

# Snowmen in a Snowstorm

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My grade 1 students created these snow pictures, and then described them for **outcome Write and share stories and short informational texts.**

Each child took a blue piece of construction paper and some scrap paper. They used the scraps to rip out the pieces of a snowman (three balls, scarf, hat, arms, nose, etc). They then built their snowman on the paper and glued it down. We used the end of a paint brush dipped in black paint to add on the eyes and mouth. After the pictures were dry, we used marbles dipped in white paint to marble paint the snow. They turned out terrific, and the parents loved it.

After their creations were finished, I had the students write several sentences describing their snowman. With a partner, they brainstormed how their snowman looked, how old he was, who his friends were, the snowman's favourite food etc. ....



This artwork was done by Keely, age 6.