



Snow Closure Learning Grid – Wednesday 7th January 2025

Primary P6/7
Teacher: Mr Hayes

Literacy	Numeracy	Health and Wellbeing
<p>In grammar and writing we will be exploring figurative language this term.</p> <p>Can you make any similes and or metaphors to describe the weather?</p> <p><u>Simile Definition</u> A figure of speech involving the comparison of one thing with another thing of a different kind, used to make a description more emphatic or vivid.</p> <p><u>Metaphor Definition</u> A metaphor is a figure of speech that directly compares two unlike things by stating one <i>is</i> the other, <i>without</i> using "like" or "as," to create a vivid image</p> <p>e.g. Simile examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The snow was as white as a blank page.• The snow was as soft as a pillow.• The snow settled on the ground like a soft, white blanket. <p>e.g. Metaphors examples:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• The cold was a relentless thief, stealing warmth from everything it touched.• The snow was a quiet blanket muffling natures sound.	<p><u>Temperature</u> Temperatures are still very low, let's learn more about negative numbers. Use the link below to find out more:</p> <p>What are negative numbers?</p> <p>This game will allow you to practise negative numbers:</p> <p>Mangahigh - Prodigy</p> <p><u>Time</u> I have set a practice on SumDog – all children should know their logins. The practice activity is called "Negative Numbers".</p> <p>If any children are unsure of their login, please contact me via email and I can provide the details for you.</p>	<p><u>Snow science</u> Why not conduct simple science experiments using ice and snow? For example, you could time how long it takes for different sizes of ice to melt or watch what happens when you sprinkle salt on snow. Record and write down your findings.</p> <p><u>Challenge</u> If you didn't do this yesterday can you create a snow Mr Hayes? Send in your pictures and we can judge in class which looks most like me (obviously it needs to be very handsome).</p> <p>Have fun in the snow!</p> 

A short optional home learning offer during the snow closures.

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