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What Shall I Wear Today?

My Seasonal Catalog Cutting Booklet

Background:

- A fun way to teach seasons is via appropriate clothing.
- Cutting things out of clothing catalogs serves a dual purpose as it increases their finger muscles and coordination and they get to practice their cutting skills as well.
- This little booklet also helps with listening and following directions, concepts of print, and has several opportunities for writing extensions. 😊
- I like to make the booklets even more personal by adding their school photo. I glue everyone's picture on one page & then Xerox off 4 copies, then cut them into ovals. I have them glue them to each of the pages and draw a body, even if it's a stick figure it counts!

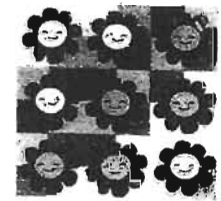
Materials:

- Clothing catalogs
- Scissors
- Glue sticks
- Crayons, markers, pens or something else to write with
- Optional: School photo

Directions:

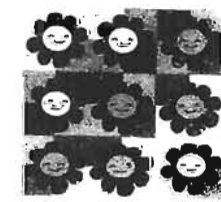
- Pass out catalogs and magazines to each child.
- Children page through them and rip out a page.
- Students cut pieces of clothing out for each season.
- Prior to the cutting, we discuss what's appropriate to wear for each season.
- I use Weather Bear and our calendar as a focal point. He has "dress-me" clothes. We also discuss what they wear when it's cold, rainy, hot etc.
- I go around the room and ask them for one word that they would like to have me help them write down for each season that they would wear.
Example: In the summer I wear sunglasses.
- I do the same for the last page. I write the seasons on the board. I hang a picture of each season like the one in the book, next to it so they can try and copy it themselves. (You can run off my master and hang it up.)
- They tell me why it's their favorite and we write that down.
- When everyone is done we gather on our *Circle Of Friends* carpet. I give everyone a chance to choose one of their pages to share with their classmates as well as tell them which one is their favorite season. They do not always choose to share the page of clothes that is their favorite season. They just like those "cool clothes".

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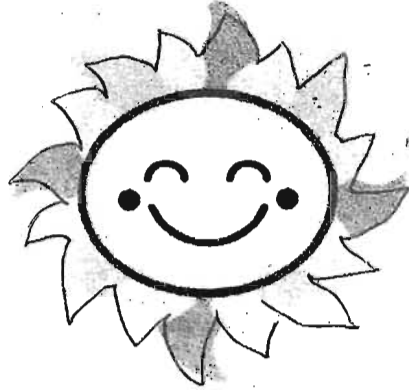
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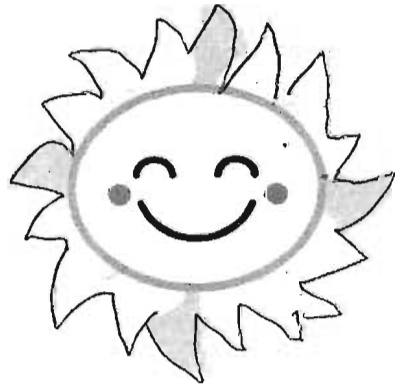


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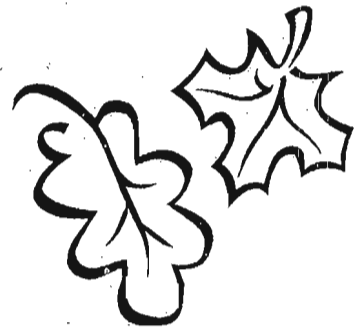


In the fall I wear...



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In the fall I wear...



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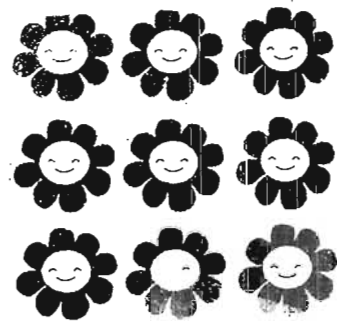
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In the winter I wear...

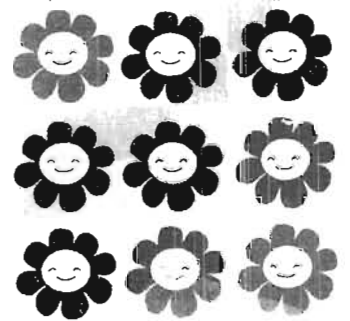


In the spring I wear...



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In the spring I wear...



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My FAVORITE

season is _____

because...



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season is _____

because...



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