## **Ann's Creative Corner**

## **Project #243: Bears and Snow!**

- Create a bear template from tracing a bear photo. This should be done on some Poster Board or other hard cardboard.
- Trace the template onto some white paper or construction paper.
- Cut out the bear shape/s.
- Use this bear to glue onto another piece of construction paper. For younger children this can be done ahead of time. For Older Children, they may be able to trace and help cut the bear out or just glue the bear shape onto the paper.
- Next is the Fun Part!
- Using a glue stick cover the bear in glue plus other areas of the paper you wish to add details.
- The details can be as simple as cotton balls. Please stretch the cotton balls for a lighter effect and this does not create so much waste as using a whole cotton ball. The cotton balls are very compact and thus stretch alot!!
- Place the cotton in the areas you like, Children can choose where if any area they want.
- Draw in some details with felt markers
- Tissue paper is a nice additive to this project as it can be stretched flat, crumpled up or shaped in anyway you like.
- Sparkles are nice too especially if you want a Starry evening type.

## **Chant/Finger Play: "Three Little Bears"**

3 Little Bears Standing in a row
One jumped up and rolled away. Now there were 2
2 Little Bears standing in a row.
One Fell down and slipped away. Now there was 1
One Little Bear Standing all alone said "Come Back Friends.
And now there were 3 Little Bears Standing in a row.

