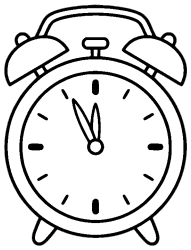
Countdown Envelopes "Hour by Hour"

How to play + labels · to color

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1. Pick 6 envelopes (early "kids' midnight", e.g. 2–7 pm) or 12 envelopes (1 pm to midnight).
2. Stick a time label on each envelope. Cut out the task cards and put one card in each envelope.
3. Every full hour a child opens the matching envelope and reads the task. Then the whole family joins in!
4. Tip: the last card is always the countdown – at 7 pm for an early kids' midnight.



1 pm

2 pm

3 pm

4 pm

5 pm

6 pm

7 pm

8 pm

9 pm

10 pm

11 pm

12 am

Cut out the labels and stick them onto the envelopes.

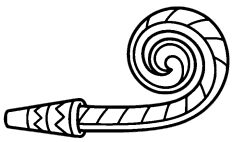
Countdown Task Cards (1/2)

12 cards · write your own ideas on the back · to color

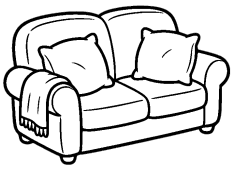
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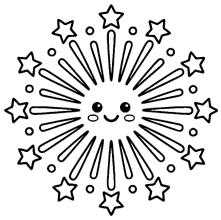
Dance like penguins for 1 minute!



Everyone tells a joke.



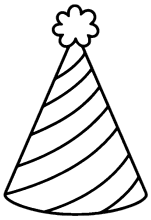
Build a pillow fort.



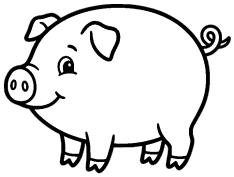
Draw a fireworks picture together.



Freeze dance: when the music stops, freeze!



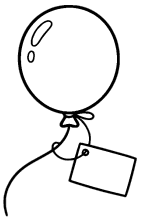
Make party hats for everyone.



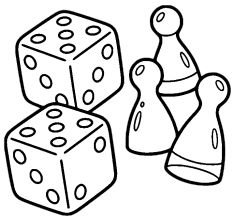
Start the lucky charm hunt!



Everyone says: what was the best thing this year?



Keep a balloon in the air – don't let it fall!



Play your favorite board game.



Sing your favorite song together.

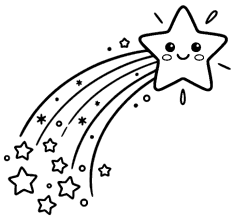


Cozy break: read a story.

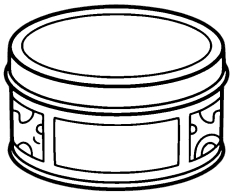
Countdown Task Cards (2/2)

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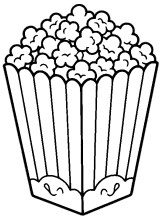
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Spin the fortune wheel!



Fill your time capsule.



Snack time! Popcorn and kids' punch.



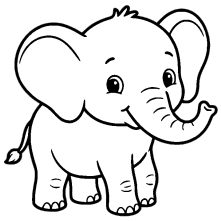
Make confetti with a hole punch and colorful paper.



Flashlight party: lights off, flashlights on!



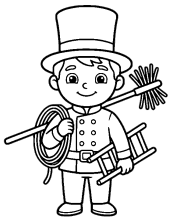
New Year's quiz: who knows the most?



Charades: act out animals and guess.



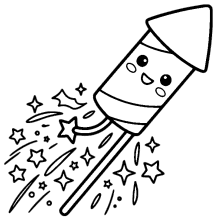
Call grandparents or friends and wish them luck.



Draw lucky charms and give them away.



Surprise! A little treat for everyone.



Countdown! Count from 10 to 0 – confetti!

