Apples
one apple
APPLE PRINTS

Cut several apples of different varieties and sizes in half from top to bottom.

Hold the apple so that the flat, cut side is facing away from your palm.

Dip the apple into paint (make sure it isn’t too thick on the apple) or brush paint onto the apple. Press the painted apple onto a piece of paper.

Your print should look just like an apple that has been cut in half!

Experiment with different sizes and colors to make an apple masterpiece!
Color the basket and then draw and color apples in the basket to fill it up.
Using the attached templates, cut the tree top out of green construction paper and cut the tree trunk out of brown construction paper.

Glue the top of the tree onto the trunk.

Make apples on the tree by dipping your finger in red paint and making fingerprints. You could also glue on red pom-poms or stick on round red stickers (yellow or green would work too since there are many different kinds of apples).
MAKE AN APPLE

Cut the bottom off of a 16oz soda bottle.

Fill a sandwich bag with uncooked rice and shape into a ball that will fit into the bottom of the soda bottle. Be sure that the ball is large enough to completely fill the bottom and remain mounded over the top. Seal with a twist tie.

Glue red tissue paper over the entire ball. Do not tuck in the excess sandwich bag. This will become the stem of the apple.

Twist the excess plastic from the sandwich bag into a stem shape and wrap a brown pipe cleaner around it.

Cut a leaf shape from green construction paper and glue onto your apple.
PAINT AN APPLE TREE

Paint the underside of a child’s arm, from their elbow to the tips of their fingers with brown paint.

Have the child press arm and hand onto a piece of white paper to make a tree.

Now have the child paint green leaves on the tree by dipping their finger into green paint and making finger prints on the branches.

This project could also be used to make a fall tree. Instead of green finger prints, children could make red, orange and yellow finger prints.
PAPER BAG APPLE

Fill a paper lunch bag about 2/3 full of crunched up newspaper.

Tie the bag shut with a green piece of yarn.

Paint the portion of the bag that is below the yarn red.

Paint the portion of the bag that is above the yarn green.
PAPER TOWEL ROLL APPLE TREE

Paint a paper towel roll brown and set it aside to dry.

Cut out the shape of a tree top from green construction paper.

Decorate one side of the tree top to look like it is filled with apples. You can make red finger prints on it, use round stickers or even pop-poms.

Carefully cut two slits in one end of the paper towel roll. The slits should be directly across from each other.

Slide the tree top into the slits.
REMEMBER ME APPLE TREE

This cute apple tree will freeze time and help you remember just how tiny their hands and feet were.

Paint the bottom of child’s bare foot with brown paint.

Have the child step down on a piece of white paper. Position their foot towards the bottom of the page as this will serve as the tree trunk. Their toes should point up so that they look like little branches at the top of the tree.

Wash paint off of foot.

Next paint the palms of both hands green and have child make handprints in an semi-circle around the top of the footprint.

Wash hands and set aside to dry.

When paint is dry, add apples by having the child dip their finger in red paint and make fingerprints all over the top of the tree.
JOHNNY APPLESEED
Many people think that Johnny Appleseed was a fictional character, but he was a real person.
His real name was John Chapman, and he was born in Leominster, Massachusetts on September 26, 1774.
People called him Johnny Appleseed because of his love for planting apple seeds and growing apple trees.
AN APPLE TREE IN EACH SEASON

SUMMER

WINTER

SPRING

FALL

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APPLE COUNTING

Count each row of apples. Write how many there are on the line at the end of each row.

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PATTERNS

Cut out each picture on the following page. Complete each of the patterns below by gluing one of these pictures on the line at the end of each pattern.
Cut out the apples and glue them onto another piece of paper in the proper order.
APPLE SIZING

Cut out each apple. Paste them in order of size from smallest to largest on a new piece of paper.
APPLE TREE MATCHING

Count the apples on each tree. Draw a line between the matching trees.
COLOR THE RIGHT AMOUNT

Color 5

Color 2

Color 4

Color 1
COUNTING APPLES

Using your finger dipped in red paint or a red bingo dauber, make the correct number of apples above each number.
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