



# Sunshine Academy Pre-K

## January 2018: Winter Investigation



	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri
Introduction to Winter	1 <b>School Closed New Year's Day</b>	2 Discuss How We Dress for Winter <i>The Mitten Hunt</i>	3 Journal: "What I Like About Winter.."  Cut Out Words With "W"	4 Compare Winter vs. Summer Clothing  Make and Label Winter Clothing	5 Ice Cube Painting  Geometric Snowflakes
Winter Stories	8 <u>Snowy Day</u> Compare and Measure Footprints  Snow Letters	9 Read <u>The Mitten</u> Create Rhyming Chart  Mitten Patterns	10 Read <u>The Hat</u> , Act Out Scenes from the Book  Decorate Hats	11 Read <u>Owl Moon</u> , Make Owl Art  Create Owl Habitat	12 Write a Winter Story  Illustrate Winter Story Book
Snow and Ice Experiments	15 <b>School Closed Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Day</b>	16 Baking Soda and Snow Experiment  Ice Making Experiment	17 Make Frost  Frozen Bubble Experiment	18 Practice Letter Writing in Snow  Freeze Predictions and Experiment	19 Snowman Creations at the Park  Build Ice Igloo in Sensory Table
Animals in Winter	22 <u>Animals in Winter</u> Discuss Hibernation  Journal: The Winter Animal I Would Be	23 Animal Homes Chart  Pretend Play Animals in Hibernation	24 Penguin Puzzle  Penguin Glide on Scooter Boards	25 Chip Art Animals Out of Ice Cubes  Pretend Play Winter Animals in Snow	26 Identify Winter Animal Footprints  Pre-K Footprint Comparison
Winter Sports	29 Brainstorm and Chart Winter Sports  Journal: Favorite Winter Sport	30 Pompom Hockey Game  Pre-K Hockey Game in Gym	31 Sledding at the Park  Ice Skate on Wax Paper		

<b>Sensory Table</b> Snow, Ice, Animals	<b>Pretend Play</b> Dress Up, Hibernation Activity, Winter Animals	<b>Blocks</b> Penguin Puzzle, Pompom Hockey	<b>Writing Table</b> Journal, Letter Stencils	<b>Science Area</b> Baking Soda Experiment, Making Frost, Freezing Ice
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