Winter Wonderland

CRAFTS

Winter Wonderland Snowstorm



Create a small snowman, a white rabbit, a pale blue caterpillar or white and lilac stripped Cheshire Cat using Fimo. Add a teaspoon of glitter into a jam jar that will accommodate the fimo character that has been made (or make sure they don't make the creature too big for the jar), add water to the jar and a drop washing up liquid.

Stick the Fimo characters in the middle of the inside of the lid with strong water resistant glue (better the leaders do this bit)

Screw the lid to the jar, tightly and turn the jar over.

Shake the jar to see the snowstorm.

Mad Hatter Hats



Using an A3 piece of card, allow the girls to decorate it in mad colours. Make sure its dry if painted, and fold the card long sides together. Cut slits from the fold up to the edge barr 2 inches, make sure the slits are at least 1 inch apart. Unfold the card and join the 2 short ends together so that they fit the girls head.....thus creating a mad hat for the tea party. You could even add a few tassles of crepe paper as trains from the hat.

Sparkly Cards

Allow the girls to create an outline of a Wonderland character and area by area paste glue on each coloured area and sprinkle coloured glitter onto the pasted section. Make sure you keep all glitters separate by having newpapers for each glitter so that you can reuse the left overs.

Table Decoration

Make a winter flower decoration

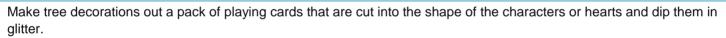
Decoration for a party

Make snowflakes or Cheshire cat heads from plain white or pale blue paper, string them together to make decorative garlands or just sprinkle them on the table where the tea party food sits.

The Winter Milliner

Design and perhaps make the Hat that one of the books characters would have worn in winter.

Tree Decorations



ACTIVITIES



Make your Mad Hatters Tea Party, one that is in a Winter Wonderland. You can go as mad as you like with this, you could even have a tea party outside so the girls have to keep their coats on.

At the Tea Party hold a game of charades where every charade begins with the letter "T" for Tea!

Visit an ice rink or ski centre and make sure all that attend wear Mad Wintery Hats

Hold a snowman challenge to recreate one of the characters in snow form

Hold a Tea Tasting evening, where all sorts of teas are made & tasted. They could even mix makes of tea to come up with different combinations

Decide what footprints each character would make in the snow and try to recreate them walking in the snow, or make potato prints of the footprints that the White Rabbit, March Hare, the Caterpillar, Cheshire Cat, and Hatter may make.

Go Sledging as if falling down the rabbit hole, lay out pictures on the snow to recreate Rabbits Hole Alice fell down, as they run over the pictures (in plastic sleeves) they got points.

Go Carol singing dressed at the Wonderland characters

Make up a Christmas Carol based on the Wonderland Characters and perform it whilst out carol singing