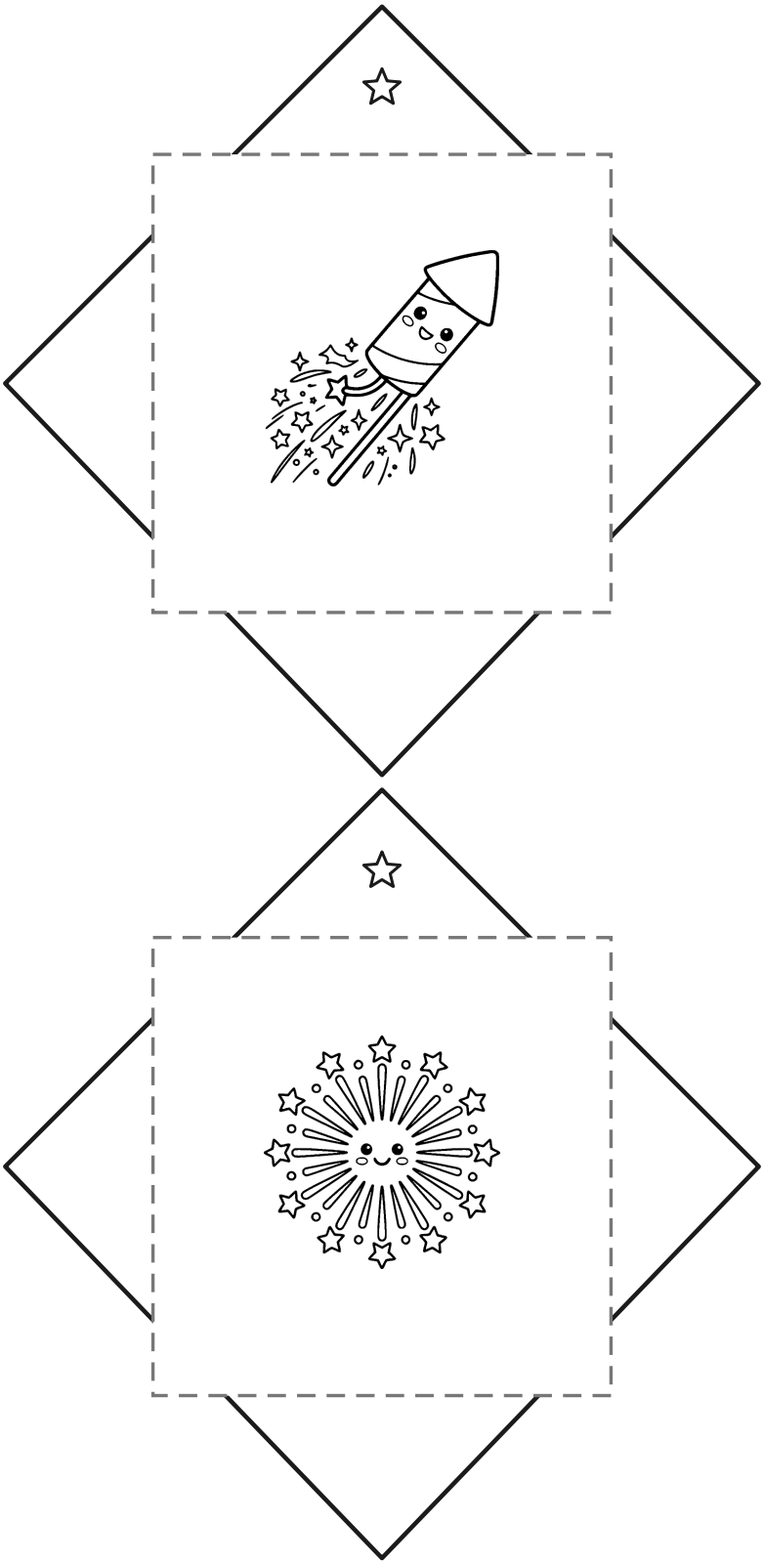


A good-night wish for the new year.

Mini Envelope to Fold

2 envelopes · for the task cards · to color

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1. Cut out the diamond and fold the four corners to the middle on the dashed lines.
2. Glue the sides and bottom, put the card inside, seal the top corner with a label.