

Key Facts

- Animals live all over the world.



- Each animal needs a suitable habitat to live and grow.
- Some animals live in colder climates like the North and South Pole. Others need a warmer climate like in Africa and South America.
- The weather is very different in these places.
- We can use a map or a globe to find where different places are.
- Winter is the coldest season of the year. The weather is often icy and we get hail and snow.
- Every snowflake is different!



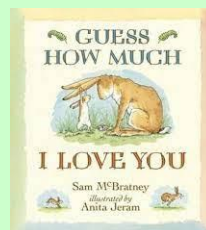
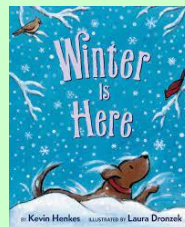
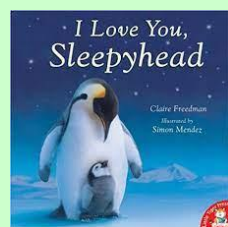
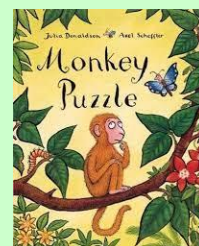
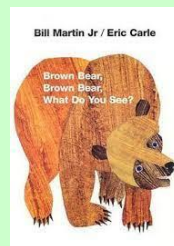
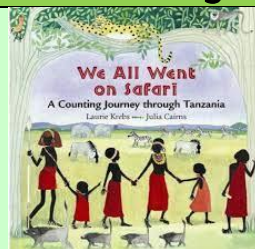
- Some creatures hibernate when the weather gets colder. This means that they go to sleep until the weather gets warmer.



- On 14th February we celebrate 'Valentine's Day' and we tell people we care about how much we love them.



Stories & Rhymes



5 Little Snowmen



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=vrfCD9wjLUE>

Vocabulary

North & South Pole	The places at the top and bottom of the earth. It is very cold.
Desert	A hot, dry, sandy place where it doesn't rain often
Savannah	Largest grassland in Africa
Jungle	A warm, rainy place that is covered with trees and plants
Winter	The time of the year when the weather is coldest
Ice	Frozen water
Snow	Soft, white flakes of ice crystals that fall from the sky to the earth.
Freezing	Changing things from a liquid to something hard by making them very, very cold
Melting	Changing things from something hard to a liquid by making them warmer
Habitat	The home of an animal or plant. Different animals and plants live in different kinds of habitats.
Hibernate	To sleep through the winter in a den or burrow to save energy

Home Learning conversations

- Go on a winter walk. What can you see and hear. What clothes do you need to wear?
- Where have you been on holiday around the world? What was the weather like there? Where would you like to go on holiday and why?
- Make a winter bird feeder

<https://community.rspb.org.uk/ourwork/b/natureshmemagazine/posts/3-easy-homemade-bird-feeders>