HAPPY NEW YEAR!

A Brand New Year
Tune: *The Muffin Man*

Now we have a brand new year,
A brand new year, a brand new year.
Now we have a brand new year, It’s 2021!

Cheer the Year
Tune: *Row, Row, Row Your Boat*

Cheer, cheer, cheer the year;
A new one’s just begun.
Celebrate with all your friends,
Let’s go have some fun!

Happy New Year
Tune: *Are You Sleeping?*

Happy New Year!
Happy New Year!
Rah! Rah! Rah!
Rah! Rah! Rah!
Good-bye to the old year!
Hello to the new year!
Rah! Rah! Rah!
Rah! Rah! Rah!

Clap, clap, clap your hands,
A brand new year is here.
Learning, laughing, singing, clapping,
Through another year.

Ring ring ring the bells,
Ring them loud and clear.
Let’s tell everyone around
That the New Year is here!

Five Little Fireworks
Tune: *10 Green Bottles*

Five little fireworks standing in a row,
Five little fireworks standing in a row,
And if one little fireworks decides it's time to go...
BOOM!
There'll be four little fireworks standing in a row.

...continue counting until no more fireworks.
Ring in the New Year!

Firework Painting
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Materials:

+ Craft Paint  
+ Empty Toilet Paper Roll or Pipe Cleaners  
+ Scissors  
+ Black Construction Paper  
+ Paper Plate  
+ Paint brush or sponge brush  
+ Glue (optional)  
+ Glitter (optional)

Directions:

1) Use the scissors to cut strips half way up the toilet paper roll and use your hand to push them outward.

1a) If using pipe cleaners take four pipe cleaners and fold them in half. Then twist the bottom portion to create a handle. Then fan out the pipe cleaners to create a star shape.

2) Squeeze a small sized amount of paint onto a paper plate. Use a paint brush or sponge to spread the paint out into a circle.

3) Gently press the toilet paper roll or pipe cleaner onto the paint and move around to cover the ends.

4) Place the toilet paper roll or pipe cleaner down onto the paper, lightly press down then turn it right and left to flick the strips over the paper. This will create the “firework” effect.

5) Repeat with other colors of paint. Allow to dry, embellish as desired!