Family Day DIY Craft

Fluffy Winter Landscapes

Get creative at home this Family Day with a special wintery craft inspired by paintings from the Firestone Collection of Canadian Art. Using household items, you can create a textured winter landscape with fluffy white snow!



1. Using your pencil, start by sketching out a wintery scene. You can draw a landscape or a cityscape and include any fantastical elements you want. Get creative and be sure to include some snow!



2. Next, color in your winter scene with markers, coloring pencils, or crayons.



3. Mix your fluffy snow paint. To create your fluffy snow, mix one part shaving cream with one part of white or clear liquid glue. The mixture will have a thick goopy texture and it will dry to look fluffy.



4. Using either a paintbrush or the back of a spoon, apply your fluffy snow paint to the snowy parts of your landscape and let it dry!



George Pepper, Old Barn, Quebec St. Urban, Baie St. Paul, 1937, oil on canvas, 64.1 x 54 cm. Firestone Collection of Canadian Art, the Ottawa Art Gallery. Donated to the City of Ottawa by the Ontario Heritage Foundation.

Materials

Cardstock or
construction paper
Markers
Crayons
Coloring pencils
White liquid glue
Shaving cream
Paintbrush or Spoon

