

Winter



Winter

Group Time

Language experience

- What would you do with a snowman?
- How do you make a snowball?
- What does a snowflake look like?
- What is your favorite thing about winter?

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- Do you prefer winter or spring?
- Would you rather hold a snowflake or a snowball?

Science Experiment

Ice Melting

- Materials
 - Ice cubes
 - Salt
 - Two paper plates
 - Stop watch
- Activity
 - Ask the children to predict which ice cube will melt faster, the one with or without salt on it.
 - Place an ice cube on each plate
 - Pour salt on one ice cube leaving the other one plain.
 - Time how long it takes the ice cubes to melt.
 - Compare the results with the predictions.
 - Ask the children to share their thoughts on the results.



Quick Tip: This can be done a variety of ways: on the plate versus in a glass of water; in a bare hand versus a hand with a mitten on it; and in the sun versus in the shade.

Estimation station

Cotton balls in a jar

Draw a snowman then estimate how many cotton balls can be glued in it.

Math Journals

Mason has two snowballs and Jackson has three. How many snowballs do they have altogether?