

# Communicating for Fun

Parent and Child Activities to Promote Better Speech, Language and Hearing

## WINTER TIME

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
<p>Get dressed to go outside. Name all the clothes that you put on your child and have your child repeat you.</p> <p>Hide one mitten or one boot from your child. Ask them to name what is missing.</p> <p>Find the mittens on this page and count them.</p>	<p>Go outside and play in the snow.</p> <p>Make snowballs together. Have your child try to say, "Snowball".</p> <p>Build small snowmen using your snowballs. Encourage your child to say, "Snowman".</p> <p>Point to the snowman on this page.</p>	<p>Try to catch snowflakes on your tongue by sticking out your tongue.</p> <p>Try to catch a snowflake. Have your child say, "Snowflake".</p> <p>Encourage your child to say words like: "Up", "Down", "Cold", "Snow".</p>	<p>Make snowflakes!</p> <p>Set out a piece of black paper and have your child make snowflakes on it using a piece of white chalk or white paint.</p> <p>Point to your child's picture and say, "Look, it's snowing!" Encourage them to say, "Snowing".</p>	<p>Go sledding outside.</p> <p>Ask your child, "Where is the sled?" Encourage them to tell you where it is.</p> <p>When you go down the hill with your child say, "Whoosh" or "Weeee". Have them repeat the sounds.</p>	<p>Make some popcorn.</p> <p>Listen to the sound of it popping. Pretend to be a kernel and then POP!</p>
					Sunday
					<p>Using marshmallows make a small snowman. Eat the snowman and talk about how it feels in your mouth.</p>

### Key Words

Snow, Boots, Sled

Repeat these words often during the week and give your child the opportunity to hear and say them.

