



Hello little scarecrow  
with the face so round  
Going no place...  
stuck in the ground.  
Staring at the crows  
not making a sound.

Paper Plate  
Scarecrow Poem

Diane





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## **Joker, The Scary Scarecrow**

### **Materials:**

- Dark and medium brown construction paper, yellow, red, blue and black construction paper.
- 6 inch paper plates
- stapler
- glue stick
- scissors
- hole punch
- yarn
- white crayon
- black marker

### **Directions:**

1. *Prep:*
2. Pre-cut eyes, nose, hearts, black strip, hair and neck pieces.
3. Cut 9x12 sheets of yellow construction paper in half vertically.
4. Glue neck piece to inside of 6 inch plate.
5. Put a dot of glue in the middle of the ½ sheet of yellow paper, place it in the middle of the plate.
6. Put the other plate on top of this plate so that they are front to front and the face is “puffed out”.
7. Staple the top and bottom of the plates shut.
8. *The next day:*
9. Children snip “squares” for the mouth from the black strip.
10. Children glue their face pieces to the plate.
11. They will be pressing hard so you’ll have to pop their plate back out later.
12. Have them snip-cut the neck and “hay hair” then “ruffle” it.
13. Children cut hat pieces.
14. Children glue the rectangle to the base of the triangle.
15. Children glue the rectangle to the top of the plate on one side.
16. Glue the other hat to the back of the front hat.
17. Glue the poem to the back of the plate.
18. Write your name with a black marker to the rim of the front of the hat.
19. Punch a hole in the top and tie with a piece of yarn.
20. Hang from the ceiling.

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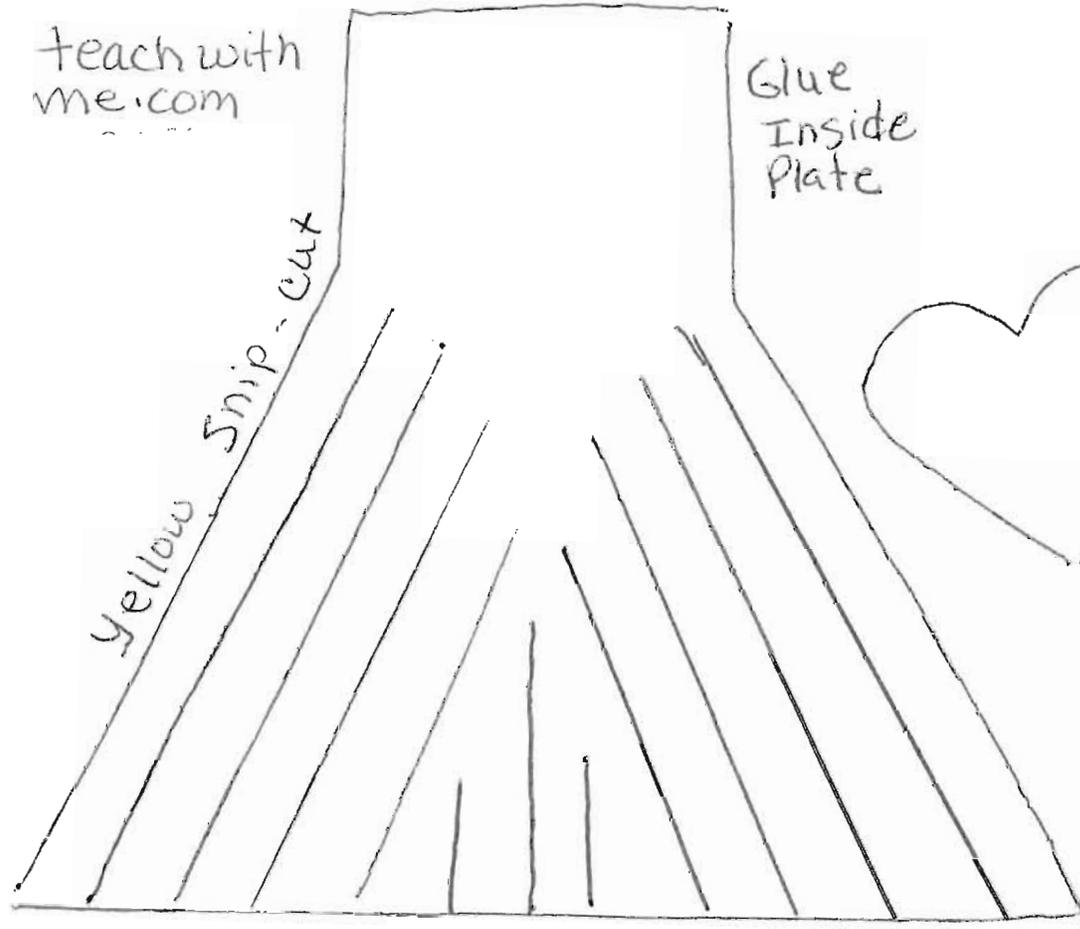
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Glue  
Inside  
Plate

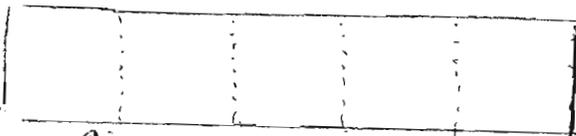
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Yellow  
Snip-cut

2 red  
cheeks

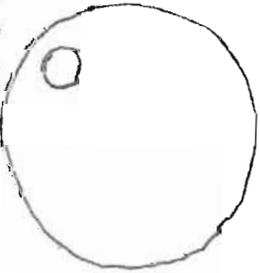


Black



Dark Brown Hat

2 Blue  
eyes



Joker  
The Scary  
Scarecrow

hat rim  
Light Brown

