

IT'S NOT FAIR!: A BOOK ABOUT HAVING ENOUGH (GENEROUS KIDS)

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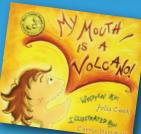
It's Not Fair! Roxy Ramirez has saved up for weeks to buy a chemistry set, and now she's headed to the toy store to buy it! There's only one problem: along the way, she keeps running into friends who are in trouble, and need her to dip into her

savings to help. Will she have enough money left over to buy something for herself?

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Louis always interrupts! All of his thoughts are very

important to him, and when he has something to say, his words rumble and grumble in his tummy, they wiggle and jiggle on his tongue and then they push on his teeth, right before he ERUPTS (or interrupts). His mouth is a volcano! But when others



begin to interrupt Louis, he learns how to respectfully wait for his turn to talk.

BUILD A 粼 **SNOWMAN GAME**

Grab a friend! Each of you will draw your snowman on your own piece of paper. Take turns rolling a dice and completing the task to the right of the number below. The first one to build a complete "Snow Sprout" wins!



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YOU'LL HAVE 'SNOW' MUCH FUN WITH THESE FUN STEM ACTIVITIES!

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DID YOU KNOW? MARDI GRAS FACTS

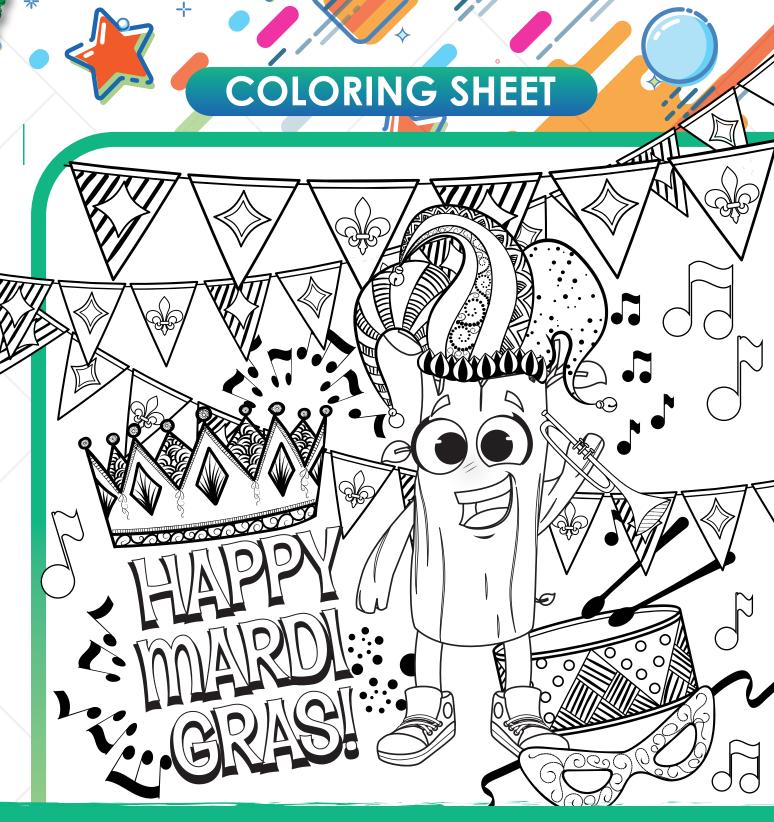
Historians believe Mardi Gras arrived in North America in 1699 and then spread to New Orleans in 1718.

"Laissez les bon temps rouler" is the official greeting of Mardi Gras. In French, this means "Let the Good Times Roll!"

Each parade is run by a different "Krewe." Monroe and West Monroe have two Mardi Gras Krewes, the Krewe of Janus, started in 1984, and the Krewe de Riviere, which just began last year in 2020! Ruston has a Krewe as well, the Krewe of Allegro.

Each Krewe creates a different parade theme each year. Each float is decorated to fit into one central theme.

Why Beads? Legend has it in the 1880s, a man dressed like Santa Claus received such fame throwing beads, that other krewes followed suit.



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