

A Magical Christmas Night with Leo the Lion

Learning objective: To develop fine motor skills and emergent writing by illustrating a festive scene and labelling key elements related to a Christmas story.

Leo the Lion is getting ready for a special Christmas celebration. Read the drawing prompt below, draw your picture in the space provided, and use the word bank to label your festive creation.

Draw: Draw a large, friendly scene in a landscape orientation. Include a tall, triangular Christmas tree on the right side decorated with circles. Place Leo the Lion on the left side, standing on a ground covered in white dots to represent snow. In the top corner, draw a large star with rays of light coming from it. Ensure there is enough white space around the objects for the children to write their labels clearly.



Label words: star · gift · tree · lion · snow

Steps:

1. Step 1: Draw Leo the Lion wearing a festive hat next to his Christmas tree.
2. Step 2: Draw a bright star at the very top of the tree.
3. Step 3: Draw a small gift box wrapped in ribbon on the floor near Leo.
4. Step 4: Use the word bank to write a label for the star and the tree.
5. Step 5: If you could give Leo a gift for Christmas, what would it be? Draw it in his paws.