



A Christmas Delivery

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Art Cards by Kids is an exciting fundraising opportunity for elementary schools across North America. This high-profit artwork fundraiser brings creativity into the classroom in a fun, educational, and rewarding way for students, families, and teachers alike.

We created these step-by-step instructions and videos to help teachers in the classroom guide students in creating amazing artwork for the fundraiser. Videos can easily be projected or displayed in the classroom for students to watch with guidance from their teacher. Please make sure your school has registered already and you have received our specially sized custom art sheets from the coordinator at your school before starting. Happy artistry!

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Description:

Create a festive Christmas scene with a car carrying presents and a holiday tree on top! Follow easy steps using acrylic and watercolor paints to make your artwork colorful and fun.

Materials Needed:

- Acrylic paint in white, red, yellow, deep green, purple, turquoise, black
- Watercolor paint in light blue
- Large, medium, and small paint brushes
- Paper towel
- Water

Difficulty Level: Grade 3-5

See the corresponding step-by-step video to these instructions on our website under the same title.

F-003 A Christmas Delivery Art Project Instructions:

1. Prepare Your Art Sheet Paper

- a. Place your Art Cards by Kids Art Sheet paper upright on the table with the vertical arrows on the left side facing up.
- b. Gather your painting supplies

2. Write your name

- a. At the top, write your name, teacher's name, age, and grade in big, bold letters using a marker or pen—no pencil!

3. Paint the Sky

- a. Use your big brush to mix water with light blue watercolor paint. Be sure to grab lots of paint on your brush so that the background is vibrant blue.
- b. Paint big horizontal strokes across the paper from top to bottom to create the sky.
- c. Let the paint dry before moving on.

4. Draw the Car's Body

- a. With your medium brush and red paint, draw an arc (like a rainbow) in the bottom third of the page, starting about four finger widths from the bottom.
- b. Flatten the bottom of the arc by drawing a straight line across, and fill in.

5. Outline the Windshield and Roof

- a. Use the same brush and red paint to draw another arc shape above the car body for the windshield and roof. Don't fill in the arc—just outline.

6. Add the Side Mirrors

- a. Paint side mirrors on each side of the windshield by drawing a short horizontal line, then add a rounded rectangle at the end to form the mirrors.

7. Paint the Christmas Tree

- a. With your same brush and green paint, draw a sideways triangle on top of the car to create a Christmas tree.
- b. Add small brush strokes to make branches.

8. Add Presents Inside the Car

- a. Use your small brush with purple, turquoise, red, and green paint to make small squares and rectangles inside the windshield for presents.

9. Decorate the Tree

- a. Once the tree is dry, use your small brush and the same colors to paint small circles on the tree for Christmas ornaments.

10. Paint the Car's Headlights and Star

- a. Use your small brush and yellow paint to make two big circles for the car's headlights. You can add white paint to your yellow as needed to make it brighter.
- b. Paint a yellow star on top of the Christmas tree.

11. Add the Tree Trunk

- a. With your small brush and black paint, add a trunk at the bottom of the Christmas tree. You can use brown paint instead if you have it.

12. Decorate the Presents

- a. Use your medium brush with black paint to add vertical and horizontal lines on the presents inside the car, and small bows on top.

13. Paint the Bumper, Nameplate, and Wheels

- a. With your medium brush with black paint, add a black bumper below the car, slightly beyond the car's body.
- b. Paint a black box below the headlights for your name.
- c. Add two wheels on each side of the car below the bumper.

14. Paint the Snowflakes

- a. Use your medium brush and white paint to add small dots randomly on the background for snowflakes.
- b. Paint white snowflakes on the top edge of the tree, car roof, side mirrors, and car hood above the headlights.

15. Write Your Name

- a. Once the black box below the headlights is dry, use the small brush and white paint to neatly write your name inside.

16. Let It Dry

- a. Let the entire painting dry completely before handling or stacking it.

Complete!