



The Early Education Program

Family Connect

Connecting families and classrooms...creatively!

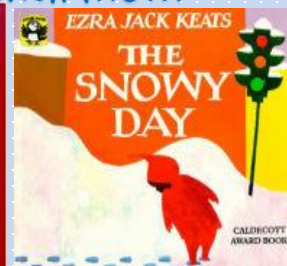
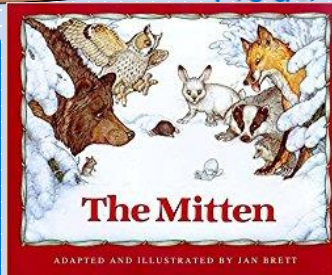
It's Winter! Let's Stay Warm and Cozy!



Talk with me about...

Read with me...

- ❄ Give me **three, one, two** (math concepts)
- ❄ Winter weather (**snowy, icy, rainy, windy, foggy**)
- ❄ Word to describe "cold" = **chilly**, "warm" = **cozy**
- ❄ Winter clothes (**scarf, mittens vs. gloves, vest, coat, jacket, boots, hat**, etc.)
- ❄ A **pair** (as in boots, mittens, gloves)
- ❄ Parts of clothes (**zipper, button, snap, Velcro, hood, belt, belt loops, buckles**)
- ❄ **Ice** (is frozen water)
- ❄ Outdoor activities: (**ice skating, sledding, throwing snowballs, making snowmen**)
- ❄ Indoor activities: (**snuggling, baking, reading**)
- ❄ **Snowflakes**
- ❄ What do friends do? (**play, help, share**)



Our letters and numbers...

Numbers of the week:

4 2 1 3

Letters of the week:

Dd Nn Oo

Pull me close...

♥ I'm learning to say, "thank you". When you do nice things for me like make my dinner or give me a bath, I may not remember or know to say, "thank you". Help me remember and help me know how happy it makes you feel. Model it for me: "Thanks Mommy!" It will become a cheerful habit!

♥ I'm learning to say, "No thanks" too when I don't want/like something. If I forget to say it, help me know by just reminding me. "Oh, you don't want that. Okay. Tell me, 'No thanks Daddy.'"

Let's play!

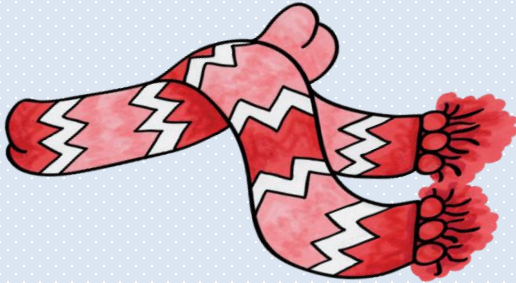
- * We may not always get snowy and icy weather, but we can still talk about the weather. Let's make checking the weather part of our "good morning routine"! We can check how it feels outside together and then make choices about which clothes to wear.
- * Let's do laundry together! I can be your little helper! I can help you sort by size and color and even fold a little. Helping makes me feel important and with your encouragement, we can make it a fun job for *both* of us!

Can you find the number three?
What else do you see?

1



3



2

