



EYFS & KS1 Snow Day Activities

At West Buckland Primary School & Nursery we recognise the importance of life experiences, such as 'snow days' and understand the value of time together as a family. Below are some activities and ideas to make the most of your day, whilst challenging you to use your observational and thinking skills. We would love to see what you have been up to, so please do share a photograph or two with your class teacher via SeeSaw. Please have fun safely.

READING: Read a story relating to snow or ice either from home or via YouTube. Could you snuggle up with a hot chocolate and read your favourite story at the end of the day?

ENGLISH: Write a poem and story about a snowy adventure. Make sure you use as many describing words as you can. Reception you can write your story using the pictorial method. Year 1's you need to write a sentence or two for each of your pictures, and year 2's you need to write a paragraph for each of your pictures.

You can also complete a snow day memory sheet (below) at the end of the day, so that you can look back on this day in the future.

PHONICS/WRITING: Practice writing your sounds in the snow, when you have done this use the sound and write a word with it in, then tell someone a sentence with this word in, how many sounds/words/sentences can you make? Reception children, could you practise writing your name in the snow?

MATHS: Make a snow man using as many 2d and 3d shapes as you can, you can include the items you put onto the snowman as well, makes sure you take a photo to show us your creations. Reception children, could you compare snowmen of different sizes? Who's is tallest? Who's is shortest?

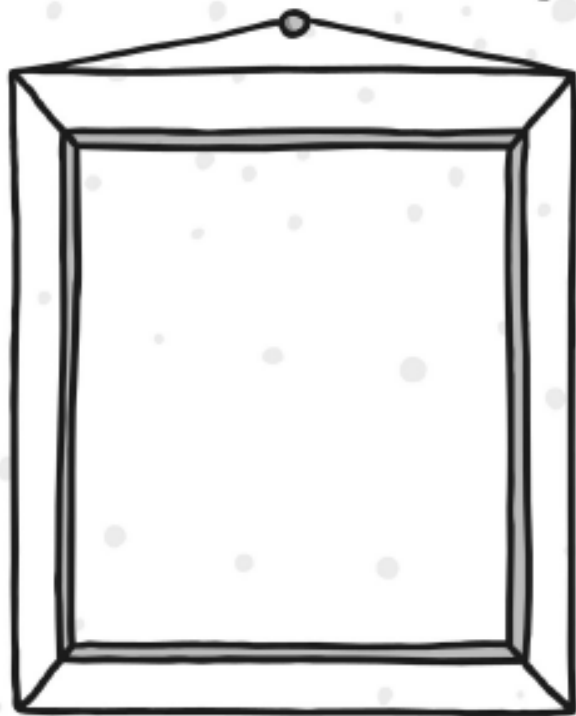
P.E: Make as many snowballs as you can in 5 minutes, can you beat your family member and make more than them? When you have done this make or find a target and see who can hit the target most often with their snowballs in 5 minutes too, enjoy!

ART: Put some snow into some pots, add coloured paint to the snow and let it freeze. Once it is frozen, you can use the frozen paint sticks to create a masterpiece outside on the flat snow or on a piece of paper.

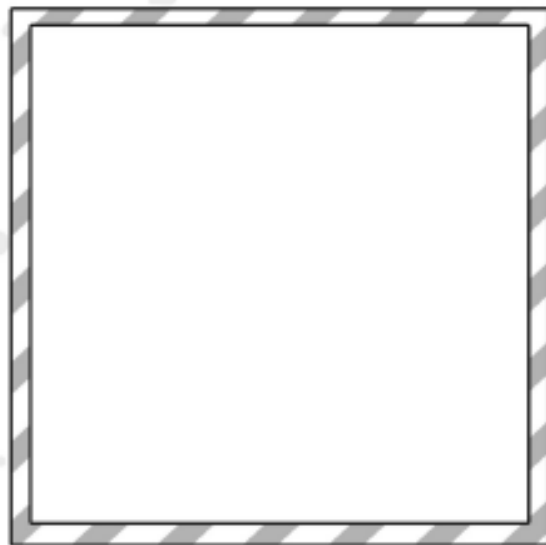
SCIENCE: Can you add some different materials to ice or snow and see which material makes the ice/snow melt quicker, record your findings, through a video or on a sheet.

My Snow Day

I felt like this when
I found out...



This is a picture of
what I did



The best thing
about my day was...

3 words that describe
my day are...







This is what I had for lunch

