



[Touch and Feel Winter](#)  
by Scholastic First Steps

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**Literacy Activity**  
**Winter Item Naming**

Pull out winter items from your home and have your child practice saying the names of these items.

As an extension you can also ask them questions like, "Can you find the jacket?"



**Dramatic Play or Music Activity**  
**"Snowkey Pokey"**

(Tune of "Hokey Pokey")

You put your right mitten in. You take your right mitten out.

You put your right mitten in and you shake it all about.

You do the Snowkey Pokey and you turn yourself around.

That's what it's all about.

Additional verses:

You put your left mitten in...

You put your scarf in...

You put your right boot in...

You put your left boot in...

You put your hat in...

**Math Activity**  
**Fruit Loop Lacing**

Using a piece of yarn and fruit loops, have your child place the fruit loops on the string.

As an extension, talk about the colors of the fruit loops together.



**Science Activity**  
**Ice Cube Exploration**

Take ice cubes out of the freezer for your child to touch and play with. This is an introduction to them feeling cold things.



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