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Fun Foam Magnets

Supplies: Assortment of fun foam in various colors, stencils of insects, flowers, etc. (whatever you want your magnets to be), pen (a regular ink pen is fine but an extra fine permanent marker will also work), scissors, magnets, tacky glue, glitter glue, assortment of sequins, small beads, chenille stems, wiggle eyes, etc. anything you want to decorate your magnets with.

Use the stencils to draw items on the fun foam with the pen. Cut out around the item leaving about a 1/4" border all the way around. For a craft time, I have this part done ahead of time so kids don't have to cut them out. You may also wish to glue the magnet on the back beforehand. If not, have children attach the magnet BEFORE they begin decorating their item. You may want to make sure you have enough for each child to make two. Kids really love decorating these!

Decorate! For insects, glue on wiggle eyes, color areas with glitter glue, sequins, etc. You can even poke a short piece of chenille stem through the fun foam to create antennae. Flowers could have a beaded or sequined center with glitter glue petals. The choices are almost limitless. Have fun!