SUPPLY LIST:

- Pine cones
- Black and yellow felt
- Black craft paint
- White craft paint
- Paint brush
- Pencils
- 1" wooden beads
- · String or twine
- Hot glue & hot glue gun

INSTRUCTIONS:

- 1. Go outside and collect a few of the biggest and whole pine cones you can find. Each pine cone will be turned in to a Christmas ornament.
- 2. Gather all of the supplies listed above and place them next to your pine cones.
- **3.** Use the white paint and paint the top of the pine cone tips white.
- 4. Paint your wooden beads white give them at least two coats. Allow time for the beads to dry.
- 5. Draw the penguins' eyes and head in pencil.
- 6. Paint those in black.
- 7. Cut out pieces of black felt for the wings and yellow felt for the feet. (Tear-drop shaped: long for the wings, short for the feet.
- **8.** Hot glue the wings and feet to the pine cone.
- 9. Cut out a small triangle for the beak. Hot glue the beak on to the wooden bead.
- 10. Thread the twine through the penguin head (bead) and secure the end with a large knot.
- **11.** Hot glue your bead to the pine cone.

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SUPPLY LIST:

- Construction paper
- White copy paper
- Tape

- Markers
- Scissors

INSTRUCTIONS:

- Gather all of your supplies. Cut red and green slips of construction paper that are about 1.5 inch wide and as long as the sheet of paper.
- 2. Collect your markers and write on each of your paper slips a gift of kindness that you want to give to your family or friends. Below are some ideas to get you thinking:
 - a. Bake a Christmas snack/treat
 - b. Take out the trash
 - c. Make hot chocolate for a sibling
 - d. Smile all day to everyone you see
 - e. Make Christmas cards for your bus driver or teachers
 - f. Go through your toys and put some away to donate to kids in need
- 3. Create some of your own "gifts" of kindness for those you love dearly. Be creative!
- 4. Each day leading up to Christmas, complete a "gift" of kindness that you wrote out on a ring.
- **5.** After you complete your gift of kindness, use the tape to create a ring and connect it to other rings creating a chain.
- **6.** Each ring is a gift of joy, kindness, and happiness that you gave during the Christmas season so collect as many as you can!

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