

Topic: Christmas wreath

Resources for each team: An instruction card (one of 410, 411, 412, 413) and corresponding construction material; selection sheet for bricks (ver. 3); a pencil



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Activities:

1. The teacher divides the children into teams of two or four.
2. Each team receives an instruction card with a part-finished construction (half or quarter) of a Christmas wreath; one large green plate; and the necessary construction material.
3. Each team builds the model shown on their card and shows it to the teacher.
4. The teacher gives each team an illustrated brick selection sheet (ver. 3)
5. The children record on it the number of each type of brick they will need to complete the model. Using their list, they then go and choose the corresponding bricks.
6. The teams build their models with the bricks they have taken.
7. Each team shows their model, explains what they built and how the model relates to the Christmas holiday. If a model did not work out, they explain why, with the help of the teacher if necessary.
8. The completed wreaths are used to decorate the classroom.

