## Early/First Level Friday Practical Maths-

## Snowflake patterns-

We have been having lots of cold, snowy weather recently. This week you will be using your pattern skills to create some snowflakes.

Remember to use repeating patterns and that snowflakes have 6 points. It might be useful to draw or ask someone at home to draw out the shape as guidance before you start to create your patterns.

Here are a few ways you could create your snowflake patterns-

- You could draw and colour different shapes like this-

- You could cut out shapes from different colours of paper then stick them together to make your snowflake pattern. They look good on the black background.

- You could make a basic snowflake shape using 4 strips of paper, then cut out and glue on small shapes to create a repeating pattern on each point of the snowflake.

- If you have beads and pipe cleaners you could make a repeating pattern snowflake like these ones-


If you have any other ways of creating a repeating pattern snowflake please share them with us. We would love to see some photos of your patterns and creations!


