

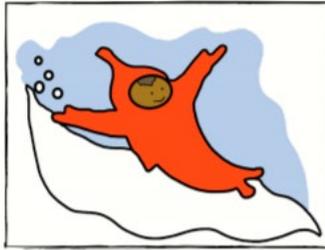
[The Snowy Day](#)  
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**Literacy Activity  
Sequencing Cards**

[Click on the picture of Peter sliding on the snow to open the PDF.](#)

- Print and cut out the pictures from the book.
- Replay the read-aloud with your child and help them put the pictures in order of how they happened.



**Dramatic Play or Music Activity  
Indoor Winter Play Area**

- Create a snow scene indoors by collecting white sheets, blankets and towels. Pace them as blankets of snow.
  - Turn chairs & other pieces of furniture upside down or on their sides to be "snow caves."
  - Use blue sheets or towels to create a "water" area.
  - Place cushions underneath to make "a mountain of snow" or stack them to make a snow fort. Add some toy penguins, polar bears and other winter animals.
- \*Enhancements: Use packing peanuts or cotton balls to make it "snow" in the play area.

**Math Activity  
Counting "Snow" Cotton Balls**

All you need for this activity is a basket or a box and many cotton balls.



Challenge your child to see how many "snow balls" they can toss into the basket or box.



**Science Activity  
Snow Dough Recipe**

Snow Dough is amazingly soft, squishy and moldable.

Mix and knead together:

- 1 cup of corn starch
- 1 cup of lotion

Optional additions:

- Iridescent glitter
- Peppermint extract



For an extra cold snow experience, put the dough in the refrigerator or freezer.