

TeacherLists

Celebrate each month with a handprint craft for a school-year memory book!

Print these pages to "handprint" each monthly page, and see below for how to create the monthly handprint—or add your own spin on each month's handprint!

Cover Page: Handprint

Paint entire hand any color. Stamp. Add name with marker after paint is dry.

September: Crayon Box

Paint the middle of the hand yellow and the outsides green. Paint the fingers various colors. Stamp with fingers pointing up. After the paint dries, add the word 'Crayons' to the yellow portion.

October: Ghost

Paint the entire hand white. Stamp with fingers pointing down. Then, dip the tip of the index finger in black paint to make eyes and an open mouth.

November: Turkey

Paint the thumb and palm brown and the fingers various colors to create feathers. Stamp with fingers pointing up. After it dries, add feet, an eye, and a beak with marker.

December: Santa

Paint 1/2 of the palm pink and the other half red. Paint the thumb red. too. Paint all of the other fingers white to make the beard. After stamping this part with fingers pointing down, dip their index finger in white paint to make a 'pom-pom' at the end of Santa's hat. Add the facial features with markers after the paint is dry.



January: Snowflake

Paint entire hand light blue. Stamp in the middle. Using stamped palm as center point, continue painting and stamping in a circle to create a snowflake.

After stamping snowflake, dip index finger into blue paint to create additional snowflakes falling.

February: Heart

Paint both hands red. Stamp with fingers pointing down and overlap to create a heart.

March: Leprechaun

Paint the top of the palm pink. Next, paint the bottom of the palm and thumb green. Paint the fingers orange to be the leprechaun's beard. Stamp with fingers pointing down. Add the details with markers after the paint is dry.

April: Bunny

Paint four fingers and palm white (everything excluding the thumb). Stamp with fingers pointing up and spread (two and two to create the ears). Once dry, add eyes, nose, whiskers and a mouth with markers.

May: Flower

Paint entire hand one color. Stamp with fingers pointing up. Add a stem with marker after paint is dry.

June: End-of-year Handprint

Paint handprint any color. Stamp on page.





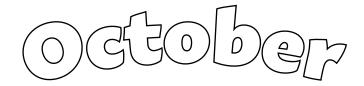
Name: ______





Here is my hand with 10 fingers in all. My first marks this school year to hang on our wall.





One little ghost so spooky and white comes out to play on Halloween night. It gives hugs and kisses and is so sweet to see! This little ghost belongs all to me!





This isn't just a turkey, as you can see. I made it with my hand, which is a part of me.





Here is my little Santa, looking very grand! This little Santa is made from my little hand!



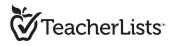
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My hand is like a snowflake, unique in every way. Please keep it close to your heart, as I'll be grown up some day!



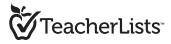


From the bottom of my heart, to the tips of my toes...
I love you!





I'm a little leprechaun dressed in green, made from the cutest little hand you've ever seen!





Some bunny loves you!





Like a flower, when I am big and tall, I'll always remember everything you did for me when I was small!



Jume

As the school year ends, and I say goodbye to all of my friends, I get to spend my summer with you, but first, **look how much I grew!**

