

# 1<sup>st</sup> Grade – December Project

## “Jesus Enters the World Manger”

**Objective:** Students will make a visual aid on how Jesus enters the world.

**Materials:**

- 1 shoebox per student (these should be brought from home)
- 2 toilet paper rolls - per student
- 1 toilet paper roll cut in half to make a crib - already assembled
- Pictures of Joseph, Mary and baby Jesus – already cut out
- Crayons
- Scissors
- Glue/glue dots/tape
- Blue construction paper
- Brown construction paper
- White construction paper (optional)

**Directions:**

- Take white paper and wrap around shoebox (optional)
- Cut out blue paper and draw yellow stars on it and glue it to the bottom of the box; this will be your sky
- Take the brown paper and cut it into strips and glue it to the side of the box; this will be your hay
- Have the students color the pictures of Joseph, Mary and baby Jesus. Glue Joseph and Mary to the 2 toilet paper rolls and glue baby Jesus to the toilet paper crib
- Cut flaps on the bottom of the toilet paper rolls and glue them to the shoebox (the flaps will help make it stick better)

**\*\*This project may take more than 20 minutes\*\***

