



Eats & Crafts

Use your math and science skills for Fall fun. Be sure and ask your parents for permission and assistance.



**Ghostly
Goblin Grins**

Supplies:

- 1 pkg. (8 oz) Cream Cheese, softened
- 1/2 cup packed brown sugar
- 1/2 tsp. vanilla
- 2 large apples, cut into quarters
- 1/4 cup Slivered Almonds

Instructions:

1. BEAT cream cheese with mixer until creamy. Add sugar and vanilla; mix well.
2. CUT thin wedge in peel side of each apple piece; fill with 1 tsp. cream cheese mixture. Insert 4 to 6 nuts in cream cheese mixture in each apple to resemble teeth.
3. SPOON remaining cream cheese mixture into serving bowl. Serve with apples for dipping.



**Thanksgiving Votive
Candleholder**

Supplies:

- Baby food jar
- Thanksgiving or Fall stickers
- White glue, like Elmer's
- Paintbrush
- Glitter, optional
- Raffia or ribbon

Instructions:

1. Apply Stickers to jar
2. Using paintbrush, apply glue all over jar under jar threads
3. Sprinkle with glitter. Let dry.
4. Tie raffia around the jar
5. Insert candle



**Snowman
Party Treat**

Supplies:

- Marshmallows
- Candy Corn
- Chocolate Chips
- Stick Pretzels

Instructions:

1. Slide three marshmallows on a pretzel stick.
2. Break pretzel stick in smaller pieces to make arms and insert into middle marshmallow
3. Insert mini chocolate chips upside down for buttons and eyes.
4. Push upside down candy corn into marshmallow for nose.

Q. When is a baseball player like a spider?

A. When he catches a fly!

Q. Why did the fly never land on the computer?

A. He was afraid of the world wide web.

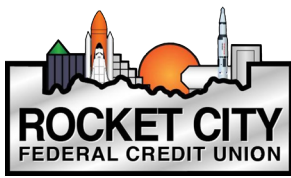


Q. Why wouldn't they let the butterfly into the dance?

A. Because it was a mothball.

Q. What did one flag say to the other flag?

A. Nothing. It just waved!



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MARVELOUS MONEY MATCHING GAME

Thousands of years ago you couldn't reach into your wallet and grab a few dollar bills to pay for the things you wanted. You often had to trade something you owned, like a cow or chicken, if you wanted to buy a horse or a goat. This was called "bartering". Later on, various kinds of shells became accepted as money in developing civilizations. See if you can match the ancient money-related term on the left with the definition on the right.

- A. Bartering ___ 1. These pink and white shells were used by the Chinese as money.
- B. Mesopotamia ___ 2. This currency was worn on a string by Native American tribes.
- C. Cowrie Shells ___ 3. No money is involved in this action, only items are traded.
- D. Mollusk Shells ___ 4. These shells, also traded in China, look like they're smiling.
- E. Leather Money ___ 5. This ancient place was home to the first banks.
- F. Wampum ___ 6. This money was the first of its kind: white deer skin.



Cowrie Shell



Mollusk Shells



Wampum

Answers: 1.d 2.f 3.a 4.c 5.b 6.e