

Our Literacy texts this half term will be...

- Lost and found** -Oliver Jeffers
- Snow bears** -Martin Waddell
- The Polar Bear and the Snow Cloud**- Jane Cabrera
- The Gruffalos Child**- Julia Donaldson
- All about Animals in Winter**
- Thinking about the Seasons: Winter**

Key dates and information:

Winter starts on 21st December and finishes on the 20th March.

Our White Rose Maths schemes his half term are...

- Alive in 5 (3 weeks)
- Growing 6,7,8 (3 weeks)

Our phonics this half term will focus on...

- Level 3 sounds and tricky words for those who are ready.
- Decoding sentences.

Top 5 facts

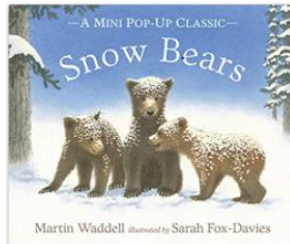
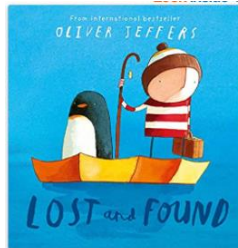
A habitat is where an animal lives.

Polar bears eat meat.

Animals can be sorted into groups.

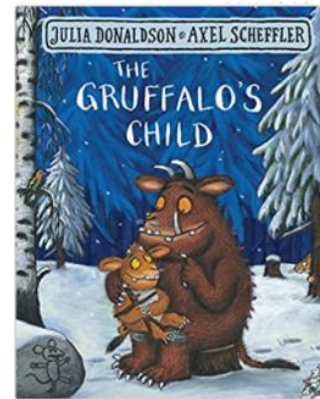
Two of these groups are called mammals and birds.

The coldest place in the world is the South Pole.



Does the whole world have a winter wonderland?

Spring 1



Our vocab ten

(provocations to develop)

Season	Earth
Winter	Frozen
Igloo	Ice
Weather	Country – landscape, town, village
World	Mammal/ Bird Habitat

Artists to explore:

Monet- Snowscapes

Specific Skills and Knowledge:

Children to be discussing jobs and roles of people who are important to them and contrasting to polar job roles.

Observe, measure and record how materials change when heated and cooled.

Children understand and name the local area where they live. They know what type of place it is and compare it to polar towns and villages. They can describe the different landscapes.

Significant events and people:

Polar bears habitats are in danger due to ice melting.