardstock, scissors

What You Do:

Before the Activity: Copy “Charades” onto cardstock and cut on dotted lines, one set per activity. Place the six cards in a stack face down.

What You Say:

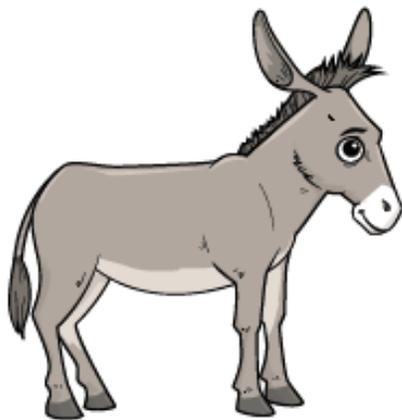
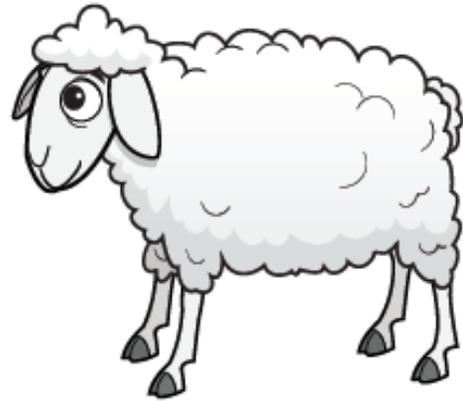
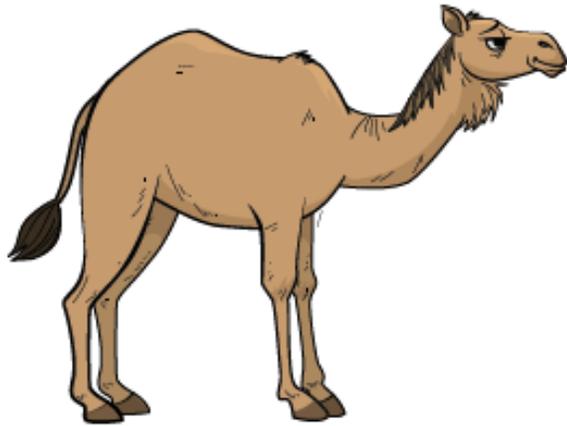
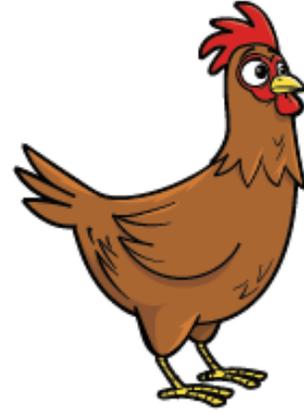
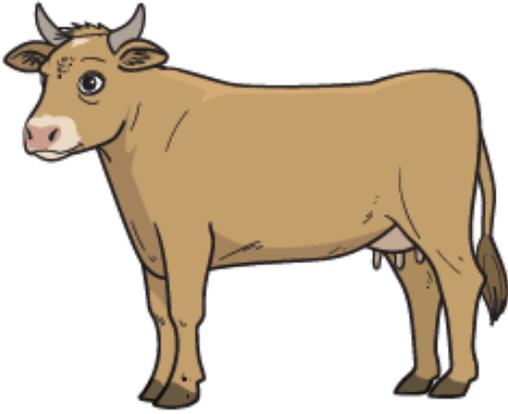
Before the Activity: “I’m going to be animals!”

During the Activity: “We have cards with animals on them. I will act like the animal on the card. You guys will try to guess which animal you are. Are you ready?” (Do activity.)

After the Activity: “Great job, friends. You did a great job acting like animals, and you are awesome guessers! That was so much fun! We’ll hear a Bible story today about a stable full of animals. Are you ready for our exciting Bible story?”



CHARADES



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Memory Verse Motions



"God



loved the world so much



that he gave



his only Son."



John 3:16

