

The Snowman

Story By: Andrew Frinkle

There was lots of snow on the ground.
It had snowed all night.
Now it was time to make a snowman.

First the kids rolled a ball for the bottom.
It was the biggest one.
They put it near a hill.
That is where the snowman would sit.

Second, they rolled a ball for the middle.
It was medium size, smaller than the first.
They had to lift it on top of the first one.

Third, they made the top snowball.
It had to be smaller for the head.
It was hard to lift it on top of the other two.

The kids had to put on arms.
They used two long sticks.
The branches looked like fingers.

Then they put on the buttons.
Three rocks worked for those.
They used rocks for the eyes and smile, too.

One boy gave up his scarf for the snowman.
A girl gave up her hat.
The snowman was nearly finished!

The last step was the nose.
They used an old carrot, and the snowman was done!



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 - B. a snow slide
 - C. a snowman
 - D. snow angels

2. What is the first step of making the snowman?
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 - B. the middle snowball
 - C. the top snowball
 - D. the carrot nose

3. What is the second step of making the snowman?
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4. Which of these is TRUE?
 - A. The kids made the nose from an apple.
 - B. The kids made the buttons with real buttons.
 - C. The kids gave the snowman a hat and a scarf.
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