

Ice and Snow Facts

Amazing Fact

'Futility', or 'The Wreck of the Titan', was a book published in 1898, 14 years before the Titanic sank. In the book, a passenger ship called Titan sinks in the North Atlantic after hitting an iceberg.

Challenge

Use the words in the box below, to complete these sentences.

polar bears	snow	melt	drip	solid
float	frost	skiing	hibernate	freezes

- Ice occurs when water _____.
- If ice is near something warm, it will begin to _____.
- Icebergs are huge lumps of ice which _____ in the water.
- Some animals _____ during the cold winter weather.
- When water freezes in the sky, it falls as _____.
- _____ is a popular snow sport.
- A thin layer of ice crystals on the ground is called _____.
- The Arctic is home to seals, whales and _____.
- Ice is _____ water.



You could also try to find out:

- what other similarities there were between the book and the event;
- the timeline of the sinking of the Titanic;
- how the Titanic was found underwater;
- what else has been predicted in books that has then happened in real life.



Some activities to try on your Snow Day.

What's so Bad about a Snow Day?

Snow Joke! The problems of a snow day...

Snow Big Deal! The benefits of a snow day...



World Book Day Alphabet Books

Can you think of a book that you have read (or would like to read) for each of the letters of the alphabet below?

A	B	C
D	E	F
G	H	I
J	K	L
M	N	O
P	Q	R
S	T	U
V	W	X
Y	Z	



International Children's Book Day Top 5s

My drawing of my favourite picture in a book:

My top 5 authors:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____



My top 5 favourite illustrators:

- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____
- _____

