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Hello everyone!

You have received an email informing you that nursery is closed until **Wednesday 3rd February** however we have some brilliant home learning ideas for you!



We hope that you are wrapping up warmly and playing in the snow before it all melts!

What a fantastic opportunity to learn through play. The fantastic news is - your child learns through play- play makes them happy - and feeling happy is proven to make the learning stick in their brains too!

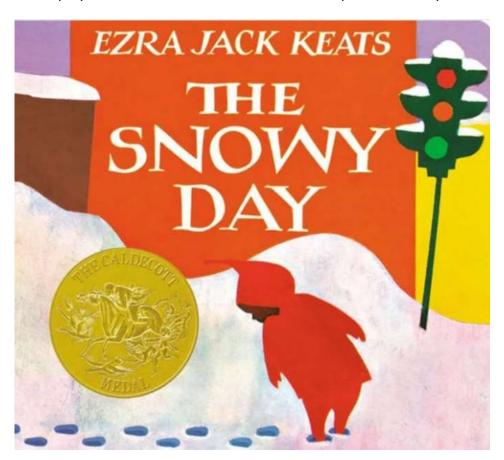
The snow provides a wonderful sensory experience- feeling the crunch under your feet and the cold on your hands. And everything looks so different!

Snow sticks to snow and can be put together so...

Can you build a snowman?

Can you throw a snowball?

You could take some snow inside to see what happens to it - in a bowl. Perhaps your child has an idea of where to put it to keep it frozen?



The little boy in the story of The Snowy Day puts a snowball in his pocket and puts his coat inside his home. He looks for the snowball later..what do you think has happened?

https://youtu.be/FmZCQfeWjeQ



There's another snowy story here with Kipper the Dog. He's so excited about the snow!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Iq51v40wHi0



The birds find it harder to find food in winter - the ground is frozen or covered in snow - hard to pull worms out of the soil!

You could help by putting a little bit of bread outside if you have a garden or on a balcony and watch them come and eat it.

Love from all the team at Lillian de Lissa Nursery School